

Definition



Digital Literacy is having the interest and ability to appropriately use digital technology and communication tools.

What does it mean to be digitally competent?

A digitally competent person is a confident and responsible user of a wide range of digital technologies for learning, at work, and for participation in society.





Five areas

Information and data literacy:

Organise digital data, information and content.

Judge the relevance of the source and its content.

Communication and collaboration:

Interact, communicate and collaborate through digital technologies.

Manage your digital presence, identity and reputation.

Digital content creation:

Create and edit digital content.

Safety:

Protect devices, personal data, and privacy in digital environments.

Problem solving:

Identify needs and problems and be able to resolve situations in digital environments.

Keep up-to-date with digital evolution.





Examples of knowledge, skills and attitudes





1. INFORMATION AND DATA LITERACY

With help from an employment adviser, I can:

- Identify—from a list—job portals that can help me look for a job
- find these job portals on my smartphone app store, and access and navigate between them.
- identify keywords that are useful for me from a list of generic job-seeking keywords in a blog on job hunting







2. COMMUNICATION AND COLLABORATION:

At home with a helpful family member, I can:

- identify how and where to organise and keep track of job ads in a job App* on my smartphone
- retrieve those ads in the App when I am actively job-seeking

(*e.g. indeed.com)







3. DIGITAL CONTENT CREATION:

Helped by my teacher, I can:

- use a video tutorial from YouTube provided by my teacher to create a digital animated presentation to present my work to my classmates
- use my textbook to identify other digital methods to help me present my animated digital presentation to my classmates on the interactive digital whiteboard







4. SAFETY:

With guidance, I can:

- differentiate simple ways to avoid health risks and threats to physical and psychological well-being while using digital technologies
- select simple ways to protect myself from possible dangers in digital environments
- identify simple digital technologies for social wellbeing and social inclusion







5. PROBLEM SOLVING

With guidance, I can:

- identify simple technical problems when operating devices and using digital environments
- identify simple solutions to solve those problems







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