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Dear parent/carer

We have been made aware by Humberside Police that there is a new WhatsApp group which young people have been accessing.

They have great concerns over "THESE GUYS ARE BAD" and "ALL THE BAD GUYS" WhatsApp groups as these have been created by school children in the Humberside region.

These groups have over 180 members and the users exchange racist, violent, and pornographic content between themselves.

This has become a problem with local children of primary and secondary school ages accessing this content as a number of unknown Paedophiles are also using these groups to gain access to children.

We do not have any further information at this stage but wanted you to be vigilant.

If you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours faithfully

Mr A Chapman Designated Safeguarding Lead