

## Statement of participation

# Christopher Mousseau

has completed the free course including any mandatory tests for:

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### Childhood in the digital age

This 12-hour course explores the potential benefits and limitations of technology in children's lives.

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This statement confirms that this free course and all mandatory tests were passed by the learner.

Please go to the course on OpenLearn for full details:

<https://www.open.edu/openlearn/education-development/childhood-the-digital-age/content-section-overview>

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### Course summary

This free course, Childhood in the digital age, delves into the lives of children and discuss the potential benefits and limitations of technology in their lives.

### Learning outcomes

By completing this course, the learner should be able to:

- describe the range of digital technologies used by children
- list the main concerns that have been raised about harmful effects of digital technologies on children's development
- discuss differences among types of digital technology
- evaluate arguments for and against digital technologies being beneficial for children's development
- suggest ways in which children can be helped to benefit from engaging with the digital world and to avoid the risks.

### Completed study

The learner has completed the following:

#### Week 1

How different is a digital childhood?

#### Week 2

Social identities in cyberspace

#### Week 3

Learning to think in a digital age

#### Week 4

The future of childhood education