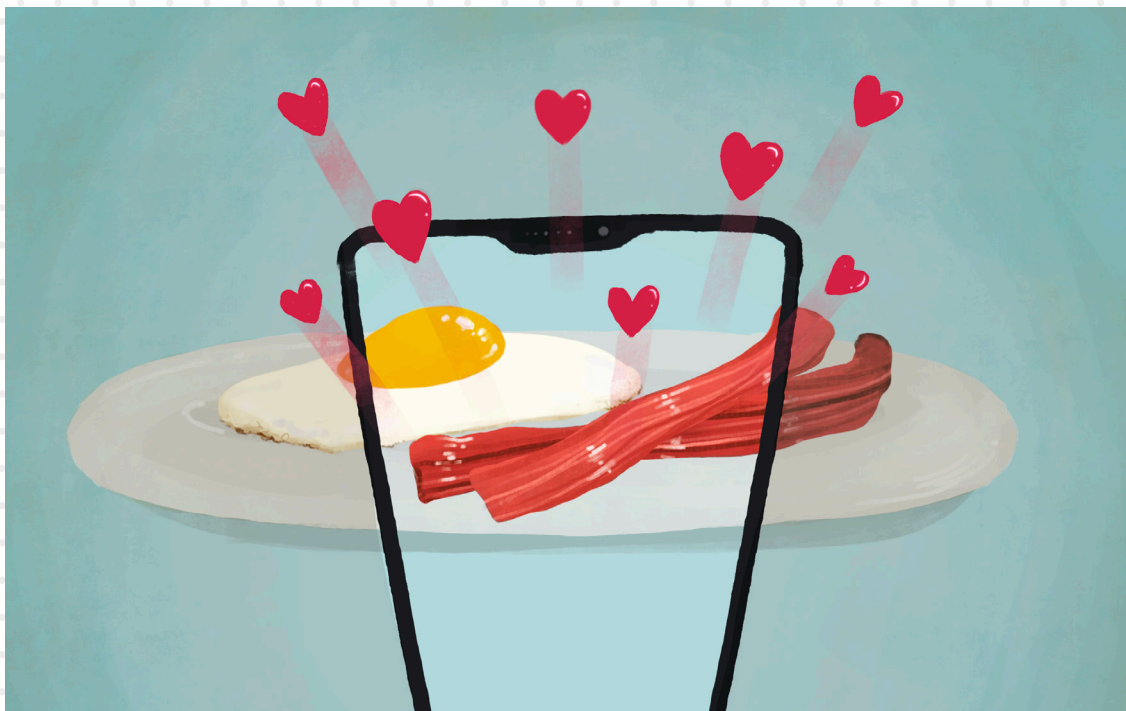


Story Bones – Filter This!



Max' mother is managing his Instagram account. She filters reality, making it look much better than it really is, to gain more followers for both Max and her.

At school, the other students and the teacher are interested in Max, but only because he has so many followers and gets to eat great food.

Life reaches its peak when the world-famous influencer "Starfish" starts following Max.

But then, Max and his mother lose access to the account. A hacker has taken control of it and removed all the filters from the photos. The mother is furious. The number of followers descends rapidly.

The classmates and the teacher turn their backs on him, mocking him.

Except for one girl who shows that a normal life can also be something truly special, and she even posts pictures on her account without editing them at all!

Playing Possibilities - Make groups of students choose their own

- Create an Insta-Reality Flipbook": Pupils create two drawings per page: "What it looked like on social media" and "What it looked like in real life". Bind them into a class flipbook or zine titled "Truth Behind the Posts".
- Pupils take or draw one "unfiltered moment" from their day and share it with the class. No edits, no filters — just something real and meaningful (e.g., messy breakfast, broken toy, helping a sibling).
- Pupils design a board game where players navigate situations (e.g., post this or not? react to a hate comment? edit your photo?) and earn points for honesty, kindness, or self-care.
- Pupils roleplay an interview between Max and the influencer Starfish — after the account gets hacked. Bonus: Create a "follow-up post" from Starfish promoting authenticity.