

Technology

Socialization & Communication

- * Socialization is an important part of society.
- * Social networking sites fill this void and make face-to-face communication unnecessary

Cells Phones

- * How important are cell phones to your social life?
- * In a group brainstorm the functions a cell phone may serve

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- * 47% of US teenagers said their social life would be worsened or end without their mobile phone

Functions of Cell Phones

* Social status

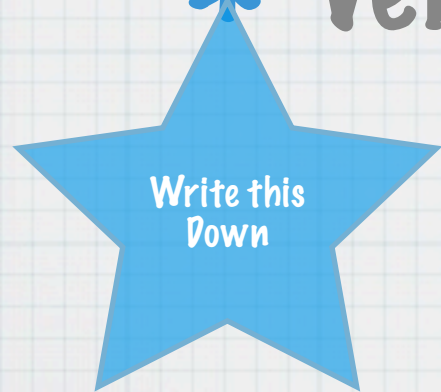
- * In a recent study, teens identified cell phone type as being the largest indicator of social status (over shoes, jewelry, and clothing)



Functions of Cell Phones

*** Conspicuous Consumption: acquisition and display of expensive items to attract attention to one's wealth**

*** Veblen, 1899**



Functions of Cell Phones

* Entertainment



Functions of Cell Phones

- * Entertainment:

- * One third of teens play some sort of game on their phone

Functions of Cell Phones

* Safety



Functions of Cell Phones

- * Safety:

- * 80% of teens report cell phones provide a sense of security

- * Besides physical safety, being connected provide a sense of security.

Functions of Cell Phones

* Communication



Functions of Cell Phones

- * **Communication:**

- * In 2008 more teens would rather call than text
- * Now 47% of teenagers said their life would be worsened without texting

Functions of Cell Phones

- * What are some pros and cons of texting?

Functions of Cell Phones

- * Texting:

- * Pro: Texting allows for multi-tasking

- * Con: Conversations can take longer

- * Con: Distraction

Cell Phones and Language

- * Texting and social media has introduced new phrases into our languages

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1	AAYF As Always, Your Friend	BAK Back At My Keyboard											HIG How's It Going?	IDK I Don't Know	K OK	LYLAB Love You Like A Brother
2	ABT2 About To	BB Be Back											L8RC8R Later Gator			
3	AIGHT All Right	BFF Best Friend Forever											HO Hold On	IYD In Your Dreams	KK OK	MYOB Mind Your Own Business
4	AKA Also Known As	BIF Before I Forget	BBL Be Back Later	BF Best Friend	BFFTE Best Friend Forever Till The End	CSL Can't Stop Laughing	DGTG Don't Go There Girlfriend	ETA Estimated Time Of Arrival	FTR For The Record	FOAF Friend Of A Friend	G2G Get To Go	GOI Get Over It	HB Hurry Back	ILU I Love You	KMP Keep Me Posted	MIA Missing In Action
5	ALOL Actually Laughing Out Loud	BI5 Back In Five	B4N Bye For Now	BTW By The Way	BFFAE Best Friend Forever And Ever	CYA See Ya	DUST Did You See That?	EZ Easy	FYI For Your Information	FAWC For Anyone Who Cares	GG Getts Go	Grats Congratulations	IDC I Don't Care	IDGI I Don't Get It	LYLAS Love You Like A Sister	MLAS My Lips Are Sealed
6	AML All My Love	BBL Be Back Later	BD Big Deal	BTWITIAILWU By The Way I Think I Am In Love With You		CMU Crack Me Up	DND Do Not Disturb	F2F Face To Face	FWD Forward	GF Girlfriend	GRRRR Growling	GFI Go For It	ILY I Love You	IM Instant Messaging	LYL Love You Lots	NBD No Big Deal
7	ASAP As Soon As Possible	BB4N Bye-Bye For Now	BWDIK But What Do I Know	B/C Because	COS Change Of Subject	DKDC Don't Know Don't Care	DIY Do It Yourself	FMTYEWTK Far More Than You Ever Wanted To Know		GTG Get To Go	GL Good Luck	GR8 Great	IDM It Doesn't Matter	JW Just Wondering	LOL Laughing Out Loud	NM Nothing Much
8	B4 Before	BRB Be Right Back	B4YNI Before You Know It	BTA But Then Again	CUL8R See You Later	Def Definitely	FYSBGTBABN Fasten Your Seat Belts It's Going To Be A Bumpy Night		FF Friend Forever	GNBLFY Got Nothing But Love For You		HSIK How Should I Know	JK Just Kidding	JP Just Playing	LMK Let Me Know	NMP Not My Problem
	NM Never Mind	NW No Way	NE1 Anyone	NTK Nice To Know	OAO Over And Out	POS Parents Over Shoulder	PDQ Pretty Darn Quick	PAW Parents Are Watching	PLS Please	QT Cute	QFT Quality Friend Time	RUT Are You There?	RU Are You?	RBAU Right back At You	Sk8r Skater	SLAP Sounds Like A Plan
	SUP What's Up?	SUS See You Soon	SWDYT So What Do You Think?	TOY Thinking Of You	THX Thanks	TBC To Be Continued	TAFN That's All For Now	TLC Tender Loving Care	TFN Ta Ta For Now	TFMS Thanks for letting me share	TTG Time To Go	TBH To Be Honest	TTYL Talk To You Later	TMI Too Much Information	TY Thank You	U You
	U2 You too	UG2BK You've Got To Be Kidding	VM Voicemail	WE Whatever	WBS Write Back Soon	WDYT What Do You Think?	WU What's Up?	WUWH Wish You Were Here	WAYD What Are You Doing?	WITW What Is The World?	WFM Works For Me	XOXO Hugs and Kisses	YA Yeah	ZZZ Tired, Bored		

18-24

- Sexual reference
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- That's cool
- Unamused
- Praying
- Silly
- Crazy face
- Literal fire
- Love you
- Booty

25-34

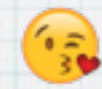
- Eggplant
- Rain
- Hug
- Unamused
- Praying
- Silly
- Crazy face
- Literal fire
- Love you
- Peach (the fruit)

35-44

- Eggplant
- Rain
- Hug
- Unamused
- Praying
- Silly
- Joking
- Literal fire
- Love you
- Peach (the fruit)

45-54

- Eggplant
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- Eggplant
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- Sexual Reference
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- Sexual Reference
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- Rain
- Rain
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- Rain

- "That's Cool"
- Funny shrug
- Funny shrug
- Funny shrug
- "That's cool"
- Hug
- Hug
- "That's cool"
- "That's cool"

- Neutral/Content
- Unamused
- Neutral/Content
- Unamused
- Unamused
- Unamused
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- Unamused

- Praying
- Praying
- Praying
- Praying
- Praying
- Praying
- Praying
- Praying
- Praying

- Silly
- Yum
- Silly
- Joking
- Silly
- Silly
- Silly
- Silly
- Silly

- Crazy face
- Crazy face
- Joking
- Joking
- Crazy face
- Crazy face
- Crazy face
- Crazy face
- Joking

- Literal fire
- Literal fire
- Hot as In attractive
- Literal fire
- Literal fire
- Literal fire
- Hot as In attractive
- Literal fire
- Literal fire

- "Love you"
- "Love you"
- "Love you"
- "Love you"
- "Love you"
- "Love you"
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- "Love you"
- "Love you"

- Booty
- Peach (the fruit)
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Spell Check

- * Built in spell check reduced the times you need to practice the correct spelling of a word
- * To increase response speed most people don't review responses

I'm fighting with mike

Again??? Omg. I'm sorry.

Yeah. Its bad and I think it's it this time. He just drove off with his moms corpse.

WITH HER CORPSE????

Holy [redacted] no! Her camaro!
HAHAHAHA

You scare me.

Internet and Decreased Morals

- * **Containment Theory:** theory describing two levels of social control

- * 1) Inner containments: Our self esteem and moral development

- * 2) Outer containments: social controls such as teachers, police, parents



Internet and Decreased Morals

- * The internet removes outer controls, may decrease morals



Social Networks

- * On average nearly 15 million Canadians log onto Facebook, nearly half the population
- * 71% of Ontario residents log on to Facebook daily

Social Networks

- * Canadians spend 400 minutes each month logged into Facebook
- * This translates to about 20 minutes a day communicating with friends

Social Networks

- * Are Canadian 'friendly' social networkers?

Social Networks

- * Are Canadian 'friendly' social networkers?
- * The global Facebook user has an average of 130 users
- * The average Canadian Facebook user has 190 friends

Social Networks

- * Why may Canadians have more friends on average?

Social Networks

- * Why may Canadians have more friends on average?
- * Canadian may have more access to devices which can access social networks

Function of Social Networks

* Geographically Canadian city centres are spread out, creating a physical barrier to socialization.

* Social networks shorten that distance



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Function of Social Networks

* Socialization over long distance can cost money (stamps and long distance calls)

* Social networks have no additional costs



Function of Social Networks

- * Socialization can be difficult to fit into the busy schedule of Canadians
- * Social networks allow for convenient communication between busy users



Looking Glass Self

- * In 1902 Charles Cooley proposed a theory explaining how identity is created through social interaction.

Looking Glass Self

- * **Looking Glass Self:** a person's self image is formed by imagining what others think of his or her behavior or appearance.



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Looking Glass Self

- * There are three main components:
 - * 1) Envision how we appear to other people.



Looking Glass Self

- * There are three main components:
 - * 2) Envision the judgement of that appearance.



Looking Glass Self

- * There are three main components:
 - * 3) Sense of self develops through that interaction.



Looking Glass Self

- * Behavior is learned when other people provide feedback.
- * We take social cues from others and then create who we are.

TEENAGERS



What my friends think i do



What society thinks i do



What my mom thinks i do



What my grandparents think
i do



What i think i do



What i actually do

Perception vs **Fact**.com

Social Media and Self Image

- * Social networking is now providing feedback about self identity and is helping to define who we are.

Social Media and Self Image

- * Cooley's theory may explain why teenagers spend so much time on social media:
- * Adolescents are in a transitory stage seeking identity.

Social Media and Self Image

- * Cooley's theory may explain why teenagers spend so much time on social media:
- * Receiving messages, being tagged in photos, rating of images can all define identity.

Social Media and Mental Health

- * Recent studies have linked Facebook and depression.
- * Comparing your life to the lives projected by others.

Social Media and Self Image

- * Homework: Your looking glass self.
- * Create a collage from a selection of artifacts showing 6 distinct facets of your identity.

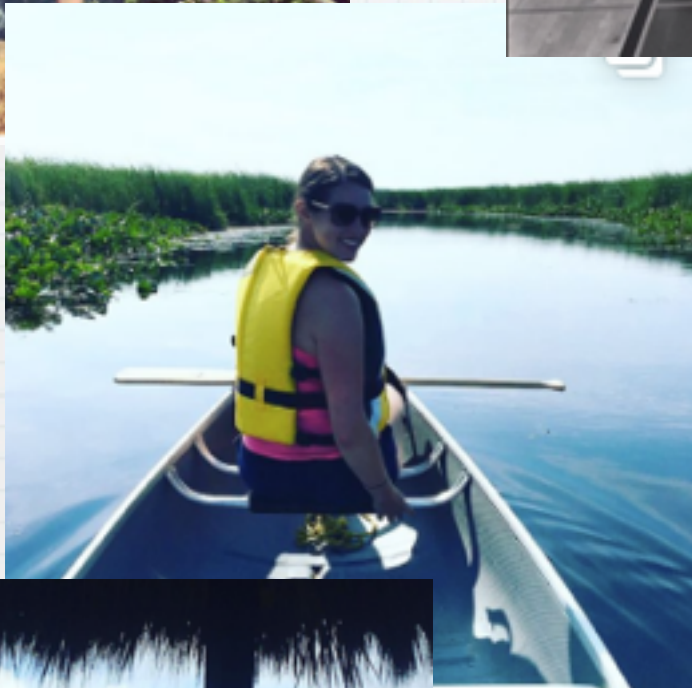
Wife

Friend

Teacher



Adventurer



Coach



Runner

