

ELEMENTARY PRINCIPLES OF DIGITAL CITIZENSHIP

How can we utilize our time spent in the classroom to promote online safety for our students?



COMMUNICATION

Anything shared online follows the same rules as face-to-face conversations - if it isn't good to say, it isn't good to post. As a class, create guidelines about what kind of communication is appropriate. Remind children to keep personal details about family and friends private.

RIGHTS & RESPONSIBILITIES

All children should be safe and welcome in the online community. Respecting the opinions, ideas, and creations of others is as necessary in the digital world as it is in the classroom. Remind children to treat others as they would like to be treated.



Safe Space

The classroom setting is a safe space for children to learn digital citizenship tools that they can utilize for the rest of their lives.



Practice makes Perfect

Learning in a classroom gives children the opportunity to receive feedback about mistakes and then a chance to grow and improve.



Working Together

MInecraft Education offers collaborative lessons on principles of digital citizenship for students to utilize as they work.