Dear Parents and Carers, welcome to April’s Safeguarding letter

**Snapchat**

Parents and students have been noticing that My AI has suddenly appeared on their Snapchat .

This isn’t a Virus or Trojan.



According to the Snapchat, website, My AI is an experimental, friendly, chatbot currently available to users, designed to be a personal sidekick.

In a chat conversion, My AI can answer a trivial question, suggest a gift for a friend's birthday, help plan a hiking trip for a long weekend, suggest what to make for dinner and much more.

This can be confusing for many of our students and currently we are unsure what happens to the information that may be shared with this ‘digital friend’ so we would recommend at this stage that My AI is removed from your child’s Snapchat account.

If you want to remove My AI you can do this, but you have to subscribe to Snapchat Plus.

Once subscribed you swipe right from the camera screen to bring up the chat screen and then press and hold on My AI.

Next, tap 'Chat Settings' followed by 'Clear from Chat Feed' to get rid of it.

Regards Andrew Grant -DSL