



Group Work

(Dubai Group)

Name: _____

Objectives	To Express and justify your opinion To evaluate your partner's opinion according to a rubric
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2 min

1- What do you think of social media? Justify your answer.

Express your opinion by speaking, writing, and/or drawing.

- Listen to your classmate's talk about social media and evaluate his talk according to the following rubric.

1- The response has a clear opinion	2- The response has supporting details
3- Information is in a logical sequence.	4- Applying grammar skills

3 min

2-Directions: Read the following paragraph about social media then respond to the following question.

How is social media helping people?

If we are to look at **the positive aspects of social media**, then we will get numerous advantages. People use social media for multiple reasons like **seeking employment, communication, or getting advice**. Social media has also proven to be **a very useful device for education**. Thanks to social media that someone sitting in India is also able to access the contents of someone posting from America. Another perk that social media provide us is that **it allows companies to promote their brands**.



Give your opinion

- Use sequence words to organize your ideas like **firstly, secondly and thirdly**.
- Use linking words like **because, so and for example** to connect your opinion and reasons.

First reason

First reason

Second reason

Third reason

Restate your opinion

Directions: Drag and drop the following sentences into its suitable places in the graphic organizer.

- Finally, in my point of view social media helps people in many ways.
- Secondly, it is a useful tool for advertising.
- Firstly, social media helps people communicate.
- In my opinion, social media has a lot of advantages.
- Thirdly, students use social media in distance learning.

My Opinion Writing Rubric

I introduced my opinion clearly.	
I supported my opinion by reasons.	
I supported my opinion by an example.	
I used linking words to organize my ideas	
I ended by restating my opinion.	
I revised my writing for punctuation, grammar and spelling mistakes.	

Use the following website to enrich your vocabulary.

<https://www.thesaurus.com/>

Homework:

Use your graphic organizer to write a paragraph expressing your opinion about the impact of social media on people. Use the following link to get more ideas about social media.

<https://coschedule.com/blog/benefits-of-social-media-marketing-for-business>

Glossary

Numerous: a lot of
Employment: To have a job
Perk: An advantage
Promote: To encourage and support