Smoothwall Solutions Brochure
Prevention & Enablement

Smoothwall **Filter**

Unparalleled, 100% real-time filtering, designed from the ground up for UK education. Trusted by 1 in 3 schools.



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About
Smoothwall Filter

Smoothwall Filter is in a class of its own. It provides the safest filtering possible whilst allowing students the richest, online learning experience - with no compromises on either side.

We call this balance SafeLearn and it's the highest standard of filtering in UK education.



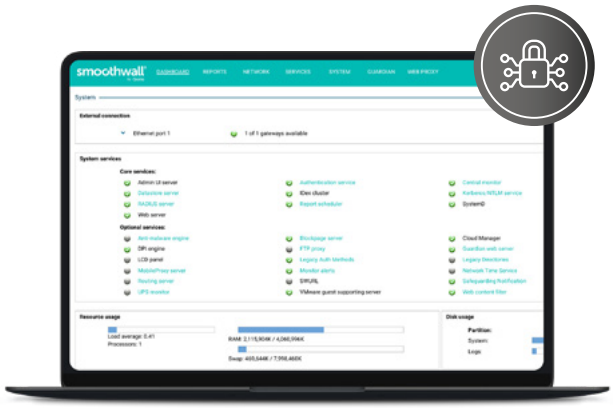
Trusted by 1 in 3 schools, Smoothwall Filter is part of our Prevention & Enablement suite of solutions. It's available for on-premise, cloud or hybrid deployment.



How it works

Smoothwall Filter is unlike any other filter in education. It assesses the permissibility of a web page, not by referencing published blocklists, as with some Filters, but by evaluating its content, context and construction at the point of request.

This means harmful content is blocked the second it goes live. The hours, days, weeks and sometimes months required by other filters to recognise and block inappropriate content, (time in which children may see it), is a non-issue with Smoothwall. Students are protected in 100% real-time, all of the time. No matter the content, no matter when it went live.



Smoothwall Filter also comes with deep granular controls enabling schools to determine who sees what, where and when enabling safe, age appropriate online experiences for every student in every education environment.



Smoothwall Filter features & benefits

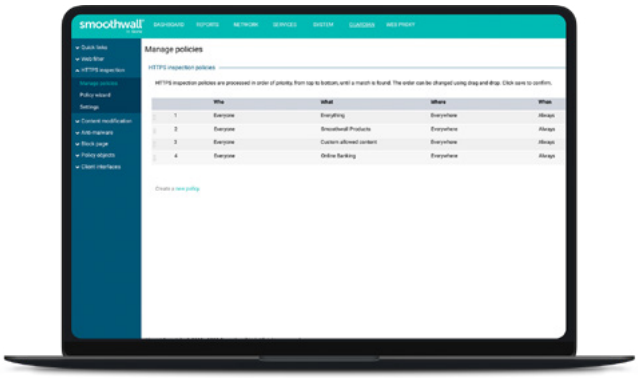
Highest possible safety:

✓ **100% real-time, dynamic content analysis**
Assesses and permits web pages at the point of request. Inappropriate or harmful content is blocked the second it goes live. Students are protected at all times.

✓ **Notifications and reports**
Notifies of incidents across 7 category rule sets, enabling prompt attention. Enables reporting on search behaviours by individual or groups to support incident investigations and education.

✓ **Supports BYOD**
Provides filtering across public Wi-Fi and guest mobile devices securely on the network and across all platforms. Meaning students' own devices are fully filtered too.

✓ **Works behind HTTPS**
Detects harmful or malicious content that is hidden, including behind Secure Socket Layer (SSL) and secure anonymous proxies.



Richest possible learning:

✓ **Social media controls**
Provides flexible tools to remove inappropriate content from social media sites while permitting read-only access for students' research and learning.

✓ **Who, what, where and when**
Enables tailored policies based on user group, content category, time, location IP, subnet and hostname for mobile devices and laptops. Allows students safe, age/time appropriate online experiences regardless of device or location.

✓ **Easy management**
Offers intelligent bandwidth management to allow media and file sharing in class/school with minimum impact on existing services. Learning is not impeded in any way.

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harnessing the power of connection

Peace of mind for IT:

- ✓ **Multi-OS support**
  Available on Chrome OS, Windows, macOS and iOS devices.
- ✓ **Choice of deployment - on-premise, cloud, or hybrid**
  Works with your preferred IT environment.
- ✓ **Reports and alerts for student wellbeing**
  Easily create, generate and schedule tailored reports for pastoral care and administrators.

"Smoothwall provides the ability to apply different filtering rules to different age groups in a superbly simple format. It's a very useful product for me to have!"

Systems Manager
Torquay Boys' Grammar School

Peace of mind for leaders and DSLs:

- ✓ **Full incident reporting**
  Reports on 100% of data for a full contextual picture around any safeguarding incident.
- ✓ **Device protection - all of the time**
  Features apply on all devices, in school, at home or in between. Students are consistently protected.
- ✓ **Control student VPN access**
  Includes a range of measures to detect, remediate and alert for students' attempts to bypass controls.

Windows chrome mac OS



"Smoothwall Filter allows us to centrally manage web filtering, whilst giving each school a level of individuality."

IT Operations Manager
Bourne Education Trust

Smoothwall Filter's role in our Digital Safety and Wellbeing Framework



About our Framework

Our Digital Safety and Wellbeing Framework enables school leaders to explore our solutions as they apply to the three most common pillars found in health and safety planning:

1. Prevention 2. Early detection 3. Education.

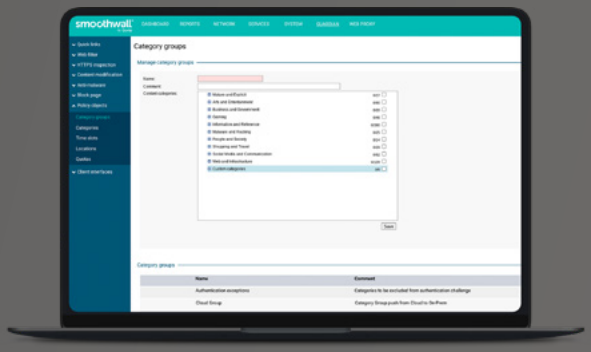
Schools can use this, supported by our Smoothwall team, to identify their priorities and plan the steps needed to achieve a more efficient and robust provision of care.

Our Framework is also a useful way for school leaders to keep abreast of the types of solutions available to them in the market. It also helps them better understand the role each of them plays and how they combine to build a digital wellbeing culture across the whole community

none of us is as powerful as all of us

The role of Smoothwall Filter

Smoothwall Filter sits in the Prevention & Enablement part of our Framework. It is the first line of defence in helping to prevent young minds from seeing inappropriate, harmful or dangerous online content. And to do so whilst enabling a full and rich learning experience with no absolutely no overblocking.



More information

Get in touch

To learn more about Smoothwall Filter including a demo please contact **Upgrade Options.** They are waiting to help.

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Smoothwall is part of Qoria, a global technology company, dedicated to keeping children safe and well in their digital lives. We harness the power of connection to close the gaps that children fall through, and to seamlessly support them on all sides - at school, at home and everywhere in between.

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