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Educational Technology

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Explain Everything!



Imagine an App For the iPad that allows the user to do just that— explain anything and everything! It's easy-to-use interface can be used to create and share tutorials, collaborate and develop ideas, and create live or recorded presentations. This tool meets many of the demands of the CCSS including speaking and listening and making use of digital media and visual displays of data to communicate ideas.

Audience: 6-8 teachers

Level: Intermediate / Advanced

Location: Piedmont Middle School Mac Lab

Time: 3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Date: 3/23/16

EdPuzzle



Creating interactive videos is easy with EDpuzzle! EDpuzzle allows you to import videos and edit them online. You can also embed quizzes and questions to the videos for students to complete.

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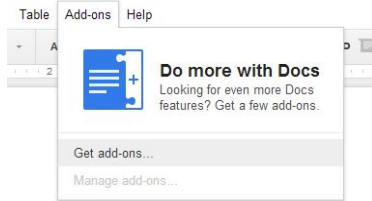
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Apps, Add-ons, and Extensions for Google



For advanced users only. In this session, you will explore external tools offered via Google to enhance the learning experience. This time will be focused on reviewing a variety of numerous tools aligned to the Common Core State Standards (CCSS) in writing, reading, and researching. You will walk away knowing the difference between an app, add-ons, and extensions.

Audience: 3-8 teachers

Level: Advanced

Location: Piedmont Middle School Mac Lab

Time: 3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Date: 4/13/16

Becoming a Google Guru



Looking to advance in GAFE (Google Apps for Education)? This session empowers beginner teachers to become master of the Google domain. Participants will learn all aspects of the primary Google Toolset and explore how their classroom can be transformed. Topics include: Getting the most out of Drive, Docs, Slides, Blogger, Google Classroom and more!

Audience: 3-8 teachers

Level: Beginner

Location: Piedmont Middle School Mac Lab

Time: 3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Date: 4/20/16

Blogger, Websites and ePortfolios



Students and teachers use blogs in many ways, including communication with peers, journaling, explaining the writing process, digital storytelling or simply to share good work. In this session, you will leave with understanding of Google Blogger, creating student websites on Google Sites, and how to begin using ePortfolios.



Audience: 3-8 teachers

Level: Beginner

Location: Piedmont Middle School Mac Lab

Time: 3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Date: 4/27/16

Start your Google Classroom



Google Classroom was designed hand-in-hand with Google Apps for Education to help teachers save time, keep classes organized, and improve communication with students. This session will help participants gain understanding and experience with all of the newest features of Google Classroom. Google Classroom has an easy-to-use interface and intuitive workflow.

Audience: 3-8 teachers

Level: Beginner

Location: Piedmont Middle School Mac Lab

Time: 3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Date: 5/4/16

Hapara Workspace and Highlights



Establish the instructional foundations that accelerate digital teaching and learning. Adopt pedagogies, instructional practices, and growth mindset that educators need to make a shift to digital teaching and learning. This session covers a quick overview of all the Hapara features but will mainly focus on Hapara WORKSPACE and differentiated instruction.

Build end-to-end lessons, units, and projects that will allow students to work collaboratively or autonomously. Make sure to bring material to build a Workspace of your own.

You will need: Lesson objectives/goals, resources, what student evidence/work you'd like to collect, and a rubric or assessment form.

Audience: 3-8 teachers

Level: Intermediate / Advanced

Location: Piedmont Middle School Mac Lab

Time: 3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Date: 5/11/16

Google Sites



Google Sites is the easiest way to make information accessible to people who need quick, up-to-date access. People can work on this easy-to-use interface to add file attachments, information from other Google applications (i.e. Google Docs, Google Calendar, Blogger and Picasa), and new free-form content. Creating a site is as easy as editing a document, and you always control who has access, whether it's just yourself, your students, your colleagues or publish your site to the world!

Audience: K-8 teachers

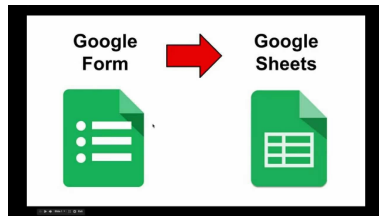
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Time: 3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Date: 5/18/16

Introduction to Google Forms & Sheets



Do you like to collect data? Are you interested in Polling your students? Would you like to easily grade a quiz? Are you interested in formative assessment? How about doing a quick questionnaire? Google Forms will help you quickly and easily to collect and analyze information from multiple users. The primary emphasis on this session is forms, but there will be a very basic overview of

Google Sheets. Forms and sheets is a strategic way to use digital media and displays data that is aligned with Common Core State Standards.

Audience: 3-8 teachers

Level: Intermediate / Advanced

Location: Piedmont Middle School Mac Lab

Time: 3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Date: 5/25/16

Managing your Apple MacBook



Ever wondered how to troubleshoot your MacBook? This session will teach you how to use your MacBook Pro efficiently. Understand how to maintain and upkeep your MacBook and learn some preventative maintenance. Learn how to use your desktop and the different tools associated with your iOS system.

Audience: All

Level: Intermediate / Advanced

Location: Piedmont Middle School Mac Lab

Time: 3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Date: 6/1/16

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