



WP1 – Adapted Items for DIMI, for 9-11 years

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The goal of the adaptation was to simplify the wording of the items for younger children, as some reported poor understanding of these items.

In translating these items, please consider how they could be phrased in an easy way in the respective language, which children at age 9 could understand.

Variable	Danish	English
literacy_1	Jeg ved, hvordan man ændrer privatindstillingerne (fx slå cookies fra)	I know how to change the privacy settings (for example, turn off cookies)
literacy_2	Jeg ved, hvordan man ændrer privatindstillingerne for sociale medier (fx hvem kan se ting omkring mig på Instagram, Snapchat eller TikTok)	I know how to change the privacy settings in social media (for example, who can see things about me on Instagram, Snapchat or TikTok)
growth_3	lærer jeg nye færdigheder	<i>In German, we had to simplify this item due to the German word for 'skills' being difficult and changed it to "I can teach myself something new". However, in English we concluded that the original version is clear enough. We would ask you to use your own judgement regarding the item difficulty in your language.</i>



emotion_a1	og nogen siger noget grimt om mig online eller i en besked, reagerer jeg med det samme uden at tænke på konsekvenserne	and somebody says something bad about me online or in a text, I immediately react without thinking about the consequences
citizenship_2	bruger jeg internettet til at støtte ting såsom miljøbeskyttelse eller til at gøre andre mennesker opmærksom på klimaforandringer	I use the internet to support things like environmental protection or to make other people aware of climate change
citizenship_3	bruger jeg den til at støtte ting, der virkelig betyder noget i denne verden	I use it to support things that are really important in this world
respect_1	og jeg er uenig med en, forsøger jeg på ikke at sige noget ondt	and I disagree with someone, I try not to say anything mean
respect_2	tænker jeg på andre menneskers følelser	I think about the feelings of other people

