



Technology Trekking : Exhausting, Exhilarating, Energizing

Consider ways that technology can be used to empower yourself and impact students learning. Think about those applications that are realistic, relevant, and practical.

Ten Tech Treks

Tech Trek 1: The Google Game

Select a unit you want to explore. Seek out virtual adventures. Use Google to add life to your unit.

Tech Trek 2: Blog Blitz

Explore the pros and cons on blogging with your class. Consider school policies and access issues. Then, developed a focused activity to try.

Tech Trek 3: Camera Capers

Use your digital camera to promote critical and creative thinking.

Tech Trek 4: Phone Festival

What can you do with your phone?

Tech Trek 5: Podcasting Party

Try a personal project or expand a school activity.

Tech Trek 6: Wiki Wandering

Start by evaluating wikis. Then, add to existing wikis. Finally, create a wiki based on a unique topic.

Tech Trek 7: Flash Fun

Explore what's available in your subject and grade level. How could these resources be integrated into your curriculum?

Tech Trek 8: RSS Rally

Organize your news using an RSS. Consider ways to bring the world into your classroom with current events and timely information.

Tech Trek 9: Fact, Fiction, & In-Between

Face controversy. Ask big questions. Explore and evaluate. Reflect and discuss.

Tech Trek 10: Authentic Adventures

Ask students to use technology to tell the stories of people who make a difference in your community.

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