

Role Of Library Education and Internet Services in Today's ICT Environment

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Abstract

Library offers the resources and encourages the thinking process, creativity, inquisitiveness and makes the learning more fruitful. The function of library is to provide textbooks, references, periodicals, research conducted till date on various subjects to students, teachers and researchers. Library can use internet services as a helping hand to get / share information but it cannot replace the signification of newsgroups discussion form, sharing of books, which makes libraries exceptional also internet involves huge amount to require for purchasing instrument for accessing internet and it is unable to reach the masses. Internet is playing very important role in human life, anyone can access required information within second through internet, but it cannot become. Substitute of Libraries because internet information is not always authentic or reliable.

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Introduction

School libraries help students to get authentic information through the books written by reputed scholars who come from different parts of the world. A library plays an important role in creating a school culture, which helps every student to grow on their individual basis as well.

I want to explain in paper here internet is better than libraries or libraries are good source of information than internet. Today life is depending upon internet, any information which we want to access is easily accessible through internet. No doubt internet provides huge amount of information but it can be reliable and authentic or not who will prove it. If anyone gets wrong information through internet he or she may be misguided but libraries are that places which are providing right information even consulting internet. In this paper I will discuss the role of internet and library then conclusion can be made.

An important part of library education is to help users find information independently and efficiently. Surveys suggest that many students still prefer to read printed books than e-books, particularly when reading large amounts or consulting images and complex diagrams (Bowman, 2013, p. 49; Wilders, 2017, p. 387). Academic libraries can, therefore, expect to retain significant printed book collections for the foreseeable future. Consulting focus groups of library users at the University of Portsmouth Library suggested that many library users struggled to relate two-dimensional (2D) floor plans to the building layout and were even confused by three-dimensional (3D) floor plans that were complicated with extraneous information. Many users reported resorting to using shelf end signage to find books and other items and that this method was particularly slow and laborious. Huang, Shu, Yeh, and Zeng (2016) similarly found fixed signage and handouts to be useful only to library users already familiar with the layout of a library and who had above average navigational skills. They argued that library users needed to be shown the location of books on a realistic representation of the library, complete with directions, that they could carry with them and use to locate books or services.

Internet

Access to Internet

There are four ingredients needed to access the internet.

Internet Service Provider (ISP)

Access to the Internet is through an internet services provider , which can be a large company such as

1. **Modem** : A unit of hardware called a modem for connection, Slow – speed dial-up telephone access uses an analog modem, which may already be installed in computer. If not, one can be plugged into the USB port. Cable or DSL service, which is from 40.

The internet is a global networked connecting millions of computers. More than 100 countries are linked into exchanges of data, news and opinions. Unlike online services, which are centrally controlled, the internet is decentralized by design. Each internet computer, called a host, is independent. Its operator's concourse which internet services to use and which local services available to the global internet community Remarkable, this anarchy by design works exceedingly well. There are a variety of ways by design to access the internet. Most online services offer access to some internet services. It is also possible to gain access through a commercial internet service provider.

2. **MSN** : American Online or MSN or any of hundreds of smaller ISPs throughout the country with unlimited access for a fixed rate per month. 100 times faster than telephone dial-up your provider may send appropriate modem, or can be purchased it at local electronic store. Quite simply, apt for the High speed service. Dial-up modems are a exercise in extreme patience.
3. **Web Browser** : The Mac comes with Safari. Windows and Mac users Quite often choose a different browser such as Firefox or Chrome, which offer additional features and are

Email - Email can be sent and received using web browser see e-mail interfaces, computer may come with a dedicated e-mail program like the ones found in smart phones. For example, the Mac comes with Mail, while Windows has renamed its free program many times : Outlook Express, Windows mail, Windows Live Mail and mail. However, many users prefer Eudora, Thunderbird and other e-mail clients. The first time you connect to a new ISP, you not need help in configuring your e-mail programs to use their mail servicers. From then on, you launch the mail program as you would any other applications.

Role of Internet

1. Online resources can be accessed 24 hours a day and 7 days a week
2. Web sites can be constantly updated to provide breaking was and timely information

3. Provides opportunities for two – way communication through email, LISTSERVS and newsgroups
4. Provide access to many newspapers, magazines, journals and encyclopedias
5. Some sites feature rare books, document and special collections that traditionally have only been available in libraries
6. Offers a complete multimedia experience with text, video, interactive features, audio, hyperlinks and graphics all in one place your topic and can causes lot of wasted time, frustration and confusion.

Role of Library

1. **Everything is not on the internet** : The internets consist of small percentages of what's published. Search engines such as Google, Alta Vista and Yahoo access are limited. ALA reports that only 8 % of all journals and even fewer books are on the internet. The most reliable scholarly information is available in books and journals. Preliminary steps to find the appropriate search terms should start with print indexes.
2. **The Internet is Not organized** : A search on the internet is similar to searching on unclassified catalog. When you use any of the search engines, you are searching only part of the internet searchers are not always relevant to your topic and can causes lot of wasted time, frustration and confusion.
3. **The Internet Doesn't have Quality Control** : Open sources information on the internet is quite common and easy to get misinformed information. Anyone access to the internet can publish a website.
4. **Sources on the internet are Harder to Identify** : When you use information in your paper from the internet, its important to print it out and cite resource information taken from the web can change overnight. Information taken from library or databases in the library gives the exact location one must give full documentation when using information from a site.
5. **Library online resources are available 24 /7** : online databases can be accessed 24 hours a day 7 days a week from the library's WebPages. These databases are in the library's collection and can be accessed on campus and remotely with your University ID via the internet.
6. **Tuition and Fees pay for library use** : Libraries provide free access to scholarly books, journals, newspapers encyclopedias and other print references sources. A lot of information on the internet is free, except scholarly materials. A paid subscription is required to access.
7. **Trained professionals Available for Assistance** : Knowledgeable and friendly librarians are available to assist with locating information in person, chat e-mail or telephone. Request assistance at the beginning of your research and spare valuable time spent on the internet.
8. **E – books are available** : E –books are full text and searchable, Text can be searched automatically and cross-referenced using hyperlink. Dictionaries, reference works and some textbooks, benefit from search and cross – references capability Content is available 24 /7.
9. **The Internet has fewer Archival materials** : Digitization that goes back more 10-15 years can be difficult to locate on the internet. The internet provides more timely information and is constantly update.
10. **Does Library – less Universities work** : A Virtual library cannot replace the traditional library. Only to find out first hand that it can't work.

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