SOCIAL MEDIA

Is social media good for our society?

Pros

Cons

Social Media gives people a sense of community that supports in-person relationships.

- Online relationships do not affect in-person relationships.
- Social Media establishes a place for students and teachers to have a relationship outside of school.
- Social Media can support businesses with advertising to inform people about upcoming interviews or internships.

Social media gives more access to bully people.

- Over half of teens believe companies need to do more to stop cyberbullying.
- Because of cyberbullying people of all ages become subject to self-harm and depression.
- Social media can influence global impacts that can potentially be a threat to a place.

Social media expands responsibility in civics and politics.

- Social media is now becoming a place where people can express their opinions.
- Presidents are using social media to connect with others in and outside of the U.S.
- Social media gives people access to advertise events and boost the message.

Misinformation is more likely to occur with social media .

- Echo chambers support the flow of misinformation.
- Misinformation is flourishing because users are less likely to fact check it.
- Human biases play a significant part because people are more likely to react to content that is identical to their beliefs.

Social media plays a part in diversity offline and online.

- People can meet others on social media that share the same beliefs or goals.
- Creating an online work community can help support a business as different employees and customers can come from different backgrounds.
- People are more comfortable exploring different cultures online because they are less likely to face judgement.

Using social media increases the risk of privacy across the internet.

- Social media is another way of everyone's data being compromised
- Gathered information from social media could be used to deny employment or insurance.
- It has been proved that companies harvest sensitive data about individuals.

- Social media can help us find people with similar interests and identities.
- Today many youth use digital platforms to express the opinions and civic identities.
- Most people say that networked games and social media establish life-long relationships with friends and family.

- When cyberbullying occurs the receiver of it is more likely to skip school and be less productive.
- Identity theft is more likely because of insecure privacy.
- Social media messages cam enforce violence and other dangerous happenings.

Social media is not good for our society because there's too many factors that make it dangerous for civilians. Social media is dangerous because misinformation can be spread, personal information can be leaked, and threats can made via the Internet. To conclude, I believe that social media is just another way of our lives getting ruined.

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