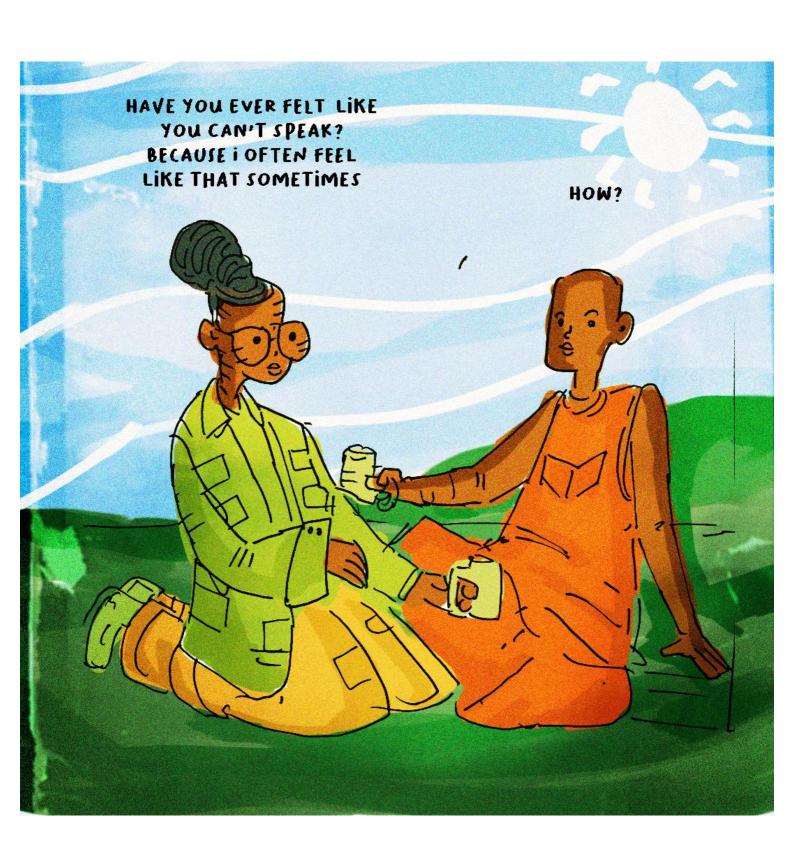
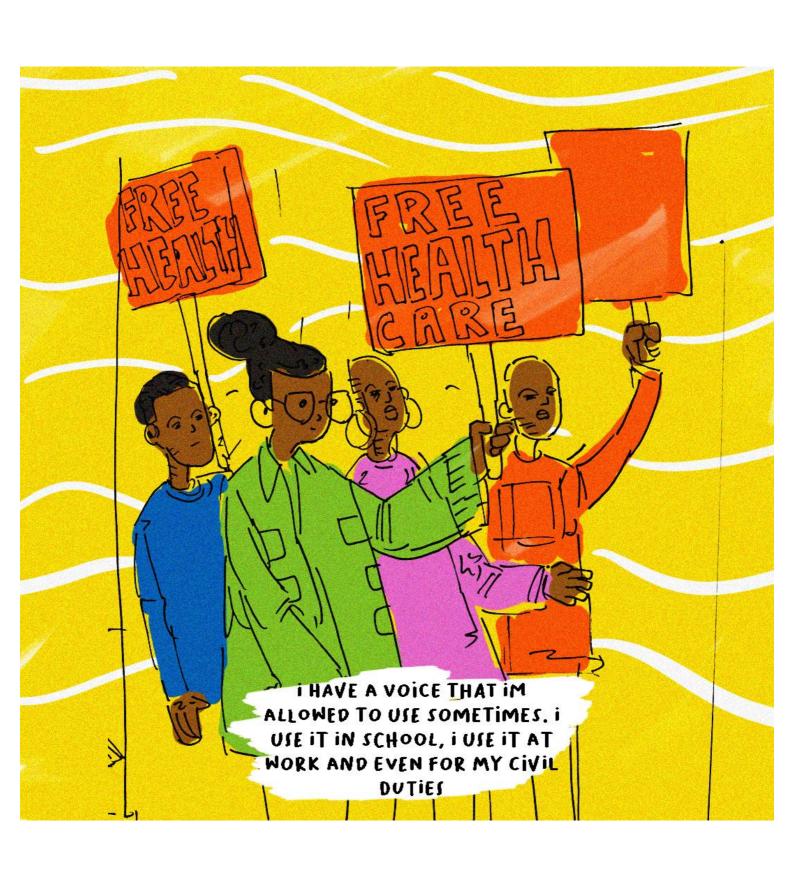
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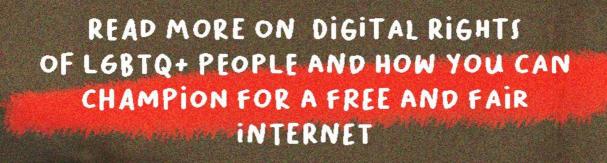
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ONLINE SURVEILLANCE AND CENSORSHIP IMPACT EVERYONE'S RIGHTS, AND PARTICULARLY THOSE OF ALREADY MARGINALISED GROUPS SUCH AS LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL, TRANSGENDER AND QUEER AND OTHERS (LGBTQ+) PEOPLE. THE USE OF NEW TECHNOLOGIES USUALLY REINFORCES EXISTING SOCIETAL BIASES, MAKING THOSE COMMUNITIES PARTICULARLY PRONE TO DISCRIMINATION AND SECURITY THREATS.

THE INTERNET HAS PLAYED A CONSIDERABLE ROLE IN THE DEVELOPMENT AND ORGANISATION OF THE LGBTQ+ COMMUNITY. IT REPRESENTS AN EMPOWERING TOOL FOR LGBTQ+ PEOPLE TO MEET WITH EACH OTHER, TO BUILD NETWORKS AND JOIN FORCES, TO ACCESS INFORMATION AND ACQUIRE KNOWLEDGE ABOUT VITAL HEALTH CARE ISSUES, AS WELL AS TO EXPRESS, SPREAD AND STRENGTHEN THEIR POLITICAL CLAIMS.



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