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Digital Citizenship Basic Lessons

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Abstract: Digital Citizenship Basic Lessons.

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Digital Citizenship is one of the international standards for students, educators, administrators, coaches, and computer science educators to rethink education, nevertheless, the language used to present the concept to students has not been sufficiently developed in a holistic manner or with a multi-stakeholder approach. Seeking to bridge the cultural and language barriers that divided the student communities from the academic research communities. The Long Branch Virtual Expert Discussion for Student Leadership reach out to Cristo Leon to present his ideas about some basic lessons to share and discuss with their students. Amongst the challenges that the local communities in New Jersey face are: access to the internet, infrastructure, low income, lack of communication, and cyberbullying to mention just a few. The main goal of this talk is to open the discussion about Digital Citizenship and motivate the future leaders of tomorrow to take action today.

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*Why understanding
Digital Citizenship will
help serve yourself and
your community?*

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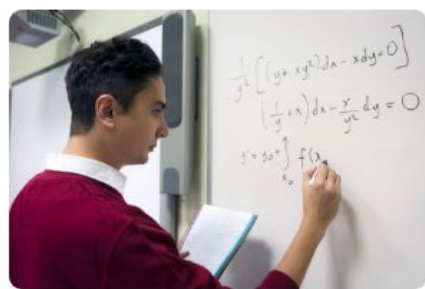
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What is Digital Citizenship?



In the simplest terms, Digital Citizenship is being safe, savvy, and ethical (Curran, 2016).

Curran, M.. (2016, May). *Lessons On Digital Citizenship From Charlie Brown*. Youtube. Retrieved from <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JvDGGceA-0A>



Safe

Savvy

Ethical

*International Society for
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Education (ISTE)*

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EXPLORE THE STUDENT STANDARDS

1 Empowered Learner

Students leverage technology to take an active role in choosing, achieving and demonstrating competency in their learning goals, informed by the learning sciences.

VIEW INDICATORS



2 Digital Citizen

Students recognize the rights, responsibilities and opportunities of living, learning and working in an interconnected digital world, and they act and model in ways that are safe, legal and ethical.

CLOSE



2a Students cultivate and manage their digital identity and reputation and are aware of the permanence of their actions in the digital world.


2b Students engage in positive, safe, legal and ethical behavior when using technology, including social interactions online or when using networked devices.

2c Students demonstrate an understanding of and respect for the rights and obligations of using and sharing intellectual property.

2d Students manage their personal data to maintain digital privacy and security and are aware of data-collection technology used to track their navigation online.

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International Society for Technology in Education. (2018, September 26). ISTE Standards. Retrieved September 26, 2018, from <https://www.iste.org/standards>



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Safe

Legal

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What is the problem?

*Do you know someone
that has suffered
Cyberbullying?*

Lessons learned



Skipping stones



Lines in the sand



The golden rule



Reputation and Character



Never give up



***Lesson 01: It's like
skipping stones. Every
choice we make causes
a ripple effect.***



***Lesson 02: It's not like
drawing lines in the
sand. It could stay in
the internet forever.***

Always be Kind
Have a Good Attitude
Never Give Up

Walter Swan

Everyone around you
is rooting for you.
Don't give up!

Lesson 03: Use the golden rule: Treat others the way you want to be treated.

T
H
I
N
K

T = Is it true?

H = Is it helpful?

I = Is it inspiring?

N = Is it necessary?

K = Is it kind?

Lesson 04: Develop you character

CHARACTER

is like a tree and reputation
like a shadow. The shadow is
what we think of it;
the tree is the real thing.

Abraham Lincoln

*What you do when you
think other people are
watching you...*

That is your reputation!

*What you do when you
think nobody is
watching you...*

That is your character!

*We need to think and
act at a local, global
and digital level
simultaneously.*

Lesson 05: Never give up



Focus on the positive stories, you can help others became Active Digital Citizens

Final Words

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*Be the leader that we
need now*

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