



***Educational Technology
Readiness***

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Free Resources

Select a Digital Citizenship Curriculum

Schools can select one or more digital citizenship curricula to follow. Ideally the teaching of these lessons would occur across the teaching staff and throughout the school year.

Free Curriculum Resources:

[Common Sense Education's Digital Citizenship Curriculum](#)

[EverFi's Ignition - Digital Literacy Curriculum for Wellness and Safety](#)

[Google's Be Internet Awesome](#)

[PBS Learning Media Digital Citizenship](#)

Paid Curriculum Resources:

[BrainPOP Jr. \(Grades K-3\) Internet Safety Lessons](#)

[BrainPOP Digital Citizenship Curriculum](#)

[iSafe Digital Citizenship Curriculum](#)

[The Common Sense Recognition Program](#) provides the latest teaching strategies and ensures those who participate receive well-deserved credit for their work. A Common Sense [Educator](#), [School](#), or [District](#), will learn to lead responsible and effective tech use in their school communities and build their practice along the way. It's free to participate in this program.

Know Your Resources

Here are some resources that can help teachers as they incorporate more technology into their teaching and learning.

[Supporting Digital Citizenship During Remote Learning](#) – Tech & Learning Magazine

[How to Teach Digital Citizenship](#) - Tech & Learning Magazine

[Digital Citizenship in the Online Classroom Checklist](#)

[Digital Media Guidelines for Remote Learning](#)

[Extending Classroom Management Online](#) - Edutopia

[Digital Citizenship Lessons for the Coronavirus Pandemic](#) - A series of lessons particularly important during the time of remote learning.

[Remote Learning Guidance Series](#) - Explore strategies and best practices in these 20-minute sessions.

[Educators and Social Media: Avoiding the Pitfalls](#) - In this webinar, Common Sense Media will share strategies for helping teachers use social media in ways that benefit their students, schools, and themselves.

[Do's and Don'ts of Social Media for the Classroom](#) - Learn how to keep student information confidential on social media.

[How to Get Kids Ready to Video Chat for Online Classes](#) - Short article with helpful tips on how to prepare students for online learning.

COVID-19: Upcoming Grants...

Hundreds of companies are offering assistance to schools during the COVID-19 crisis.

TheJournal.com has a resource page dedicated to these COVID-19 grants and resources. [Please see the list of grant opportunities here \(includes daily updates\).](#)

[BetterLesson Matching Grant Program](#)

Sponsor: BetterLesson

Award: \$30,000 to \$150,000 in matching, in-kind awards

Number of Awards: Up to 30

Application Deadline: September 4

[Code Games](#)

Sponsor: XPRIZE Connect

Award: Cash prizes of \$1,000 to \$2,000, with multiple awards available for each entrant

Number of Awards: Not specified

Application Deadline: October 14

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[MicroGrant Program for Educators & Teachers](#)

Sponsor: Educators of America

Award: Equipment (varies by request)

Number of Awards: Not specified

Application Deadline: Ongoing (Quarterly: January, April, July, October)

[Mobile Beacon Connect for Success](#)

Sponsor: National Education Association Foundation

Award: Up to 25 laptops and 4G LTE hotspots with free 4G LTE high-speed Internet service for 12 months

Number of Awards: Not specified

Application Deadline: Ongoing (quarterly)

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[American Honda Foundation STEM Grants](#)

Award: \$20,000 to \$75,000

Application Deadline: Feb. 1 and Aug. 1 for new organizations; May 1 for returning organizations

[NEA Foundation Learning & Leadership Grants](#)

Award: \$2,000 or \$5,000

Application Deadline: Feb. 1, June 1 and Oct. 15 of each year

[SparkFun Community Partner Program](#)

Award: STEM/STEAM-related prize packages, event and team sponsorships and other types of support

[Adopt a Classroom](#)

[Brinker International Grants](#)

[Brown Rudnick Community Grants](#)

[Corning Foundation Grants](#)

[DonorsChoose.org](#)

[Michael & Susan Dell Foundation Grants](#)

Award: No more than 10 percent of an organization's annual operating expenses or 25 percent of the total budget for the project being funded; awards have ranged from the hundreds to the millions of dollars.

[Naiku Innovative Teacher Grant](#)

[Sony Grants for Education](#)

[TAF Project-Based Learning Grants for Grades 6–12](#)

Award: Two categories: Up to \$5,000 and more than \$5,000
Application Deadline: Up to \$5,000 awarded on a rolling basis; Feb. 1 deadline for applications for more than \$5,000

Online Teaching Resources...

Zoom:

<https://msu.zoom.us/profile>

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Zoom Basics:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LV8sBX6vAVE&feature=youtu.be>

<https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/115003322603-Zoom-Rooms-Display-Options>

<https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/115004802843-Side-by-Side-Mode-for-Screen-Sharing>

https://mediaspace.msu.edu/media/Zoom+Tutorial+for+WRAC+Instructors/1_i66ne61n

WRAC/CAL: Creating Online Spaces

https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1MUw2H5EAF2IqBYHqQ49HalVmzqznAQY8v0KWGzXBxGTU/edit#slide=id.g81580e1dd1_0_0

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1p6Ur-539X_zl5ueuel78VkaAiMW3dFZt

<https://tech.msu.edu/about/guidelines-policies/keep-teaching-guide-to-moving-classes-online/>

<http://edtech.cal.msu.edu/remote-teaching/intro-to-remote-teaching-workshop/>

ELi:

<https://elireview.com/support/lms/msu/>

<https://elireview.com/2020/03/02/an-invitation-from-eli-about-covid-19-prep/>

<http://www.owicommunity.org/2020-owi-symposium.html>

Online Teaching Resources...

Other Resources:

<https://teachingresources.hcommons.org/a-guide-to-online-teaching-in-the-humanities/>

<https://theconversation.com/the-7-elements-of-a-good-online-course-139736>

<http://crookedtimber.org/2020/03/14/josh-dipaolo-answers-questions-about-online-teaching/>

Online Discussion Tips:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1gsukCtYIhe-PyofkdsIG6wUxytmkYg4XGIL9wlgoaSE/edit>

<https://community.acue.org/blog/a-game-changer-in-accountability-using-online-discussion-boards-even-in-face-to-face-classes/>

<https://philosopherscocoon.typepad.com/blog/2020/03/new-series-how-to-teach-online-fritz-mcdonald-on-the-basics-of-teaching-online.html>

<https://community.brightspace.com/s/article/Changing-from-classroom-to-online-courses-during-the-COVID-19-virus-outbreak>

<https://assayjournal.wordpress.com/2020/03/07/rapid-response-pedagogy-resources/>

<https://aoir.org/aoirresourcesonlineteaching/>

<https://www.edugeekjournal.com/2020/03/10/an-emergency-guide-of-sorts-to-getting-this-weeks-class-online-in-about-an-hour-or-so/?fbclid=IwAR2weO7GxPPH5fhNrt7Mpv0AEu6PmD2DoBEopXNdlh36X6t5XtLAQ6ojXfA>

<https://www.techrepublic.com/article/the-best-elearning-platforms-for-online-courses/>

<https://www.d2l.com/resources/webinars/product-tour-how-to-master-student-assessment-with-brightspace/>

Online Teaching Resources...

Howard Rheingold:

<https://www.patreon.com/posts/34833092>

<https://www.patreon.com/posts/some-tips-for-ed-34742477>

Creating Effective Screencast:

<https://www.cultofpedagogy.com/screencast-videos/>

Tech Tools (Miro):

<https://miro.com//remote->

[collaboration?utm_source=twitter&utm_medium=cpc&utm_campaign=remote_collaboration&utm_content=illustration](https://miro.com//remote-collaboration?utm_source=twitter&utm_medium=cpc&utm_campaign=remote_collaboration&utm_content=illustration)

<https://userbitapp.com>

Tech Tools (Adan):

[Public Lands, Virtual Classrooms: Teaching a Digitally Networked Field Course
– Innovative Learning and Teaching: Experiments Across the Disciplines]

<https://open.lib.umn.edu/innovativeteaching/chapter/pedeltysmartphones/>

Tech Tools (Mattern):

<http://wordsinspace.net/shannon/teaching/sorting-things-out/>