

FR. AGNEL SCHOOL Gautam Nagar, New Delhi-110049



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Sub: MISUSE OF SOCIAL MEDIA BY STUDENTS

Dear Parents and Dear Students,

Whatever you do in private or in public, more so in public, always stays with you, even though you wish that people should forget. There are students in the School who in the Instagram or other social media are publishing memes/comments about teachers, principal, fellow students which is obscene, offensive and hurting others. Please note that under the Information Technology Act 2000 (as amended), this is an offence that can be prosecuted in the Court. If a student is a juvenile below 18 years, he/she can still be prosecuted although he/she will receive a lesser punishment. But in any case, that will go against a student, more so because the School can exercise its authority of recording a remark about that in the Transfer Certificate, if any such action was taken by the School in this matter.

Therefore, my appeal to you is to refrain from putting memes/comments about the teachers and others, which are obscene, insulting and offensive. I specially appeal to the parents to make sure that their wards are not involved in this, because this is a serious issue and can have serious consequences, the least being expelling from the School and the worst being police action. This is an advice. If you follow, it is good for him/her. If you don't follow, please remember that the School has already warned you about the issue.

The moral well-being of the children is a direct responsibility of the parents. You can ensure that well-being by making sure that your child is not involved in any activity that can put him/her into trouble and cause shame and distress to you.

As a School, we care about you and your child. That is the reason why I am writing.

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