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# What's coming to Monitor

## Filter Context feature

Filter Context brings filtering and safeguarding intelligence together in one place. It automatically analyses and condenses Smoothwall Filter data into a clear, heatmap-based timeline that appears directly within Monitor's Alert page.

DSLs can immediately see the most relevant URLs a student accessed in the six hours before and after a Monitor alert—clearly marked to show whether content was blocked—without needing to request reports or interpret raw logs.

## Customer Academy

Monitor's brand new Academy is a library of courses and videos available directly in the product itself. Easy-to-understand, self-serve training modules help all users get the most out of Monitor.

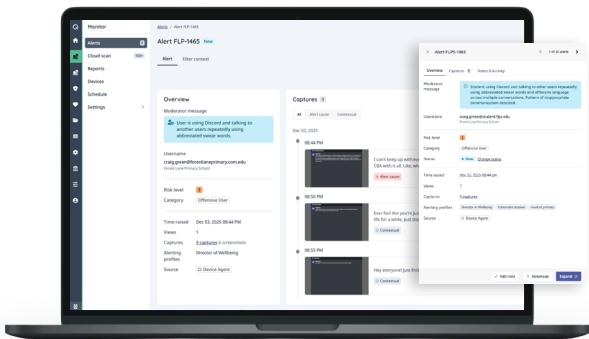
We want to make it even easier for new Monitor users to get up and running as soon as they first log in, and for our existing users to get to know exciting new features and functions straight away. The courses are designed to be taken whenever users have time, so they don't interfere with their busy schedules. Users can also return to the content any time they need to refresh their knowledge.



## Brand New User Interface

Monitor's refreshed interface makes student safety information simple, clear, and actionable. Customisable dashboards, unified student data, and smooth, personalised workflows let users quickly see patterns, spot urgent issues, and take confident action. Because speed and clarity matter.

Monitor's refreshed experience removes the friction—fewer clicks, faster insight, and instant access to the details that matter most. It's built to help users get answers in seconds, not minutes, so they can move from alert to action quickly.

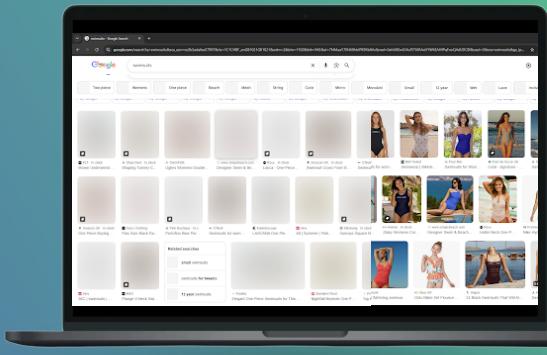
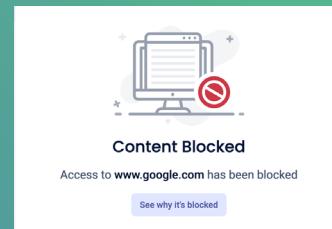


# What's coming to Filter

## Image & Video Blurring

Smoothwall Filter's new features expand its real-time filtering capabilities beyond text analysis to include a broader range of content. Image and Video Blurring adds another layer of protection by risk assessing imagery and video content on individual web pages, saved in drives, embedded in online documents or attached to emails.

It will blur only those images or sections of a video identified as potentially harmful, so students are able to access a greater volume of safer content for a better learning experience. Working in real time as part of the core Smoothwall Filter means there is no delay between harmful content going live and Filter's ability to block it. Students are protected in real time, all the time.



## New Dashboards

Smoothwall Cloud Reporting now shows an overview of filtering activity across an education setting, with the last 7 days displayed as default when users first log in. This holistic view of the data enables users to spot any trends and quickly understand where their attention is needed - freeing up more of their time to focus on what matters.

## Beyond Browser Filtering

Smoothwall Filter now goes beyond the browser to protect students wherever learning happens. With Windows Filter Backstop and the Filter App for Android & ChromeOS, education settings gain consistent, whole-device filtering across browsers, apps, and operating systems - without compromising safeguarding standards or restricting how devices can be used.

# More information

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## Get in touch

If you would like to find out more about any of Smoothwall's new features, arrange a demo, or ask any questions, please get in touch with our team of digital safety experts.

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