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Let's Be Good Digital Citizens!

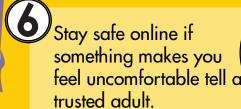


Digital Ci izen PASSPORT

Pay Attention...

We are digital citizens when we interact with others using the internet. We use tablets, computers, and cell phones to play games, listen to music, read nice stories, and learn new things.

Pay attention to the following rules that will help you and others have a great experience on the internet.





Treat others with respect.
We are kind just like we would be if we were in the same room with the person. (do not cyberbully)



If you see something strange or too good to be true always ask an adult.



Balance your time doing several activities.



Anything you type or post can be seen by your parents, teachers, friends and strangers. It cannot be taken back once posted.



Friends should be people you know. You don't communicate with strangers online.



Not everything on the internet is true.



Protect your personal information. Always ask an adult before giving information such as your full name, birthday, phone number, address.



Do not copy or steal other people's property (e.g. illegally download music and movies, copy someone else's work and put your name on it.)



Do not tell others your passwords.





Get your Passport!

Do you know how to be a good digital citizen?

Take the quiz to f ind out!

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Example:

Philip put his password in a safe place where other people could not find it.

Was Philip being a good digital citizen?



Sarah was frustrated with her friend so she wrote mean things on her blog about her. She thought her friend could not see her blog.

Was Juanita being a good digital citizen?

Yes No

Juanita spent an hour on her iPad playing on WILD. She then decided to go outside and play on her swingset.

Was Juanita being a good digital citizen?

Yes

No

Philip was playing a game online when a child named Kam messaged him. Philip did not know Kam but he decided to talk to him because he likes making new friends.

Was Philip being a good digital citizen?

Yes No

Jomo found this fun new website with so many exciting games. The website asked him for his birthday and address. Jomo went and asked his mom to come look at the website.

Was Jomo being a good digital citizen?

Yes

No

Ren's friend wanted to sign onto his account. Ren wrote down his password and gave it to him.

Was Ren being a good digital citizen?

Yes No

Emma was playing a game online when a box popped up and said that she won two free passes to her favorite amusement park. Emma got so excited and she went to click on it! Then Emma remembered what her teacher said about seeing strange or too good to be true things on the internet. Emma went to get her dad. Her dad said that is was fake and that he was glad she came to get him.

Was Emma being a good digital citizen?

Yes

No

Jomo was doing an animal research project on cows. He found a great article on cows so he copied and pasted it into his paper and did not cite the author's name.

Is Jomo being a good digital citizen?

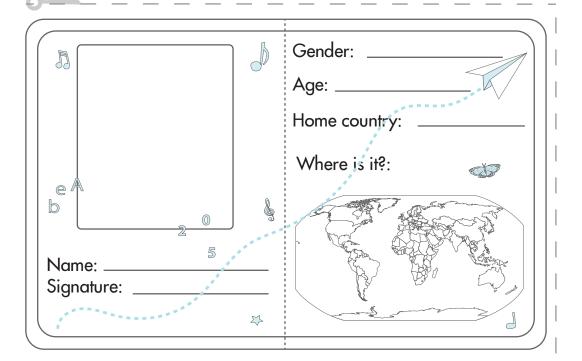
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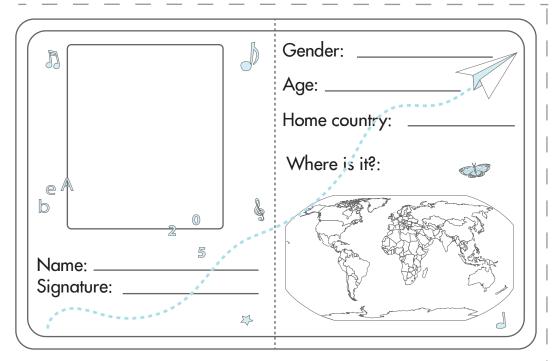
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After students complete the Digital Citizenship Quiz they earn the digital citizen passport! Print the following page to obtain the passports. Each page has two passports. You can place a photograph of each student in the box or you can have the students drawa self portrait. Help students fill out the rest of the information and then cut it out and fold on the dotted line. Students now have their own digital citizen passport!











Digital Citizens Answer Key

Here is a quick answer key to the Digital Citizenship Quiz. Please note we have provided a chart to show which rules correlate with which questions. This provides an easy way to know which digital citizenship rules you may need to reteach.

Answer Key

	No

2 Yes



4 Yes

5 No

6 Yes

7 No

Rules Chart

Quiz Question	Rule
	1, 8
2	2
3	3
4	4
5	5
6	6, 7, 9
7	10