

Digital media Simile

Digital life similes:

- My digital life is like a window on the world, because it allows me to see all kinds of new things and imagine other possibilities.
- My digital life is like a roller coaster, because it's exciting and full of ups and downs.
- My digital life is like a party where I meet a lot of different people, because it feels loud, out of control, and yet fun.



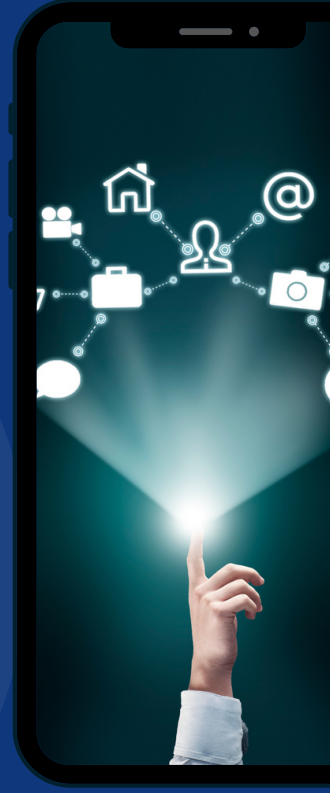
Media balance

Using media in a way that feels healthy and in balance with other life activities (family, friends, school, hobbies, etc.)

Digital citizenship: thinking critically and using technology responsibly to learn, create, and participate



My Digital Life Is
Like ...



What is the role of digital media in our lives?

WHO'S LOOKING AT YOUR DIGITAL FOOTPRINT?

Our digital footprints can have a powerful impact on our future. This can be a scary thought, given that what's in our digital footprint isn't always in our control.

Students need to learn that their digital footprint is an opportunity to showcase the best and build a footprint that leads to future success.



DIGITAL FOOTPRINT



All the information online about a person either posted by that person or others, intentionally or unintentionally



DIGITAL REPUTATION

What people think about you based on what they see online (social media, public information, news, etc.)

PROTECTING ONLINE REPUTATIONS

How can you respect the privacy of others online?

Hate speech

An attack using any form of communication targeting a person or people because of a group they belong to -- race, gender, religion, ability, sexual orientation, etc.

Hate speech has existed for a long time, but in recent years, there's been an increase in how much it appears online. 64% of teens say they have encountered it at least "sometimes" compared to only 43% in 2012.

**WE ARE KIND
AND
COURAGEOUS**

Countering Hate Speech Online

HOW CAN WE COUNTER
ONLINE HATE
SPEECH AND XENOPHOBIA?

As humans, we thrive on social connections and group associations. But this tendency can also lead us to be suspicious of people outside our group. This fear -- xenophobia -- can be overcome by more exposure to people who are different from us. However, the internet can often make this more difficult.