

Ask.fm is a social networking site that enables its users to ask and answer questions. Most of the time these questions are asked anonymously. This anonymity has allowed Ask.fm to become a haven for cyber bullies who are able to target their victims without the fear of being discovered. In fact over the past couple of years there has been a number of national stories about how the negative use of this site has resulted in tragic events, and yet still it seems that the site is not prepared to protect its users.

We are aware that a number of students at Presdales have accounts. We strongly recommend that students **do not** use this site where possible and, if they do, they follow the attached guide, put together by Herts Grid for Learning, to help stay safe.