

Is the Internet Killing Communication

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- Clary: Today, we are going to share our views on communication. Nowadays, young people use the internet to communicate with each other. Personally speaking, juveniles are preoccupied with their phones to communicate with each other.

- It is not uncommon to see that there are lots of phubbers on the street. They keep on using their phone while they are walking. What do you think about teenagers' communication? Do you think it is a phenomenon to use phones to communicate in this day and age?

- Jeremy: If you ask me, I would say you are absolutely correct. They use the internet to communicate with each other. For example, they use some useful applications like whatsapp and email.

- They are constantly in fear of lagging behind when compared to their peers and they hope to keep abreast of them. It seems that some of you would like to share some comments, am I right?

- Ken: Yes! To my way of thinking, they have no choice but to use the internet to keep in touch with each other. They are reluctant to have face-to-face communication with others. That's why they sometimes tremble when visitors approached them with simple questions.

- Jeremy: You guys are right! The internet is one of the prevailing means of communication these days. So why don't we move on to whether the Internet improves or kills communication? Well, frankly speaking, the internet offers an expedient method to communicate but

- it still kills the transmission of messages, for the reason that the internet segregates one and another. For example, our feelings may not be fully transmitted through words and recipients may interpret them wrongly. Thus, the conveying of message is unsuccessful.

- Ken: Yes! You are right. It actually blocks face-to-face communication and they are losing the chance of interacting with one another. Well, we can't deny it, everyone clutches onto their phones to message but they leave out the real communication.

- Clary: Right, we see everyone taking out their phones on the street, and we can't deny that the internet is killing communication. In point of fact, students should also be aware of the perilous traps on the internet. What advice do you think should be given to students on using the internet?

- I think that using the internet is definitely not an injurious activity by nature, yet surfing the net is not completely safe by all means. I personally think they should set longer and more complicated passwords. So what is your advice? What do you guys think about it?

- Ken: How true it is! In reality, for the sake of their own personal safety, they should not visit unknown websites. And I think they should set the parents as the administrators, but not young people.

- Clary: To handle the problem, schools and the society should give young people a helping hand through teaching the correct ways of using the internet. For example, teaching them the proper use of phones and the internet, and ways to guide them in disciplining themselves.

- Jeremy: It is reminded when the internet is utilized, it is significant for different parties' concern, namely schools and parents, to look into the feasibility of teaching students how to use the internet correctly.

- Ken: That's true. Using the internet appropriately is a vital skill in the current day society, as it is a crucial communication tool in our daily life.

- However, they should also not forget to strengthen their interpersonal skills, so that the use of the internet does not hinder face-to-face communication.

Thank you!