Jigsaw Article

Phase 1

1. Have chart ready to go where you will record your responses.
2. In groups, read your article either together or individually. (I recommend read together aloud).
3. Once everyone has read the article, work together to summarize it. Record your summary in the space provided.
4. Next, discuss and record how your article relates to the concept of digital footprint and whether or not this article demonstrates positive aspects of social media or negative aspects.
5. Last, as a group, come up with 3 discussion questions about the article.

Phase 2

1. Next everyone will be split into groups (there should be person with each article in each group). Students need to bring their article and their chart with them.
2. Each student will be the expert of their own article. They will take turns discussing the summary of their article and how it relates to the concept of digital footprint.
3. Lastly they will ask the group their discussion question.

It is in the students best interests to record some of the information they receive from their group members as they can use this to help them write the reflection piece on Friday.

Digital Footprint Article Jigsaw

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| Article Summary: |
| How is the article related to the concept of digital footprint? Does the article demonstrate positive or negative aspects of social media? |
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| **Article Title:**14 Canadians who were fired for social media posts |
| **Article Summary:**This article discusses 14 Canadians who have been fired from their jobs because of something they posted on social media. Some of the people included on this list are firefighters, a sportsnet host and a hockey coach, people who are hold positions of power or authority and whom the people would place their trust in. Some of the posts were misogynistic, homophobic, or radical in connotation. Others were people talking negatively about employers. All resulted in being fired. |
| **How is the article related to the concept of digital footprint? Does the article demonstrate positive or negative aspects of social media?**This article shows how our digital footprint can get us into trouble and result in severe consequences. It’s a good reminder that we need to be very mindful of what we are posting online and who could potentially see it. This article demonstrates a negative aspect of social media and what can happen if don’t a person does not act professionally online. It also highlights that there are ignorant people out there who feel that it’s their right to post whatever they feel like without taking into account of the effects it can have on other people.  |
| **Discussion Questions**1. Do you feel that the people in each of these cases deserved to be fired? Why or why not?
2. Do you feel that there should have been more severe consequences? Especially for the fire fighters and the hockey coach.
3. When you see people on social media post negative comments how do you react? Do you speak up against them or do you just simply ignore the situation?
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