

The positive effect of the Internet on education

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The internet is a neutral space that provides an enormous amount of information. Unfortunately, it can also be used for bad things, such as cheating, but it can also be used for good things, such as improving the quality of students' education. Grammarly, Google Classroom, and Google Docs are examples of sites that improve these students' educational quality. The Internet's positive impact on education is undeniable; its vast abilities, including problem-solving, research, and grammatical corrections, can dramatically improve students' education.

The internet's role in problem-solving is not just about providing answers but about empowering students with the tools to tackle challenges head-on. Sites like YouTube or Microsoft Copilot are examples of this. Microsoft Copilot can empower a student struggling with a math assignment to see where he's going wrong and how to solve the equation correctly. These sites won't just give the students the answers. Instead, they will show them how to get to the correct answer, instilling a sense of confidence and capability. These sites are also suitable for students struggling to find a tutor at challenging times. Instead of waiting until the next day, they can watch a video or drop the question into the prompt of Microsoft Copilot and receive feedback or help on a question quickly. However, it's important to note that the internet can also be misused. For instance, a student might use a tool like Microsoft Copilot to get the answer to an assignment without understanding the process. This misuse can undermine the internet's educational value and compromise students' learning experience. Therefore, students will cheat to get better grades on easy assignments but struggle to do well on tests. Even though students use the internet to cheat, they still need it to do research and make grammatical corrections.

Educators are crucial in guiding students to use the internet responsibly and effectively for research. The internet is indeed a treasure trove of sources, but it's the educators who help students navigate this treasure trove. By providing students with a database of reliable sources, educators can enhance the quality of their research and the efficiency of the teaching process, making them an integral part of the learning journey.

The internet's role in enhancing students' writing skills is crucial to its impact on education. It is a tool for parents, offering quick examples and more extensive explanations for words in their children's papers or other writings. Apps/sites like Grammarly have features that help correct grammatical errors and enhance students' writing skills, providing parents with the peace of mind that their children are developing critical academic skills and progressing in their education. Parents play a significant role in guiding their children's internet usage, ensuring they use it responsibly and effectively for their education. The internet is a supportive partner in the educational journey, giving parents confidence in their children's learning. Despite the positives of Grammarly, it can be overly relied on. For example, international students use Grammarly to fix their sentences instead of learning what is wrong with them. Therefore, international students don't learn grammar rules or how to revise these sentences independently.

In conclusion, the Internet's positive impact on education is undeniable. Its vast abilities significantly enhance the learning experience, from problem-solving to research and grammatical corrections. Tools like Microsoft Copilot and the wealth of resources available for research and writing skills development make the Internet an invaluable asset in education. Some sites, such as Grammarly, can be used to help with grammatical errors. Despite the potential for misuse, the positive effects of the internet on education are profound and promising.

Text to a Friend

Hey ☐

Hey ☐ ☐, what's up

Idk not much

thinking about how technology positively affected education

ok

the internet is a space that holds an enormous amount of info.

Yea, everybody knows that

Whats new

The use of Grammerly

Its used for spell-checking and help with sentence structure

Yea, I use Grammarly and I believe it s better than word or google docs spell check

Me too, what you think about AI

☐♂☐

It's a good tool

What do you think

I think AI is a good tool, it can positively affect students' education

I know bro

Yeah, like it can be used for problem solving

Imagine you were stuck on a assignment and there was no tutor around or teacher.

Yeah that have happened before and I was just screwed

Okay

So then imagine that you had something like Microsoft copilot and you google the problem and learned how to solve the problem as well as what the answer is

That would be great

But, you forgetting the bad that the internet and AI can cause

I'm gonna get to that point bro ☐

So, AI and the internet can cause problems with students education by them just copying the answers

Or by them just using it to cheat on all assignments and papers

Then there needs to be some type of regulations for AI in schools

Well, I disagree

The internet is important for all types of things, like research, and regulations can block people from accessing that information.

Well research is one thing and using it to get answer is another thing

Again, the internet can provide resources through databases, online, e textbooks, journals, and articles

Well research is one thing but using the internet or AI to get answers is another thing

Yeah

Teachers and school administrators can set up ways to block students' access to certain sites and apps, using lockdown browsers to prevent them from using those sites and apps.

They at least did that in my high school

But that only on school computers or laptops, they give you

When they are at home, nothing is stopping them from doing it on another device or by using two devices to get answers.

Well that's what the honor code is for

Well that will mean the school is up to date with what sites or apps are being used to cheat with

They will also probably need punishments for using AI

I'll figure that the punishment for breaking the honor code is that they will be suspended or expelled.

Do you agree

I do

Well talk to you later

Talk to you later bro