Dear Parent / Carer,

Re: Isle of Man Safer Schools App - Parents / Carers

The power of technology is of benefit to us all, but more time spent online by our children can lead to greater levels of risk. As parents and carers, it is important that you know how you can help make your children safer.

The Isle of Man Safer Schools App is free and includes useful advice about making your home and devices safer. It provides information about social media and how to block, mute and report anything that either you (or your child) may find worrying - from images to comments from online bullies. The App will also help you create healthy media habits, limit screen time, learn about scams and keep your personal data safe.

How to access the App

Decide which version to download. If you have children in both primary and secondary school, we'd suggest you download the secondary school version.

Simply follow the steps set out in one of the images below.

Make sure you allow push notifications to keep up to date with tips, advice and guidance on how to make your children and young people safer.

For any queries and for further information and about the App please contact Safer Schools using the details below or using the blue live chat function on the bottom left hand side of website oursaferschools.co.uk.

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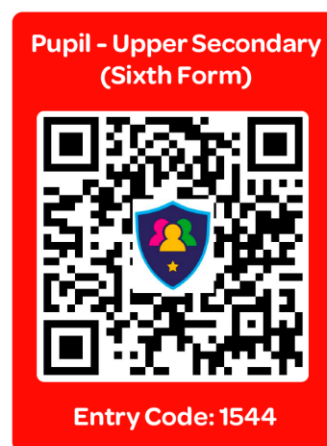
We have also provided you with entry codes and QR codes for the children/young people in your care to access the Safer Schools App. It is your decision whether they receive their access to the Safer Schools App.

Below you will find 4 separate pupil QR codes with accompanying entry codes - each QR code/entry code has been designed for specific age groups.

For instructions on how to download and log in, please see the next page.

Pupil – Primary (KS2)

Entry Code: 9342

Pupil – Lower Secondary (KS3)

Entry Code: 3447

Pupil – Middle Secondary (KS4)

Entry Code: 4898

Pupil – Upper Secondary (Sixth Form)

Entry Code: 1544

Download and Login Instructions

STEP 1
Search 'Safer Schools' and download the App.

STEP 2
When you open the Safer Schools App, you will be presented with the login screen. Here you will see your two options for accessing the App - numeric or QR.

1) Scan the QR Code

First, tap the "Scan QR Code" button (...or just Scan QR on Android...).

Hold your device so the QR code appears in your camera view (you may need to give permission for the App to use the camera). When it scans the code, you will be logged in!

2) Using the Numeric Code

In the "Select your school" section, choose your organisation from the dropdown list and click 'continue'.

Next, simply enter the 4-digit access entry code for your role within the school (parent/carer, staff or pupil).

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