ABSTRACT

The purpose of this study was to determine the interpersonal communication of parents and adolescents in dealing with TikTok media anxiety. This research uses a qualitative descriptive carried out in the form of a case study. The research results obtained are very important by applying the five dimensions of interpersonal communication. In terms of openness to communication, parents and children are not completely open in using Tik Tok media. But parents still give empathy to their children. In establishing communication between parents and children, they have given a positive attitude and provided good explanations regarding the use of Tik Tok media. Whereas in a supportive attitude that parents do for their children, that is, they still control the use of Tik Tok media. In terms of equality in communication, parents are more dominant in conveying their opinions to children.

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