

# The Digital Divide

The digital divide is a name that is given to the big world separation between people that have access to technology and people who don't.

# Why does it exist?

- Some countries do not have enough money to afford the materials to manufacture a device.
- Another factor could be culture. Many cultures believe the internet is a bad place to be on and do everything to avoid it.
- The lack of education also plays a big part as many people cannot work the electronic device/s.

# The Impacts

- Social - Not everyone has the privilege to get the latest devices. Some people make a big deal out of it and feel isolated.
- Education – Educational restrictions as they do not have the resources needed.
- Work - People could end up jobless or rejected just because they don't know how to work an electronic device.



# What could be done to reduce the divide?

- Affordability – Making devices and certain apps affordable would help many people with many things. There could even be free online classes for people who need it.
- Classes – There could be FREE online and offline classes for people
- Less use of tech – If we use the internet less often then we wouldn't need fancy devices all the time.

