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Introductory Message

This Self-Learning Module (SLM) is prepared so that you, our dear learners, can continue your studies and learn while at home. Activities, questions, directions, exercises, and discussions are carefully stated for you to understand each lesson.

Each SLM is composed of different parts. Each part shall guide you step-bystep as you discover and understand the lesson prepared for you.

Pre-tests are provided to measure your prior knowledge on lessons in each SLM. This will tell you if you need to proceed on completing this module or if you need to ask your facilitator or your teacher's assistance for better understanding of the lesson. At the end of each module, you need to answer the post-test to self-check your learning. Answer keys are provided for each activity and test. We trust that you will be honest in using these.

In addition to the material in the main text, Notes to the Teacher are also provided to our facilitators and parents for strategies and reminders on how they can best help you on your home-based learning.

Please use this module with care. Do not put unnecessary marks on any part of this SLM. Use a separate sheet of paper in answering the exercises and tests. And read the instructions carefully before performing each task.

If you have any questions in using this SLM or any difficulty in answering the tasks in this module, do not hesitate to consult your teacher or facilitator.

Thank you.



What I Need to Know

This module was created to help you understand ICT as platform for change. It was designed and written with you in mind. For that reason, the scope of this module permits it to be used in many different learning situations; the language used recognizes the diverse vocabulary level of different learners; and the lessons are arranged to follow the standard sequence of the course. However, the order of the lessons, as you read them, can be changed to correspond with the textbook you are now using.

The module focuses on one lesson, specifically:

Lesson 1: ICT as Platform for Change

Learning Competency:

• share anecdotes of how he/she has used ICTs to be part of a social movement, change, or cause to illustrate aspects of digital citizenship. CS_ICT11/12-ICTPT-III-15

Upon successful completion of this module, you are expected to:

- 1. recognize the importance of ICT as a platform for social change.
- 2. share experiences in using ICT to be part of a social change; and
- 3. use prior ICT knowledge in planning a campaign using online resources.



What I Know

Directions: Multiple Choice. Choose the best answer for each question. Write the letter of your answer on a separate sheet.

- 1. There are different platforms online that can be used depending on the theme that we want to work out. Which of the following is an online petition platform that allows the online community to create or sign petitions?
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 - b. Pinterest
 - c. Change.org
 - d. Better.net
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 - b. ICT specifically internet was the symbol of the EDSA II
 - c. ICT specifically email was the symbol of EDSA II
 - d. ICT specifically social media was the symbol of EDSA II
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- 4. Radio station was used by Cardinal Sin to call on the Filipino people to support the rally against President Marcos. Which of the following radio stations did he use?
 - a. DZMM
 - b. Radyo Veritas
 - c. DZRH
 - d. ABAM
- 5. People Finder is a vital tool used during the typhoon Yolanda. Which of following search engines does People Finder belong?
 - a. Bing
 - b. Yahoo
 - c. Google
 - d. MSN

- 6. What does ICT stand for?
 - a. Information of Communication and Technology
 - b. Information Community Technology
 - c. Information Communication Technology
 - d. Inform Community Technology
- 7. Million People March was a series of protest that mainly took place in Luneta. It condemned the misuse of the Priority Development Assistance Fund (PDAF). What year did Million People March take place?
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 - a. Twitter
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- 12. The crowd in EDSA grew over the course of a few days through what specific mode of communication?
 - a. Radio Broadcast
 - b. Social Media
 - c. Text Brigades
 - d. TV broadcast
- 13.A major protest took place sectors. These include civilians, political parties, the military and religious groups. The radio broadcast helped change the course of history. Without it, Filipinos would not have been moved to action. Which event is being described in the given statement?
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 - c. Million People March
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Lesson

ICT as Platform for Change

Does the Philippines, as we know today, have realized its industrial progression without ICT? Most people would probably argue that we are challenged when it comes to technological advancements.



This lesson provides information about the ICT as a platform for change, power of social media and digital citizenship.

Directions: Use the clues below to fill in the crossword puzzle with the correct words.



Across

2. the transmission and reception of electromagnetic waves of radio frequency, especially those carrying sound messages.3. an opportunity to

make your ideas or beliefs known publicly5. Epifanio delos Santos Avenue

6. relating to society or its organization.

7. the application of scientific knowledge for practical purposes, especially in industry. **Down**

1. is a popular free social networking website that allows registered users to create profiles, upload photos and video, send messages and keep in touch

4. a structured set of data held in a computer, especially one that is accessible in various ways.

8. the main means of mass communication (broadcasting, publishing, and the Internet)9. the brand name of a leading Internet search engine

10. the capacity or ability to direct or influence the behavior of others or the course of events



What's New

Directions: For a moment, imagine that your school's SSG Officers will conduct an online election of officers for the next school year. What platforms can be used to disseminate information for the said event.



Advocacy – is a way of expressing views, opinions, concerns information access and on establishing to all one's rights and responsibilities through any possible means or ways.

Social Media – (*according to TechTarget network, as posted by Margaret Rouse*) is a collective term for website applications which focus on community-based input, communication, interaction, content-sharing and collaboration.

As of today, social media was known to be the most powerful platform to use if you want to generate instant and massive public reactions to whatever concerns or issue that you have.

However, in using Social Media as a platform for advocacy, one should also realize that following protocols and computer etiquettes should be observed at all time.

Moreover, you should also understand and appreciate how ICT influence the history specifically its significant contribution to what we are enjoying today.

ICT in the recent history of Philippines?

(From-JUST NERD THOUGHTS)

History of the Philippines has been one of the few countries shown unity and democracy for social change. These advocacy for social change would have not been possible without the role of ICT.

- 1. **EDSA (People Power Revolution)** The People Power Revolution lasted from 1983 to 1986. During a radio broadcast of Radyo Veritas, Cardinal Sin encouraged the Filipinos to help end the regime of then President Ferdinand Marcos. A major protest took place along EDSA from February 22 to 25, 1986 involving two million Filipinos from different regions and sectors. These include civilians, political parties, the military and religious groups. The radio broadcast helped to change the course of history. Without it, Filipinos would not have been moved into action.
- 2. **EDSA II.** This was also known as the 2001 EDSA Revolution which happened during January 17 to 21, 2001. It was fueled after 11 prosecutors of then President Joseph Estrada walked out in the impeachment trial. As a result, the crowd in EDSA grew over the course of few days **through text brigades**. Like the first People Power Revolution, Edsa Dos would not have been successful without the text brigades.
- **3. Million People March.** This was a series of protest that mainly took place in Luneta Park from August 22 to 26, 2013. There were also several demonstrations that happened in key cities in the Philippines and some locations overseas. It condemned the misuse of the Priority Development Assistance Fund (PDAF). Though dubbed as the Million People March, the number of total attendees was only around 400,000. Despite that, it was still considered a success as it clearly demonstrated **how powerful social media campaigns are**. The organizers and promoters of the Million People March used Facebook and Change.org as their media.
- **4. Yolanda People Finder.** Recent storms in the Philippine history gave birth to the **people finder database powered by Google**. During typhoon Yolanda, the people finder was a vital tool for people across the globe to track the situation of their relatives. This proved to be successful and is now adapted by more organizations to help people track relatives during calamities.

Platform for placing petitions or change advocacy

Change.org

Change.org is dubbed as the "world's platform for change" where anyone from the online community can create a petition and ask others to sign it. During the past times, petitions were only done through signing a paper, usually done by a group asking for signatures via travelling door-to-door. Change.org gives access to more people by allowing the online community to affix their digital signatures on a petition.



Figure 2- Procedures on how to make simple petition using change.org platform.

Its mission is to help people from around the world create the change they want to see. For years, Change.org hosted several petitions that help solve the following problems: economic problems, criminal injustices, abuse of human rights, lack of education, environmental concerns, animal abuse, human health concerns, and world hunger.

Procedure on how to make a simple petition using Change.org Platform

- 1. Log in first using your account and the search and click the word "petition"
- 2. Select a topic of what kind of issue are you petitioning on?
- 3. Write your petition title on the box.
- 4. Choose the recipient(s) of your petition. It can be people or organizations which has the power to solve your problem.
- 5. Estate your problem that you would like to solve
- 6. Upload a photo or video that captures the emotions of your story;
- 7. Then lastly click the word publish.



What's More

The Two Faces of Social Platform

Directions: Using the illustration below, write your ideas about the two faces of social platforms. (Good & Bad)



Event Analysis

Directions: Using the graphic organizer below. Write in chronological order the Events that happened in the ICT in recent history of Philippines. Include the roles of ICT during those times which show significant changes.





Directions: In your reflection journal, answer the following based on the concepts that you have learned.

1. Based on what you have learned, what is the role of ICT in recent history?

2.	What are the social platforms which play significant roles in the unforgettable events in the Philippines' history?
3.	What is Change.org platform?
4.	How do the social platforms affect the perception of netizens?
5.	How are social platforms used in spreading information?



What I Can Do

Directions: Using Facebook as a social media platform as shown in the illustration below, create an awareness campaign on the importance of having enough information during calamities. Use the hashtag **IBA NA ANG MAY ALA**



Rubrics for the Task

Criteria	1	2	3	4	5	
Content						
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Presentation						
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TIME TO SHARE

Directions: As an empowerment technologies student, and based on your previous knowledge, make an **Anecdote** on your experiences how ICT helps you in raising advocacy and other issues that you have posted online. You can use your reflection journal or online journal, using your blogsite as part of your output in your previous modules.

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Answer Key

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Social Platforms

Facebook – it is a website that allows users to create personal account and communicate to friends and relatives all over the world.

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YouTube – this platform gives privilege to all users to publish their own vlog.

Instagram- it is a free online photo-sharing application that allows user to design their picture.

Social Platform 4 Twitter	Social platform can also be used to discriminate other people that caused depression and of putting down people, that's why we really have to be careful in using this kind of platform and follow netiquettes.
Social Platform 2 Instagram Social Platform 3 Gmail	Those social platforms that we have has a vital role in our lives. It makes our lives easy in gathering an information that we can use. BAD
What's New Social Platform I Facebook	What's More Two faces of Social Platform GOOD

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