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SCHOOL REPORT

What is social media?

Nowadays many of the people in the world own a phone and they use their phones for calling people and social media. so



Social Media is a way for old friends to reconnect and for people to share what they do through the day.

Most of social media users are aged 11 to 20. There are multiple different social Medias such as Instagram and Pinterest.

However, the most popular with teens is snapchat. Snapchat is an app where you can take cute selfies with filters and look at other people's stories. There has been a lot of controversy with teens being allowed to use social media. Should teens be allowed to use social media?

Many teens have proved that they are too immature to use social media. Many parents all over the UK think that teens should not be allowed to use social media because it can be a hunting ground for trolls and bullies.

Many teens who have social media have experienced being bullied or have been the bully. If you ever see on snapchat, someone asking you to play the letter X game do not play it. This game is when you send someone an X and they give you a name then you have to slag that person off. Many teens see this as an opportunity to be a 'keyboard warrior.'

Teens would argue that they are mature enough to use social media but is it really true? But many of the teens who use social media forget about the important things in life like family and socialising with other people their age. Teens should go outside and communicate with their friends in the real world!

Conclusion



In conclusion, I think that teens are incapable of using social Media without parental supervision and I'm sure many of the parents in the world agree.

Mr Hanley states, "Social Media can be useful for communication but can have a very serious negative impact. Bullying is now easier and can be done from anywhere. As long as it is used carefully and responsibly then it can be a good thing. However, it is important for teachers and parents to be educated about social Media so we know the risks."

We can't stop the popularity of social media, but maybe we can control its negative effects ... be careful on social media.