

## ISBA WhatsApp Guidance

The ISBA (The Independent Schools Bursars' Association) have just issued their first major Guidance For Schools on how to approach parent WhatsApp groups.

Independent legal advisors Farrer & Co and Classlist provided input. Advice is private to ISBA members but includes:



Risks arising from WhatsApp groups, including inclusivity problems and potential legal / GDPR liabilities for parent administrators and schools



How to communicate risks to parents, set clear behaviour standards, manage sharing of school material, upgrade parent contracts



How alternative platforms can help. Classlist is highlighted as a tailored, specialist product enabling schools to build inclusive, moderated communities

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