

Nowadays the way many people interact with each other has changed because of technology. In what ways has technology affected the types of relationships people make? Has this become positive or negative development?

Today, technology is a vitally inseparable part of human beings' life. Through modernized society, nobody can deny the necessity of technology for humans' civilizations. It is a fact that technology alters every aspect of an individual's life, for instance, agriculture, health, education, industry and the most important ones is in the field of communications and telecommunication. Through all of the social networks and emails, people are capable of interacting with others easily around the globe and boundaries, but that is not a real friendship. ~~In~~ from my viewpoint, everything has two sides, merits and demerits of virtual communications will be discussed through this essay.

The first effect of the technology usage is that it can reduce the distance between people all over the world and develop globalization and interaction between various cultures. Using the internet has converted the world into a small village. The result of this is that makes humans' societies ~~short~~ small, similar and friendly. Besides, it has benefits for the families whose children are studying abroad and they cannot travel to see each other soon. At this age and time, people are informed on a daily basis with the ~~last~~ latest updates and news about our friends and family, so they can remember the birthday, graduation parties and even marriage anniversary and this method makes it faster and easier to congratulate each other. Another benefit of social networks and smartphones is that people can find their old school's friends and neighbors just by using new technology.

Although all applications such as WhatsApp, Telegram, Viber, Skype and Instagram ~~make~~ have made people's interaction more convenient than before and have a lot of benefits in the field of E-learning and medicine, they have their negative effect especially on youth and all walks of the life too. There is no doubt that teenagers and ~~youth~~ young adults are more ~~struggle~~ involved with advanced services than their parents and indeed each of them has a smartphone at least. Obviously, they use it mostly for making friends by different applications. This promotes a virtual society around them apart from a real world. Many of this kind of friendships not ~~prolong~~ last and they cannot experience a true and face-to-face relationship which ~~is~~ has caused a huge issue for their future communications.

All in all, contemplating the pros and cons of these phenomena simultaneously, I have to say it depends on the way of our usage of the new technology. It is extremely important that all of us should balance our virtual and real life, if we desire to benefit from both. Unquestionably, there are no written rules for having a blissful life. All of these refer to our cognition of harvesting the advantages of the virtual or real world.