

VOX POPS INTERNATIONAL. WHAT IS YOUR FAVOURITE SOCIAL MEDIA? TRANSCRIPT

What's Your Favourite Social Media Platform And Why?

Speaker 1: My favourite social media platform would be Instagram, people that I'm interested in are on that one as well, do you know what I mean, and I really like, oh God, I get sucked into the ads, I'm a marketing dream.

Speaker 2: I think because of my age, probably Facebook, I don't care about the number of friends and all that sort of stuff, it is literally contact with people who I don't see.

Speaker 3: Probably Tik Tok, because it's easy to see, and it's quite easy to block people as well.

Speaker 4: Probably Facebook and Instagram, oh and Twitter, and I'm on Twitter a lot as well. Within the music industry, it's quite nice, because it's almost sort of like an open forum for people to discuss relevant issues and kind of current affairs within the industry.

Speaker 5: I use Snapchat, if that's classed as social media, but apart from that I don't use anything else.

Speaker 6: I guess Instagram, because the memes are top quality, very funny, have a good laugh on there.

Speaker 7: I love visco, it's really like on the low key, a lot of girls are into it, I really enjoy my time on it, which I don't usually get with a lot of other networks.

Do You Think Social Media Should Be Banned For Under 16s And Why?

Speaker 8: Banned is a bit extreme, but I do see the negative effects of it, so if there could be tighter controls maybe that would be good, I don't know how you police it to make it good for everybody.

Speaker 9: No, but it should be much more moderated, because the content can be shocking and they (children) have access to it very early on.

Speaker 10: I don't see why it's a bad idea to prevent children from going on social media too early, I think they can live without it for as many years as possible.

Speaker 11: Maybe under the age of 13. I think it's quite detrimental for young children to see such strict body and beauty expectations.

Speaker 12: The idea of the Chinese version of Tik Tok, where they make everything science based and educational based, is a great idea to get kids started on it, and then maybe as they grow into their young adult lives, they can open up their boundaries a bit more, seems sensible.

Speaker 13: They should not be on there, that's why they have only 13 and up can go on there, but of course you can lie about your age, it's just not a good environment for kids.

VOCABULARY

consequences (noun) - things that happen because of what you did.

detached (adjective) - not feeling close or connected to people or things.

digestive (adjective) - about how your body breaks down food.

fatigued (adjective) - very tired.

fearful (adjective) - feeling scared or afraid.

irritable (adjective) - getting annoyed or angry easily.

muscle (noun) - a part of your body that helps you move.

palms (noun) - the insides of your hands.

sticking (verb) - keeping to something and not changing it.

suffering (noun) - feeling a lot of pain or sadness.

sweaty (adjective) - wet with sweat, often from being hot or nervous.

tense (adjective) - feeling tight or not relaxed.

tension (noun) - a feeling of stress or worry.

time constraints (noun) - not having enough time to do something.

visualizing (verb) - making a picture in your mind.

waist (noun) - the middle part of your body above your hips.

wallet (noun) - a small case used to carry money and cards.