# DIGITAL SKILLS JOURNEY: STEP BY STEP

**LESSON 3 TITLE:** 

CONNECTING AND USING A PROJECTOR



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## Today's Points:

- 1 Connect the projector to the computer and power source.
- 2 Show the computer screen clearly on the projector.

(1) Connect the projector to the computer and power source.

### Main Idea:

To use a projector, you must connect it to both the computer and the power source.

Once connected, the computer can send the screen image to the projector.

(1) Connect the projector to the computer and power source.

## Lesson point:

- 1) Connect the power cable to the projector.
- 2 Connect the projector to the computer using an HDMI or VGA cable.
- 3 Make sure both devices are turned on before use.

2 Show the computer screen clearly on the projector.

## Main Idea:

After connecting, press "Windows + P" or "Fn + F8 (or F7)" to select the display mode.

Choose "Duplicate" for the same screen or

"Extend" for two screens.

Keep the projector on a flat table, adjust the distance for size, and make the room darker to see better.

2 Show the computer screen clearly on the projector.

## Lesson point:

- 1) Press "Windows + P" or "Fn + F8(F7)" to set "Duplicate" or "Extend."
- 2Keep the projector level and adjust distance.
- 3A darker room makes the screen easier to see.

Note: Shortcuts may differ depending on the computer.

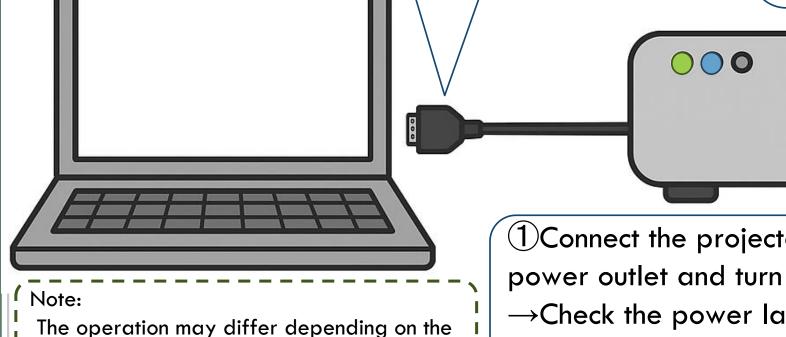
## Lesson Summary

manufacturer. Please check the user manual.



2 Connect the projector to the computer (that is already on) using an **HDMI** or **VGA** cable.

- 3 Adjust the position and focus of the projector.
- →Turn the **focus ring** around the lens slowly until the image becomes clear.



1)Connect the projector to the power outlet and turn it on.

→Check the power lamp — if it's green or blue, the projector is on.

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(1) Share the computer screen Press Windows + P or Fn + F8(F7) to choose the display mode. Select "Duplicate" to show the same screen, or "Extend" to use it as a second screen.

Duplicate

3Adjust the projector's angle so the image is straight and not tilted.

4Dim the room lights to make

the image easier to see.

**5**Refocus the projector if the image looks blurry.

2 Place the projector on a level table and keep enough distance from the screen.