# Modern technology and university students

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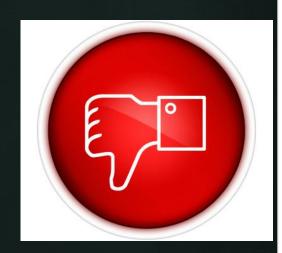


#### Introduction

Our generation has grown up with technology. It's woven into our lives. But using technology in the classroom have both advantages and disadvantages.



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Advantage

Disadvantage





#### By using laptops in the classroom

Take notes

Review assignment

More interesting





#### Playing kahoot in the class

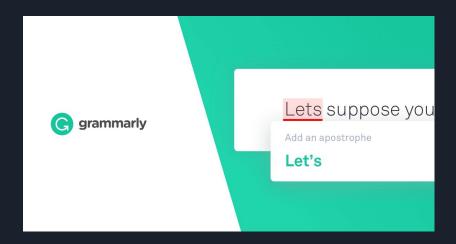
Quiz

A new topic





 Using blogs and other online writing tools to improve student learning in the classroom. (Boling et al., 2012)





• To learn reading, writing, creativity and communicating with other classmate. (Boling et al, 2012)







## Technology ensures participation of all students (Himmelsbach, 2015)

- Online assignments encourage all kinds of students to participate
- Students can learn at their own pace
- Students can email their concern rather than seeing instructor in person





## Students have instant access to fresh information (Himmelsbach, 2015)

- Any change/correction in the course material can be reflected right away
- Clarification and feedback can be provided to students via email
- Students can share information and collaborate easily on group projects

Distractions

Almost 60% of the schools in U.S.A issue laptops. (Beckett, L.)

Cheating

By using smart phones. (Beckett, L.)

 Students who used technology to text, take note, had worse memory performance at a lecture than students who did not.(Wood et al., 2012)

 Students who use technology for non-work tasks do worse in learning. (Wood et al., 2012)





## Lesson planning can be highly labor-intensive with technology (Himmelsbach, 2015)

- The task of adapting technology can be difficult
- Instructors and students must know the softwares
- Those lacking inborn experience will find it harder to adapt with the softwares



Source: defendernetwork.com



#### Disparity of access outside the class (Ronan, 2017)

- Some students might not have the software in their personal computer
- Some students don't have an access to unlimited high speed internet
- Students without access to such technological tools might not perform as well as those who do.



Source: https://www.pearsoned.com

#### Conclusion

More than 4 out of 5 students agree digital learning technology can...





84%

Improve their education

81%

Save time

81%

**Boost grades** 



#### Thesis statement

We believe that the advantages of modern technology outweigh the disadvantages because with a small effort the disadvantages can be eliminated and then we can see the unstoppable creativity of our future (students).

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### Any Questions?

