Suggestions and Recommendations

Settlement Language Sector:

- Make technology integration and the development of digital citizenship skills a priority for the settlement sector - with a national strategy in place

- Ensure equity in allocation of federal funding towards tech integration among SPOs (infrastructure, training, & ongoing support)

- Encourage organizations to make use of local support systems when developing a tech integration strategy

- Fund research-based development of core teaching and training resources for tech integration and the teaching of digital citizenship

- Support online communities of practice

Instructors:

- Commit to tech integration and the development/enhancement of online course design skills and teaching strategies

- Explore digital citizenship issues through dialogue and self-reflective practice; support newcomers' participatory inclusion in Canadian society

- Take part in training and PD opportunities on the issue

- Advocate for ongoing support - both for instructors and students

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