

Squid Games

It has been brought to our attention that there is a new, top-rated series on Netflix called 'Squid Games' that seem to be popular amongst young people. Netflix describes this series as a "South Korean drama in which hundreds of cash-strapped players accept an invitation to compete in children's games."



However this content is NOT appropriate for children. The scenes are graphic, and feature sex, threats of sexual violence, murder, and torture.

If your child has a social media account like TikTok, or access to a Netflix account without restrictions, there's a good chance "Squid Game" could come up on the recommended watch list. We must reiterate the content of this program is NOT appropriate for children.

We understand it is difficult to monitor everything your child sees, especially when it comes to social media. But there are some steps you can take to support your child:

1. Talk to your child about Trends and Challenges on *TikTok*. Encourage them to make sensible choices about what content they watch.
2. Consider the Age Ratings on Social Media Apps and programs they watch.
3. Have open conversations with your children about their online behaviour, ensure they know what to do if they feel unsafe online or feel uncomfortable about something they have viewed.
4. Monitor what your child watches on TV and Streaming Platforms - preview TV shows and movies before your child watches them independently.

If you would like further information about how to keep your child safe online, please see our Online [Safety information](#) on the school website.