



## Bonneygrove Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers

### **Subject: Responsible Use of Social Media**

As you are aware, there was a police presence at Bonneygrove Primary School on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2026.

This followed an inappropriate post on a social media platform, which led a number of parents and carers to contact the school for clarification. We would like to thank those parents and carers who brought this matter to our attention.

The school contacted the parent responsible for the post and asked that it be removed. Following further discussion, we also sought advice and follow-up support from the police.

While we do not believe the post was made maliciously, its content was inappropriate and caused understandable concern within the school community. I want to reassure you that the children remained safe throughout. Additional safeguarding measures were put in place immediately, and when the police attended, they were satisfied with the actions and processes implemented by the school. They supported the leadership team until the end of the school day.

Please be assured that the school took this matter seriously, acted promptly, and followed appropriate procedures.

For the safety and wellbeing of our pupils, families and staff, parents/carers must not post messages on social media which could cause alarm, spread misinformation, or negatively impact the children and wider Bonneygrove Primary School community.

All parents and carers are expected to think carefully about the consequences of any online post. The impact of such posts can extend far beyond a phone, iPad, computer or personal device, and can cause unnecessary distress.

If you have a concern about school matters, you must raise it directly with school leaders through the appropriate channels, rather than posting on social media.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation.

Yours sincerely

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