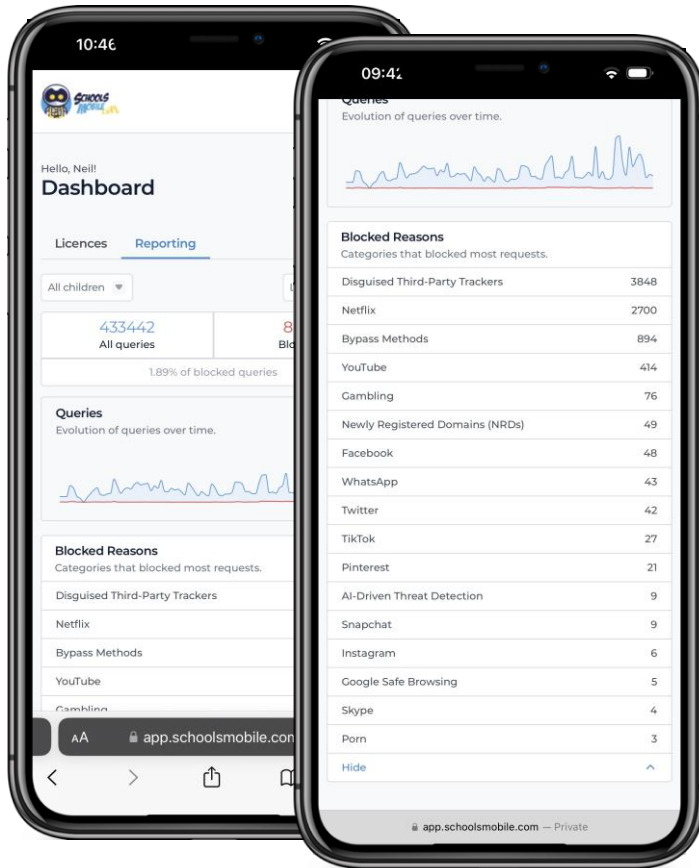**Digital Safeguarding**. Made Simple.

In our rapidly evolving digital age, one of the biggest challenges we face is keeping our children engaged with technology in a safe, balanced and positive way. The internet is such a powerful learning tool but, unfortunately, it comes with an array of apps and risks which can be daunting for parents and educators alike.

SchoolsMobile have developed a user-friendly cyber-safeguarding app. Developed by parents for parents, SchoolsMobile has greatly simplified protection, content and app controls for children's internet-connected devices. The app is easy to install, takes less than 90 seconds and requires no specialised technical or IT skills.

The app provides flexible age-based policies, allowing children to access the internet safely anywhere, anytime there is a connection. These policies include:

Security	in 90 seconds, a whole host of enterprise-grade security measures are implemented to stop malicious attacks from reaching the device…
Category Blocking	blocking inappropriate content including Pornography, Gambling, Dating etc...
Apps & Content	age-based controlled access to all the major apps, e.g. if TikTok has an age restriction of 13+, a 10-year-old should not be able to access it…and,
Chill time	the app introduces periods of the day when children can access their favourite apps and content, e.g. a 13-year old child may have access to TikTok between 3.30pm and 9.00pm.

While SchoolsMobile is an invaluable tool, it's important to emphasise that it doesn't replace parenting, including those essential conversations with children about online safety. Moreover, it complements your existing protection and tracking measures like Google Family Link or Apple Screen Time.

They don't have to do anything wrong to get into trouble.

To illustrate the effectiveness of this innovation, a real-time report screenshot shows the online activity of a 12-year-old girl during weekends and outside school hours.

In the screen shot, you can see the child has been protected from a range of threats, from cyber-attacks to potentially harmful content associated with explicit material, gambling, and social media platforms.

SchoolsMobile will be present at upcoming parents' evenings at St. Mary's CE Primary School on 6th and 7th December. This provides an excellent opportunity for you to explore the app, ask questions, and, if interested, initiate its use promptly. If you cannot wait until then or want more information before the parent evenings, the SchoolsMobile team is also available 8:30am-6pm Monday to Friday on 0333 242 3163 or at info@schoolsmobile.com.