**Children Should Be Allowed To Use Smartphones**

Children should be allowed to use Smartphones. Smartphones can be helpful, useful, handy etc. Here are the statements for children should use Smartphone.

Imagine a child in the city with his/her parents. They have no mobile phone. Suddenly, they end up lost. They are alone in the vast, populated, extremely busy city, with no way of calling their parents for help. Imagine if that poor, helpless, lost child was you. How would you feel? How would your parents feel?

If a child doesn’t have a mobile phone, but their friends do, they may feel left out. They would feel upset, excluded and dejected; therefore, their lives would be worse. They would constantly feel gloomy and depressed. It has been scientifically proven and well known that people cope better when they are happy.

 A Smartphone can almost do anything. Children would feel one hundred times safer with a mobile phone than without one.

**Children shouldn’t be allowed to use Smartphones**

 If a child had a mobile phone they would be most likely to be constantly on it, texting, playing games, sending pictures etc. Many accidents that have happened have been because of mobile phones. Car accidents: the majority of car accidents have been caused by people answering texts and losing control of the car, therefore crashing. Also, if you were walking in the street, staring at your phone may be harmful. Being addicted to your phone may cause you to walk into someone or something, hurting you or someone else.

Cyber bullying is a huge problem. If a child gets cyber bullied, they will worry about it so much that they will start falling apart (not literally!). Smartphones can be extremely dangerous and unsafe. Another thing linking with cyber bullying is hacking and viruses. Pop up ads are so dangerous. By clicking on a link, you may be letting a hacker or a virus into your phone. Remember, if it looks too good to be true, it probably is. Go with your gut feeling.

When children get a phone, a part of them turns silly. Basically talking, they might post something crazy or inappropriate. You need to be responsible. That’s why I think children shouldn’t be allowed to use Smartphones.

**NOTE:** **You have to write any one from these two whichever you like.**