Connected Society

Mobile Internet Skills Training Toolkit

A guide for training people in basic mobile internet skills

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MODULE 4 - GOOGLE

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Bitesize Training

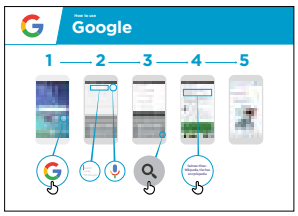
What is it?

Show Google Search on the phone

"Google Search helps you to find information that you want. You tell Google what information you want to find e.g. 'what is the population of the world' and it will search through all the information that people have put on the internet, to find what you want"

Materials you will need

Smartphone Handsets



Google Poster

What can you use it for?

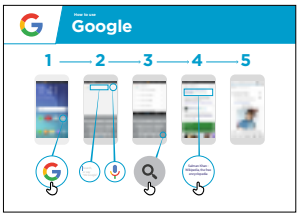
"You can get information on jobs, cooking recipes, movies, songs, news or information for school and college, exams."

"You don't have to go anywhere to find the information, it is all available on the internet on your phone"
Trainer to include their own personal examples of the benefits of Google and what they use it for

Make it relevant to the trainee: discuss how Google Search can be beneficial in the trainee's own life

How does it work?

Put the phone in the trainee's hands and help them follow the steps



Show the poster and go through the steps for a simple search
e.g. search for a famous local landmark or a celebrity

Explain: "The microphone can be used to do voice searches. You do not have to type in any text"

Demonstrate the microphone: where it is and how to use it

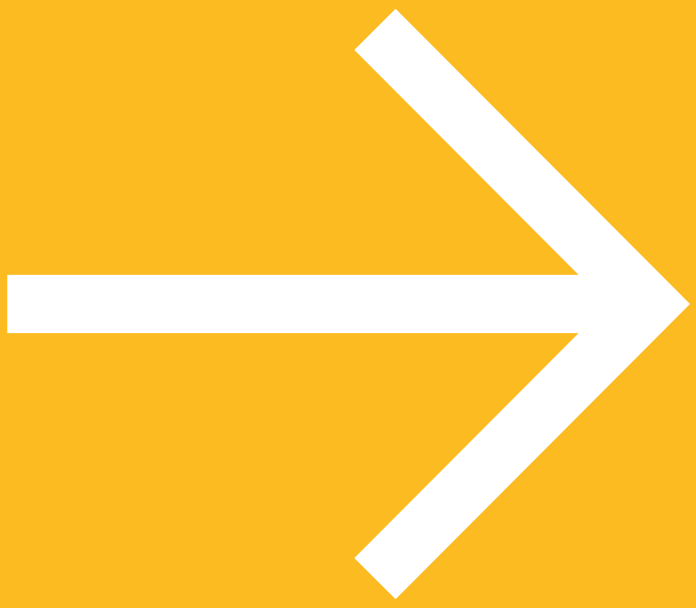
Practice!

"Now that you know about Google, what are you interested in using it for?"

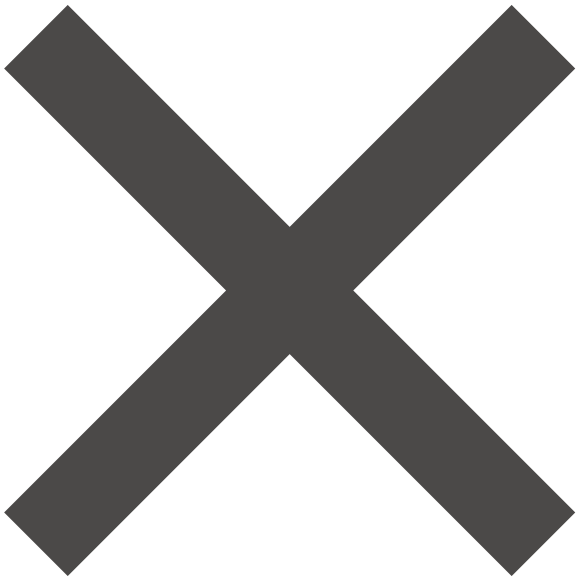
Give the trainee keywords to search for, according to their interest (Try to keep the search simple, use only 1-2 words)

Tip: "There is a lot of great information on the internet, but also some that is not so great, and some that is not truthful. It is always best to look at a minimum of 2-3 results to get the best answer to what you are looking for."

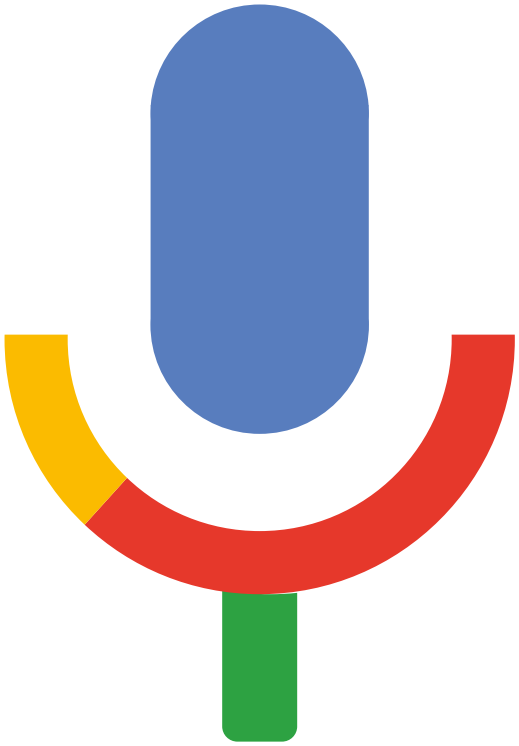
Explain: that there are other similar services to Google, which allow people to search. Some examples of this are Yahoo and Bing



Posters Cut-outs And Info-sheets



Icon Cutouts - Google



How to use

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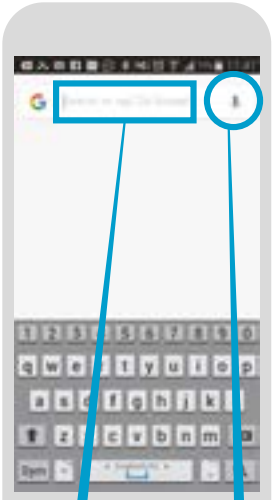

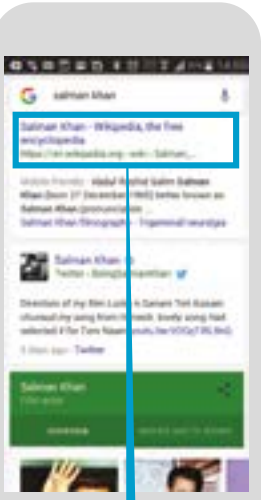

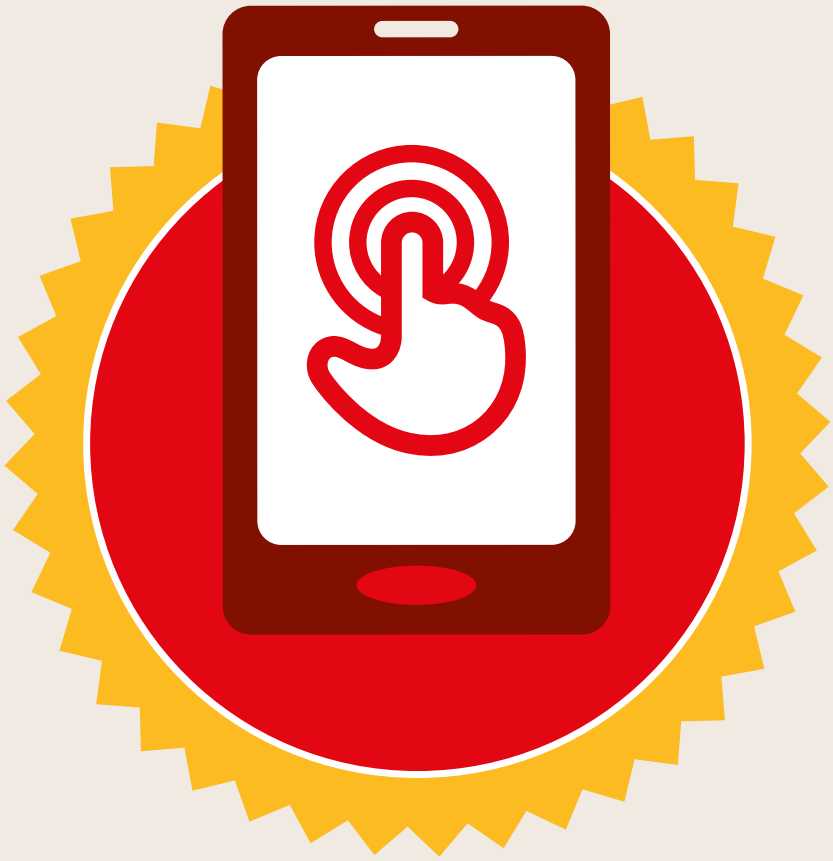

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