

7 Habits of Digital Citizenship

- **Be Proactive:**

I can choose my responses to others online & take responsibility for myself. I understand that the whole world is watching.

- **Begin with the End in Mind:**

I can make smart decisions: I will never give out my personal information online. I will always ask my parents.

- **Put First Things First:**

I can do my homework or other chores first and then I can ask my parents if I can play on the computer.

- **Think Win-Win:**

When I am on the computer, I can solve problems by communicating politely & appropriately with others.

- **Seek First to Understand, Then to be Understood:**

I can listen to and understand more than one point of view. I can understand that my parents and teachers will have rules about my computer time.

- **Synergize:**

I can learn from others online.

- **Sharpen the Saw:**

I can balance my computer time with other positive elements in my life such as family time, reading, recreation and work, etc.

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