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Dear parent / carer,

Unfortunately, we have, once again experienced an issue that is relating to pupils using social media apps on their personal mobile phones. The incident occurred outside school obviously but it is one that affected many pupils greatly, and, therefore, their learning was disrupted.

Can I urge parents to remove the tick tock app from their child's phones to avoid any further upsets and incidents of online bullying. I know that some parents have already acted on this and we are extremely grateful. If we can all, as one, decide to act in the same way it removes potential risks for many of our young children.

Tick tock is an app recommended for young people aged 13 and over. The incident that we have dealt with today has proved that our children at primary school are too young to be able to deal with the emotional affects of this online social media.

Commonsense media.org. is a useful site to guide parents safeguard their children.

Once again, thank you for supporting us to protect your children.

Yours sincerely,

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If you would like a copy of this letter with enlarged print please let us know.

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