

Digital Citizenship at SIDE



SIDE students are good digital citizens. This means you are respectful, responsible and safe in your online interactions, both inside and outside of school. Guidelines for being a good digital citizen at SIDE are outlined below.

Digital responsibility

- Pause and reflect before sharing anything online; the internet has a long memory (and so does Webex and Moodle).
- Choose an appropriate profile picture.
- Understand the potential impact of your online actions on both yourself and others.
- Adhere to ethical guidelines, respecting intellectual property and online etiquette.

Online security

- Safeguard your personal information; not everything needs to be public.
- Always sign in to Webex using your Department of Education (DoE) details.
- Utilise strong, unique passwords to protect your accounts. Never share your DoE log in details.
- Promptly report any concerning or harmful online activities and seek assistance if needed.

Respect and consideration

- Treat your peers online as you would in person—respectfully.
- Choose your words thoughtfully in texts, comments, and discussions.
- Appreciate diverse perspectives, even if they differ from your own.

