

**Group Work****(Dubai Group)**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Objectives</b>	To Express and justify your opinion To evaluate your partner's opinion according to a rubric
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**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

**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****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>

**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/>