

Global communication has become faster and easier thanks to modern technology. In the past, people wrote letters and waited weeks for a reply. Today, emails and instant messages allow us to connect in seconds. Social media platforms help us share ideas, photos, and news with millions of people worldwide. However, this rapid communication also has disadvantages. Some people spend too much time online and forget about face to face conversations. Others may believe false information spread on the internet. Therefore, it is important to use technology responsibly, balancing online and offline communication.

Task 1. True or False

Read the text and mark T(true) or F(false) :

1. In the past, people used letters to communicate.
2. Emails allow us to connect in seconds.
3. Social media helps people share ideas.
4. Technology has only advantages.
5. Some people spend too much time online.
6. It is important to balance online and offline communication.

Task 2. Matching

Match the words with their meanings:

- Communication. Sharing information
- Platform. A system or service
- Responsible. Careful and sensible
- Instant. Happening immediately
- Disadvantage. A negative side
- Worldwide. All over the world

Task 3. Fill in the blanks

Complete the sentences using words from the text:

1. In the past, people wrote ____ and waited weeks.
2. Today, ____ and instant messages connect us quickly.
3. Social media platforms help us share ____ and ____.
4. Some people believe ____ information spread online.
5. It is important to use technology ____ .
6. We must balance ____ and ____ communication.