



CIRCULAR
Classes VI to XII

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Dear Parents

Subject: Control over usage of Social Media and Digital Access by students.

It has been noticed that the present generation of students are indulging in the above and misusing the freedom given to them by the parents. They are also influencing other students to become part of such objectionable activities and it has become a universal problem.

As a precautionary measure, we at JHPS are trying to take steps to spread the awareness among the parents about the dangers of misuse of technology and social media. The school recognizes that access to technology is critical to prepare students for life in the 21st century. Parents and teachers must work together to ensure that students use these resources responsibly. Parents play an important role in setting the standards their children need to follow when using technology, including the internet, in any setting and not to go in the wrong direction.

Adolescents should be made aware of Cyber crimes which include cyber bullying when as student/teacher is tormented, threatened, harassed, humiliated, embarrassed or otherwise targeted by another person using text messaging, email, instant messaging or any other type of digital technology. Students should refrain from posting comments regarding the school, teachers and other students/teachers using Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, Snapchat, Whatsapp, online chatting Apps, etc. These are considered as **punishable offences** which can be avoided by taking preventive measures.

It's a humble request to parents to monitor the usage of devices, internet and Social Media by your wards. It is to be noted that students can also access whatsapp through the browser in desktop/laptop too, despite not using a phone. Please make them aware of Cyber laws and instill in them the importance of Cyber Security and Safety. This will definitely help our students understand the use of Social Media judiciously and keep them away from Cyber crime.

In this regard the school is also taking an undertaking from students to refrain from the misuse of Digital Media. We want the parents also to acknowledge the same by monitoring the child. This is an endeavor to make the children and parents aware of Cyber crimes and to be careful.

Principal