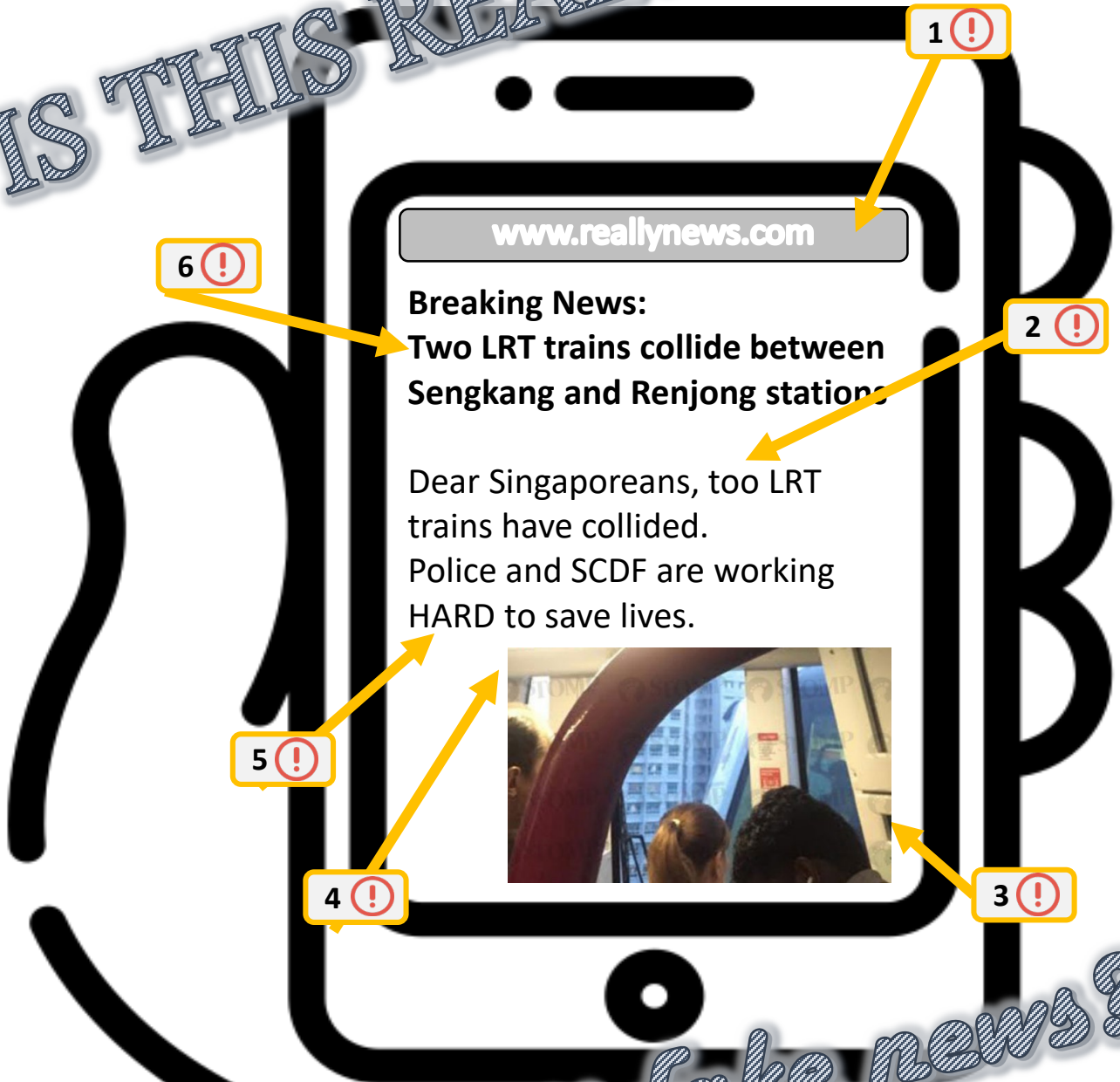




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Or is it fake news?

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4. Anonymous or unknown author 5. Unnecessary capitalisation 6. Sensational headline

Recognising Fake News!

Source. **U**nderstand. **R**esearch. **E**valuate.



Check the source.
Is it credible?
Is it reliable?



Investigate thoroughly.
Compare with Multiple sources.



Look for facts and not opinions



Look from different angles.
There are at least two sides of the story.

Fact Checking Using Multiple Sources

FAKE NEWS

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Fact Check using:

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