



THE DIGITAL DIVIDE

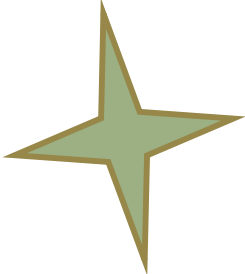

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WHAT'S THE DIGITAL DIVIDE AND WHY DOES IT EXIST?



The digital divide is the gap between people who are able to access the internet and people who cannot access it at all or have no contact with the internet/devices.



This exists because some people don't have enough money or they live in a third world country.



WHAT FACTORS CONTRIBUTE TO THE DIGITAL DIVIDE?

- Affordability

Some people don't have enough money to afford any electronics because it is either too expensive or they don't earn enough.

- Web addiction

A few families/communities are against about the internet and electronics so they do not accept anyone associated with them to use electronics because they fear that it may cause addiction & unhealthy lifestyles.



WHAT ARE THE IMPACTS OF THE DIGITAL DIVIDE?

- Education - students won't be able to access their full potential of learning because online learning resources may not be within their reach.



WHAT CAN BE DONE TO REDUCE IT

