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Dear Parents/ Carers

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Mae wedi dod i'n sylw bod rhai disgyblion yn ein hysgolion uwchradd wedi bod yn gwneud ffilmiau byr ac yn eu huwchlwytho ar App Tik Tok tra yn yr ysgol. Atgoffir nad yw disgyblion yn cael ffilmio ar safle'r ysgol heb ganiatâd. Mae'r Awdurdod Lleol wedi gofyn i ysgolion atgoffa disgyblion na chaniateir iddynt uwchlwytho ffilmiau byr anawdurdodedig yn enw eu hysgol.

It has come to our attention that some learners in our secondary schools have been making short films and uploading them on the Tik Tok App whilst in school. Please be reminded that pupils are not permitted to film on school premises without permission. The Local authority has asked schools to remind pupils that learners are not allowed to upload unauthorised short films in the name of their school.

Ym mhob achos, rydym wedi gofyn i ysgolion ystyried sancsiynau priodol ar gyfer y disgyblion hynny sydd wedi ffilmio ac uwchlwytho deunydd amhriodol sy'n cynnwys staff ysgolion a disgyblion tra ar safle'r ysgol. Mae sancsiynau posib yn cynnwys gwaharddiad allanol a gallant gynnwys Heddlu Gogledd Cymru mewn sefyllfaedd eithafol.

In all cases, we have asked schools to consider appropriate sanctions for those learners who have filmed and uploaded inappropriate material involving school staff and pupils whilst on school premises. Possible sanctions include external exclusion and may in extreme situations involve North Wales Police.

Gofynnwn yn garedig i rieni a gofalwyr drafod y mater hwn â'u plant a phwysleisio'r neges hon. Gwiriwch gyfrifon ffonau symudol/cyfringau cymdeithasol eich plant i sicrhau bod unrhyw fideos perthnasol wedi'u dileu. Bydd ysgolion yn parhau i fonitro cyfringau cymdeithasol, gan gynnwys Tik Tok, dros yr ychydig ddyddiau ac wythnosau nesaf ac yn cymryd y camau angenrheidiol.

We ask kindly that parents and guardians discuss this issue with their children and emphasise the above message. Please check your children's mobile phones / social media accounts to ensure any relevant videos have been deleted. Schools will continue to monitor social media, including Tik Tok over the next few days and weeks and take the necessary action.

Efallai y bydd yn ddefnyddiol i chi ymgyswngtu â Pholisi Ffôn Symudol yr ysgol os yn briodol. Efallai y bydd y dogfennau yn eich cynorthwyo a'ch cefnogi chi i wybod fwy am yr App Tik Tok.

You may find it useful to familiarise yourself with the school's Mobile Phone Policy if applicable. The document attached may assist and support you with knowing more about the Tik Tok app.

Rwyf hefyd wedi amgáu rhywfaint o ganllawiau defnyddiol a allai roi gwybodaeth bellach i chi am yr amrywiol apiau y gallai plant fod yn eu defnyddio.

Mae cymunedau cyfan yn wynebu heriau sylweddol ar hyn o bryd, ac rwy'n siŵr y byddwch chi i gyd yn gwerthfawrogi ac yn cefnogi ein hysgolion i hyrwyddo parch a charedigrwydd wrth inni wynebu'r heriau hyn gyda'n gilydd.

Fel bob amser, hoffwn ddiolch i chi am eich cydweithrediad unwaith eto, ac am eich cefnogaeth

I also have enclosed some useful guidance which may provide you with further information on the various apps that children may be using.

Communities as a whole are facing significant challenges at this moment in time and I'm sure you'll all appreciate and support our schools in promoting respect and kindness as we face these challenges together.

As always, I would like to thank you for your co-operation, once again, and for your support.

Yn gywir / Yours sincerely



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