

ALWAYS  
LEARNING



# A Brief History

1971	First email sent
1993	First “webpage”
1994	<i>GeoCities</i>
1996	<i>ICQ</i> First “instant chat”
1997	1 million web users
1998	<i>Google</i> search engine
1999	<i>Friends Unite</i> social site
2003	<i>LinkedIn</i>
2004	<i>Facebook</i>
2005	<i>UTube</i>
2006	<i>Twitter</i>

# Asia's 5<sup>th</sup> Largest Nation\*



Global Facebook Rank  
March 2011

2	Indonesia	35 Million
5	Philippines	
6	India	10-23 Million
16	Malaysia	
17	Taiwan	
18	Australia	5-10 Million
19	Thailand	
27	South Korea	
29	Pakistan	
32	Hong Kong	
44	Japan	1.5 - 5 Million
49	Singapore	
55	New Zealand	
59	Vietnam	
82	China	Fewer than one Million
113	Brunei	Fewer than one Million

Data: Facebook, SocialBakers; Flag: Soft Icons



Global Facebook Population

\* With 139 million users, only China, India, Pakistan and Indonesia have a larger population in Asia than Facebook

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# Regional Facebook Data

Country	Users	User Ranking Region	Penetration
India	60,600,520	3	5.17%
Indonesia	49,884,160	4	20.53%
Philippines	29,877,060	8	29.91%
Thailand	17,609,460	14	26.52%
Japan	16,303,480	17	12.86%
Malaysia	13,392,920	18	51.2%
Taiwan	13,047,140	19	56.62%
Vietnam	9,787,700	23	10.93%
South Korea	9,484,480	27	19.5%
Hong Kong	4,078,480	41	57.53%

Data: 21/11/12 Socialbakers.com

## List of continents on Facebook

#	Continent	Users	Penetration
1	<a href="#">Asia</a>	270 576 800	6.99%
2	<a href="#">Europe</a>	248 989 660	30.65%
3	<a href="#">North America</a>	242 379 940	45.86%
4	<a href="#">South America</a>	139 556 500	35.19%
5	<a href="#">Africa</a>	50 000 020	5.36%
6	<a href="#">Australia and Oceania</a>	14 700 120	42.41%

Data: Socialbakers.com

# Social Networking & Learning

- Schools or Learning ?
- Learning Communities
- Connecting and interaction between people
- Augments learning





# Positives

- Flexibility
- Repeatable
- Convenient
- Accessible
- Appeals to different learning styles
- Ability to access information and connections
- Employability

# Challenges

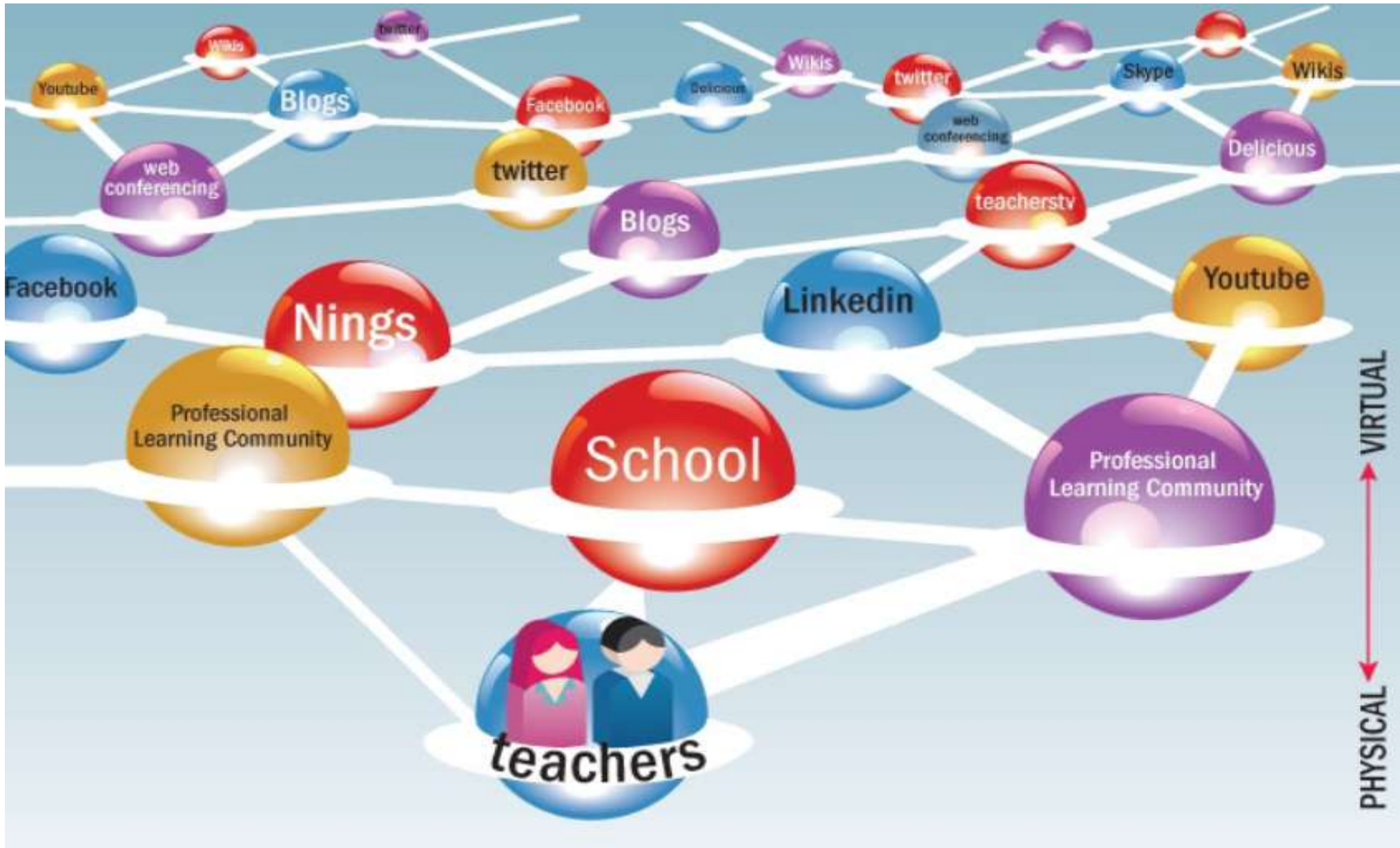
- Privacy
- Security
- Miscommunication
- Access to unsuitable material
- Time
- Technology

# The Dilemma

- Parents, community remember schools 20 years ago
- Teachers struggle with today
- Students grown up with ICT
- Education reformers planning for 20 years ahead

# Benefits

- Differentiates learning, appeals to individualisation
- A new teaching/learning tool
- Interaction beyond the school yard
- Educating for the 21st century
- Willingness to work cooperatively
- Global citizens



# Harness the Power

- Investigate locally used devices & access
- Integrate into teaching & learning as appropriate
- Explicitly teach acceptable protocols
- Incorporate culturally appropriately
- Encourage learners to learn
- Encourage peer to peer learning
- Connect parents and community

# Considerations

- Open vs Private
- Commercial vs “Free”
- Device and accessibility
- Data mining

# Options are endless

- Blogging
- Micro blogging
- Social networking
- Screencast Sharing
- Presentation Sharing
- Collaborative
  - Editing
  - Working
  - Presentations
  - Calendar
  - Mindmapping
- Social Bookmarking
- Personalized start pages
- Photo Sharing
- Video Sharing
- Integrated Social environment
- Podcasting
- Integrated systems
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# Delivery Methods

- Software
- Websites
- Apps
- DVDs
- Devices
- Combinations
- ....

# Examples of Social Sites

- AOL
- Bebo
- Blogger
- Digg
- Edmodo
- Facebook
- Flickr
- Google
- Learni.st
- LinkedIn
- Lore.com
- MySpace
- Pinterest
- Sixdegrees.org
- Slideshare
- Renren
- TeacherTube
- Twiducate
- Twitter
- Youku
- Utube
- Weibo
- Wikipedia
- Wikispaces

# Pearson Examples

## Facebook

- Pearson Education
- Pearson Indonesia
- Pearson Student
- Pearson Asia and Higher Education
- ...

## Twitter

- @PearsonAsiaPac

# Examples

- **Fiji**
- **Indonesia**
- **Singapore**
- **Higher Education**
  - Fully integrated system
  - Learning Studio*
- **Tasmania/Oslo**
  - Virtual Learning Environment-
  - Frontier*

***If we teach children as  
yesterday we rob them  
of tomorrow***

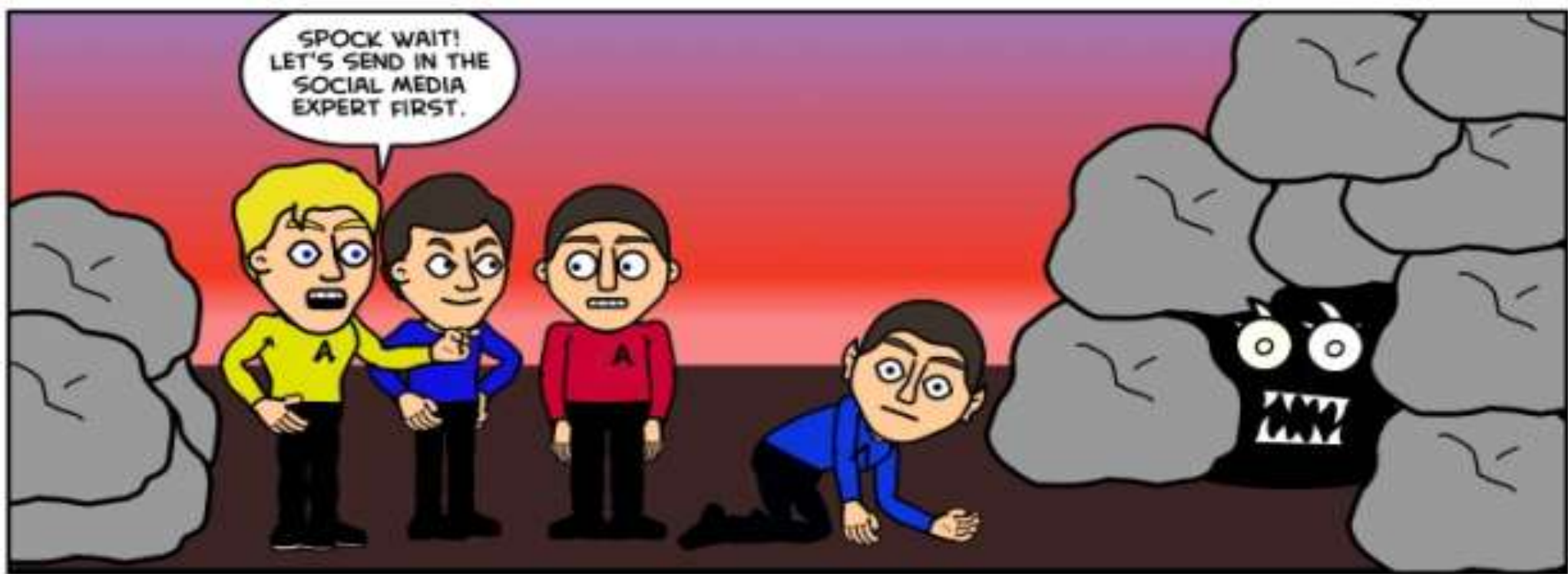
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