

# Tickhill Estfeld Primary School



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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to inform of a new internet challenge that our pupils are seeing on social media and also online gaming (Xbox Live).

The Challenge is called Momo. It involves a horror character appearing on the screen. This character asked children to accept a challenge, and says it will get them during the night if they refuse. If the challenge is accepted it encourages self-harm and eventually suicide.

The age restriction for most forms of social media is 13, therefore our pupils should not be accessing such platforms.

Please monitor your child's online activity closely as we feel that all parents should be aware of this.

If you have any concerns, please contact the school office and we can offer further support.

Yours faithfully

Mrs A Painter

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