

IO7 - MOOC for Teachers

Self-directed Learning Resource 1

Topic:	Evaluating data, information and digital content
Title:	What is Clickbait?
Time:	It will take you 20-25 minutes to review this blog post, and to take note of what is important to you.
Type of Resource:	Blog Post
Content of the Resource	Have you ever been so interested in a few lines of text in a post somewhere that you clicked on the text to finish reading the story? That's clickbait, an advertiser's over-the-top method for attracting viewers to an ad or ad-based article.
	This short blog post provides an interesting insight into what click-bait is and how its used by advertisers and media outlets to influence media consumers.
Link to resource:	https://www.lifewire.com/the-dark-side-of-clickbait-2487506

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