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Computer Technology

Media Literacy – Thinking Questions

Directions: Now that you have completed the Media Literacy Module in the Digital Citizenship Canvas Course, respond to each question below with your thoughts. Each response should be one paragraph (4-6 sentences).

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| **Question** | | **Answer** |
| 1. | How can the media shape our beliefs about our community? | The media can shape our beliefs in our community by spreading rumors and some people are persuaded enough to make people go along. And the media makes it worse, there is every day all day different opinions so that kind of give use the run around and starts A LOT OF CONFUSION. |
| 2. | How can we determine between what is true and what is untrue in media? | We can determine the truth and what's not true on the media by doing our own research it might not be 100% real, but it is better than going around and playing duck, duck, goose with different people opinions or if it is on breaking news it must be real. |
| 3. | What is the problem with getting information from only one media source? | The problem with getting information from the media is that it might not be true, or someone could have just made it up we will never know. It is just too much and there are too many rumors. So |