## **Keeping in Touch**

**Learner Card** 

There are lots of ways of keeping in touch with friends and family over the internet. Use the QR Codes to see which ways might work for you and decide what you want to learn more about, then use the learner card for that particular task.

## **Social Media**

What it is: A website where you share all sorts of content with people who subscribe to your page (called 'friends' or 'followers')

**Best For:** Sharing photos, sharing small day-to-day details

with relatives, sharing thoughts and opinions

Less useful for: Face-to-Face communication

Examples: Facebook, Twitter, Instagram





## **VOIP & Video**

What it is: A way to make telephone or video calls over the

internet

**Best For:** Seeing and speaking to one or more people face to

face

**Less useful for:** Sharing photos, sharing with a large group

Examples: Skype, Google Hangouts, Facetime

## **Email**

What it is: A way of sending letters (which can include photos)

online

Best For: Sharing intimate or secure details with one person at

a time

Less useful for: Sharing day-to-day thoughts or activities,

sharing with a wide group of people

Examples: Gmail, Outlook, HushMail



