

## Circular for the parents of classes VII to XII students

Session: 2023-24

## EKAY/JULY/26 July 31, 2023 **Subject: Social Media Conduct and correct use of technology- reg.**

Dear Parents,

Namaste,

We hope this circular finds you in good health and spirits. As we all know, technology plays an integral role in our lives, and it is crucial that we educate our children about its responsible and appropriate use and also to educate children on social media conduct.

One should have decent, respectful and responsible presence on social media but it has come to notice that some students are misusing social media platforms and posting disrespectful and/or obscene comments about school, other students, teachers and staff members knowingly or unknowingly through their personal/ parents mobile phones, by their or fake identity. Activities like Administrating, Posting, Following and Liking such posts on social media defaming the school and others are <u>PUNISHABLE OFFENCE</u>.

Through this circular, all the students **are cautioned** and defaulters (in particular) **are warned** to understand the graveness of the matter, as it can cause irreparable damage to their own career in terms of **punishment** under the appropriate **Section of Cyber Law**, rustication from the school and may affect them in future for:

- Eligibility to appear in Government Competitive Exams,
- Abroad travel for higher studies, business or job,
- Continuity of studies in the school,
- Passport and VISA application, and
- Character Certificate.

The activities and **identification of the IP address of the Administrator of all such activities may be carried out with help of cyber department.** School will owe no responsibility for the consequences, whatsoever, if somebody is found involved in such cases and activities.

Social media platforms can be valuable tools for communication, creativity, and learning, but they also come with certain risks, especially when not used responsibly.

Parents are requested to guide and counsel correct use of technology and correct social media conduct to their children.

We believe that together, we can create a safe and nurturing digital environment for our students.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation.

Best regards

Principal