TECHNOLOGY'S PITFALLS IN EDUCATION

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We can't argue that using technology in the classroom has its benefits. However, we cannot disregard its drawbacks.

Students may develop poor learning habits and a lazy attitude toward learning because the majority of learning materials are stored online or on computers. Some people will believe they don't need to go to school because they can learn anything they need to know online. Isn't it true that you don't need school when you have Google?

Computers can be both a source of problems and an invaluable tool. This is especially true for students who lack the technical skills necessary to fully utilize the device's capabilities. Not everybody has an Information Technology degree and is also knowledgeable about how computers function. Students may lose their assignments and other valuable materials due to computer malfunctions and technical issues, which can lead to high levels of stress.

While there is no research to demonstrate how personal contact influences students' success, evidence suggests that students who take online classes are more likely to receive poor grades or fail than those who take them face-to-face. This may be due to the online classroom's lack of face-to-face contact between teachers and students. Another explanation may be that without an instructor to monitor their progress, students could be tempted to use technology for other purposes rather than studying online.
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