

DIGITAL LITERACY CURRICULUM



STUDENT'S WORKSHOP INAPPROPRIATE CONTENT



Inappropriate Content – How to be Safe in Reality?



- Don't accept rides from friends without telling a guardian first.
- **Always** say no if a friend offers you drugs or cigarettes, especially if you're underage.
- Do the **smart** thing. Using drugs puts your health, education, family ties and social life at risk.

Is it also important to keep safe online and why?

Inappropriate Content – What is Cyber Safety?



Cyber Safety refers to practices and precautions you should observe and consider doing when using the Internet, so as to ensure your personal safety.

Inappropriate Content – Is Cyber Safety Important? (ACT 2)



Activity 2 (Group Work)

- List 8 online threats.

Inappropriate Content – Workshop Objectives



- Inappropriate content – definition.
- Different forms of content.
- Without seeking it, how could someone run into inappropriate content online.
- Discussion starter (ACT 3).
- How harmful can it be?!
- Different factors on which we base our judgment.
- Is it inappropriate or Illegal for all?
- So, what's our problem?
- Let's List the different Kinds of Inappropriate Content (ACT 4).
- What we can do?
- Wrap up (ACT 5).

Inappropriate Content – Definition



Inappropriate content is that which breaches norms or standards on social, religious, cultural or other grounds.

Important!

Inappropriate doesn't necessarily mean illegal.

Inappropriate Content – Different Forms of Content



Inappropriate Content – Let's List The Different Kinds Of Inappropriate Content (ACT 3)



Activity 3 (Group Work)

- List all the different kinds of inappropriate content that you may get exposed to online.

Inappropriate Content – Without Seeking, How Could Someone Run Into Inappropriate Content?



- Unexpected results from online searches i.e. Google.
- Clicking wrong links or pop-up.
- An Upsetting comment on a social networking site.
- Mistyping a website address.
- Unmoderated chat rooms.
- Video Sharing sites and forums.
- Gambling or pornography sites (out of curiosity).
- Violent or pornographic images.

We should stay away from that!

Inappropriate Content – How Harmful Can It Be?



- Changes your mindset.
- Misleads you.
- Hurts you feelings.
- Deceives your mindset about religion.
- Takes you in the wrong direction!

Be Careful!

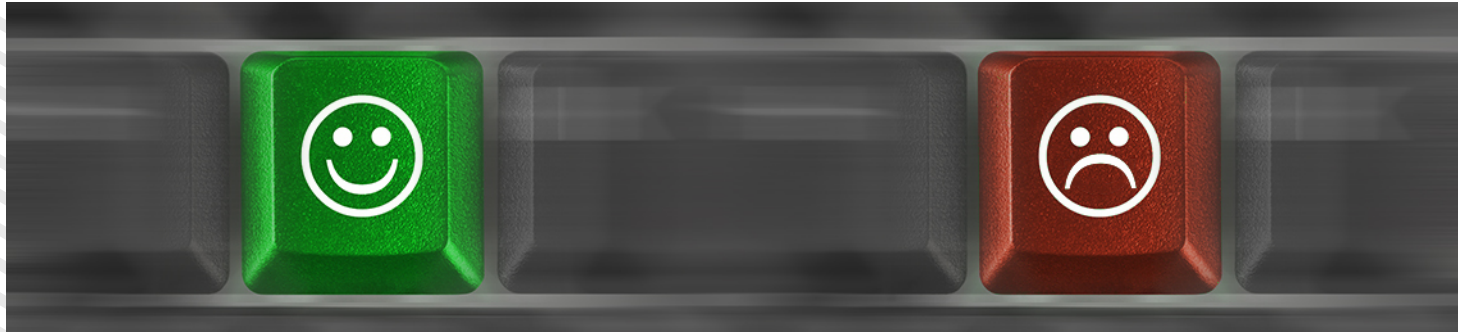
Inappropriate Content – Discussion Starter (ACT 4)



Activity 4 (Class Discussion)

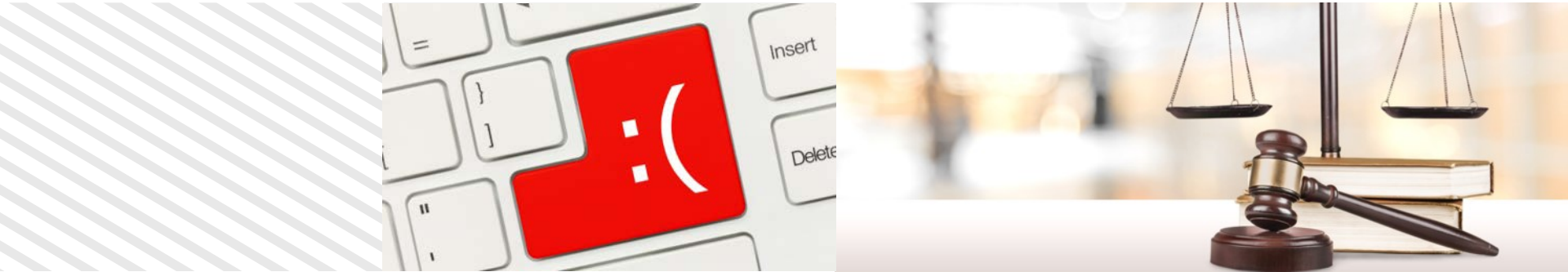
- What would you do if you come across a hate website regarding a specific religion?

Inappropriate Content – Different Factors On Which We Base Our Judgment



- Culture
- Age
- Religion
- Individual Sensitivity
- Previous experience with different kinds of content.
- Regulations in our country.

Inappropriate Content – Is It Inappropriate Or Illegal For All?



- Illegal content in some regions may not be illegal in others, and hence, they can not be removed.
- Inappropriate content may be appropriate for some cultures.

Inappropriate Content – So, What's Our Problem?



- There are tons of inappropriate sites that are being added online everyday.
- There is no way we can do anything to block that.
- We can easily get exposed to inappropriate content these days through ads, TV programs, third party sites.

Inappropriate Content – What We Can Do?



- Evaluate Site content:
 - Is it a reputable site.
 - Does it provide useful information.
 - Is it relevant and appropriate to your age.
 - Does it have contact information available for reach.
- Enable Safe Search on Search Engines i.e. Google.
- On Social Networking sites, report inappropriate comment or post to the site administrator i.e. on Facebook.
- Enable Safety Mode on YouTube.
- Don't open links from people you don't know.

Inappropriate Content – Wrap up (ACT 5)



Activity 5 (Mind mapping)

- Brain storm the topic.

Inappropriate Content – Any Questions?





Thank you

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