A Step by Step Guide to report Hate Speech & Fake News on various Social Media Platforms

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Some Facts

- ✓ 230 million or 70% of Indians are active social media users

- ✓ On average, Indian users spend 2.4 hours on social media a day

- ✓ 97% of Indians who are connected to the internet watch videos online, therefore Videos works better.

- ✓ Facebook is the most popular social network in India

   Source: **Social Samosa**

- ✓ 52% of Indians use Facebook as a source of news.

- ✓ India has the 3rd largest number of fake followers on Instagram after the US and Brazil.

- ✓ 18% of social media users in India look at Twitter as a source of news.

- ✓ All prominent Social Media Platforms are being misused to spread hate speech and fake news despite having stringent policies.

FACEBOOK

- 2.5 billion monthly users Globally
- 303 million active users in India

TWITTER

- 330 million monthly users Globally
- 7.75 million active users in India

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INSTAGRAM

- 1 billion monthly users Globally
- 155 million active users in India
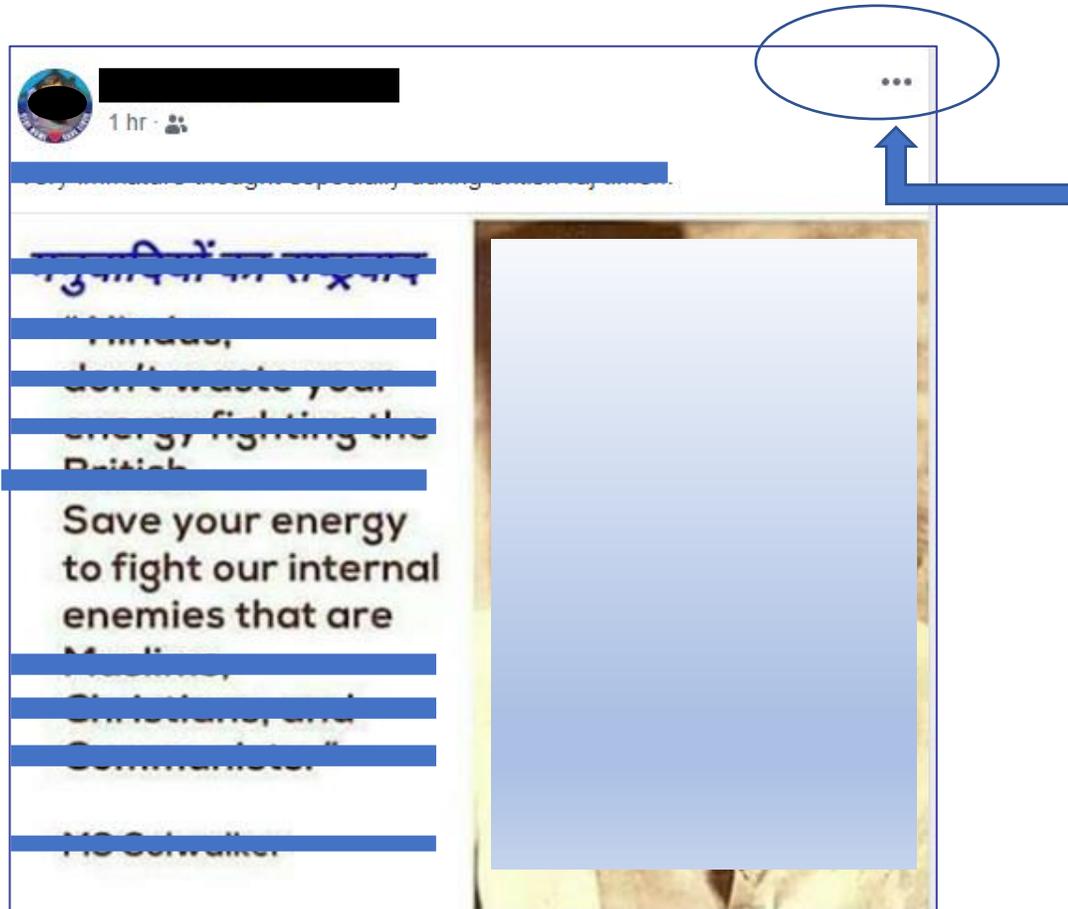
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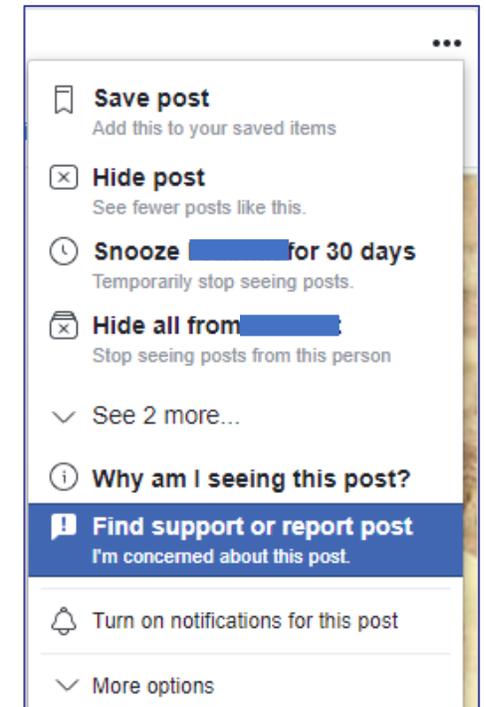- 2 billion monthly users Globally
- 265 million active users in India

How to report Fake News and Hate Speech on Facebook?

**Save your energy
to fight our internal
enemies that are**

1. Click at the three dots that are there at the top right corner of every post on the Facebook

2. A drop box menu appears on the screen. Like this

🔖	**Save post** Add this to your saved items
⊠	**Hide post** See fewer posts like this.
🕐	**Snooze** ▥▥▥▥▥ **for 30 days** Temporarily stop seeing posts.
⊠	**Hide all from** ▥▥▥▥▥ Stop seeing posts from this person
⌄	See 2 more...
ⓘ	Why am I seeing this post?
❗	**Find support or report post** I'm concerned about this post.
🔔	Turn on notifications for this post
⌄	More options

The Picture and the content is hidden to ensure privacy and safety of the user and not to hurt of anyone's sentiments

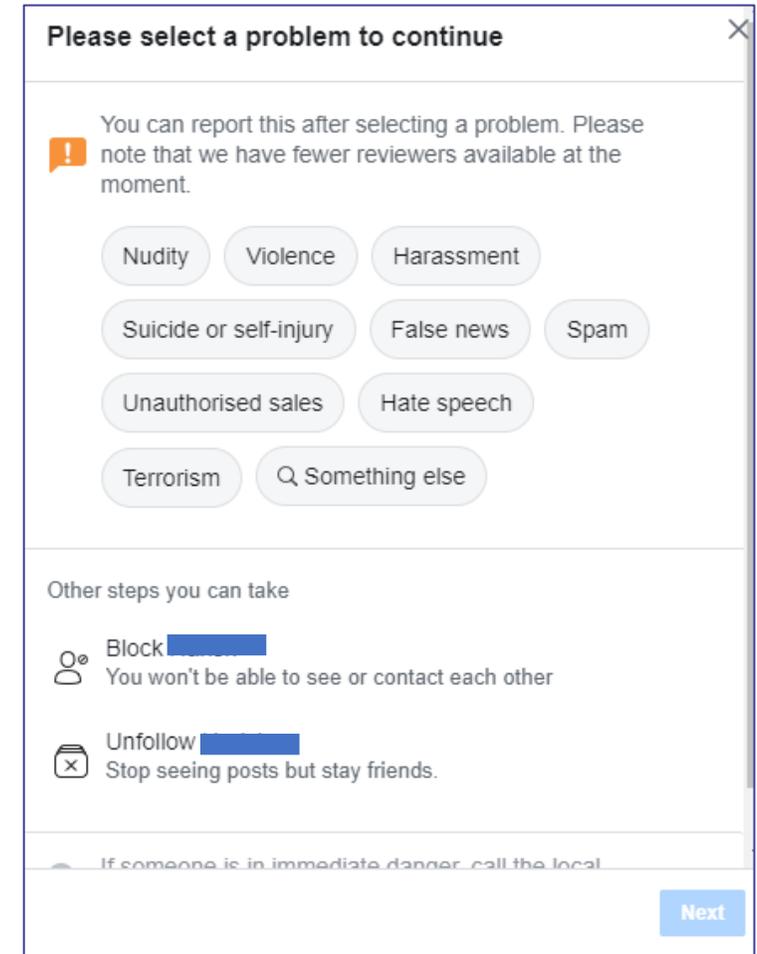# How to report Fake News and Hate Speech on Facebook?

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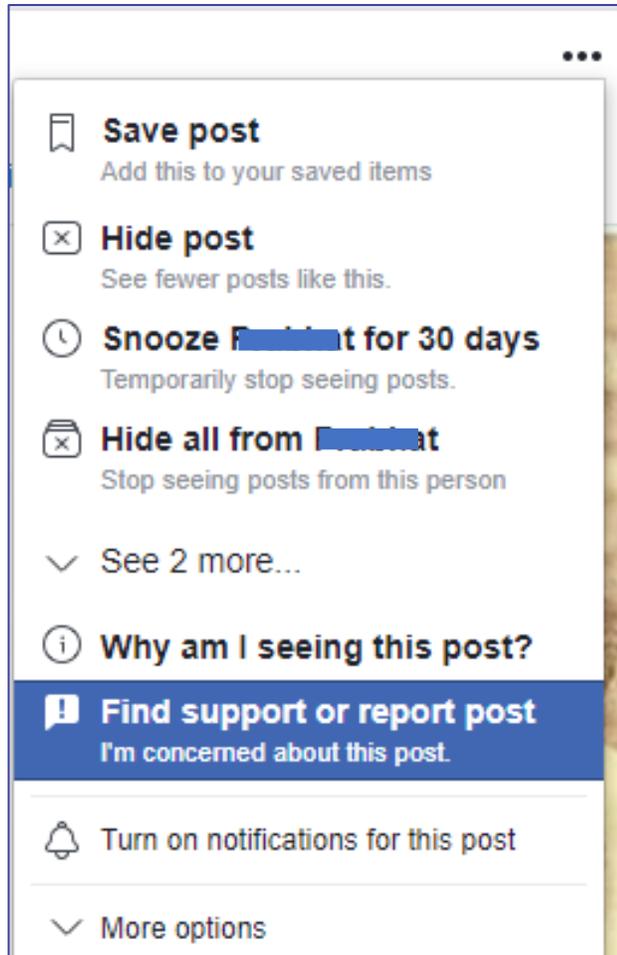
3. Click on Find Support or report post. The moment you click on any option, it gets highlighted in blue colour.

4. And a window appears on the screen. Like this

Please select a problem to continue

You can report this after selecting a problem. Please note that we have fewer reviewers available at the moment.

Nudity   Violence   Harassment

Suicide or self-injury   False news   Spam

Unauthorised sales   Hate speech

Terrorism   🔍 Something else

Other steps you can take

Block █████
You won't be able to see or contact each other

Unfollow █████
Stop seeing posts but stay friends.

If someone is in immediate danger, call the local

Next

5. Select the appropriate problem. For illustration purpose, we have selected Hate Speech. The moment you click on a particular problem it gets highlighted in blue colour and a secondary menu appear on the screen. Like this

6. Select the appropriate option. For illustration purpose, we have selected Religious affiliation. The particular problem gets highlighted in blue colour. Click Next button
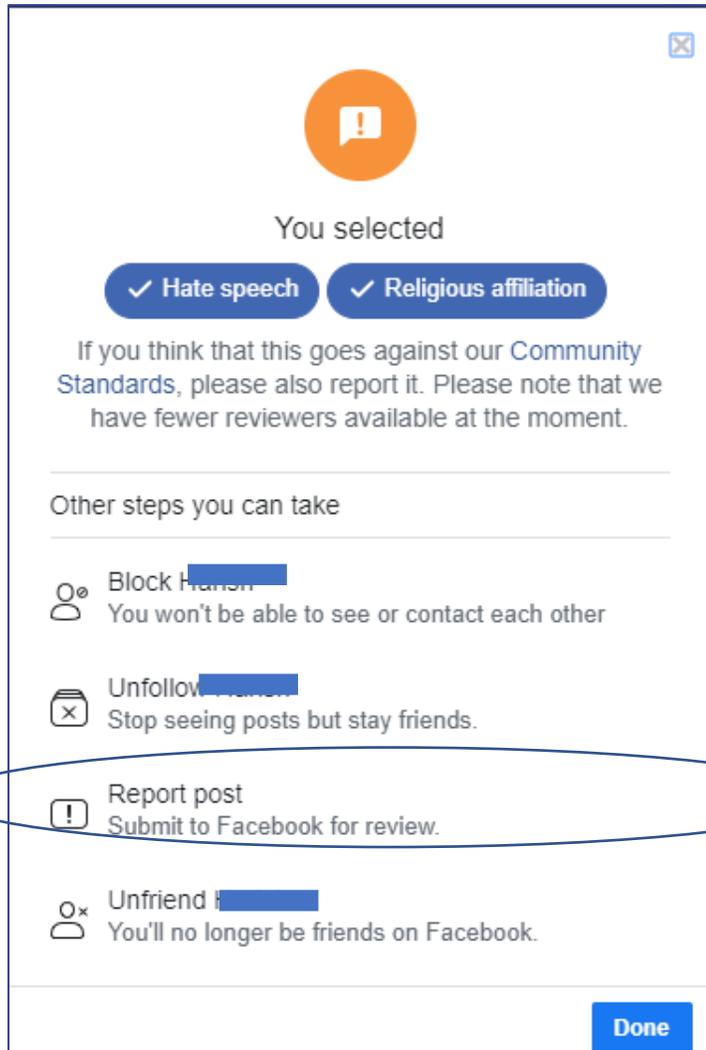
7. Reconfirm the problems you have selected. Facebook also gives option to Block, Unfollow or unfriend the particular user.

8. Click on Report Post. The Post will be submitted for review to the Facebook.

Please note that Facebook keeps on updating its policy and changes are made in the algorithms. A few more confirmatory questions can be asked before you are able to submit the report.