

Voluntary Public School Choice Project - Polk

May 2011 Cross Mentorship Training

Evaluation	Unacceptable	Needs Work	Average	Very Good	Excellent
Presentation: E-Portfolio					
Presentation was informative, well-organized and clearly presented	0	0	0	0	15
Presentation included active learning and participant involvement	0	0	0	0	15
Probablility that you will implement this best practice at your school	0	0	2	5	8

Comments and Suggestions for:

- Practical, informative, organized...LOVED IT!.
- I would like to use it but will have to see how it fits in with our technology and the reality of starting it. I can see how this practice would attract parents.
- I love the idea for E-Portfolio just to figure budget I also liked the 4 corners activities. All computers for 4/5 grade WOW :-).
- Great :-) to share with parents!
- Looking forward to sharing with students, parents, and school.
- Love the strategic Obj. that guide the reflections; can easily incorporate this w/ artifacts my students already upload to our site.
- Great ideas! Parents would love the E-Portfolio. What a great way to show students progression...I would like to see our school start using E-portfolios.
- *Awesome, Loved the variety of tech. used.
- Need to know the technology part. More about programs used to support portfolio online- *Very powerful tool to engage parents in learning process.
- Great ideas on how to share student samples w/parents through the E-portfolio process.
- I love the E-portfolio idea.
- Great presentation! Looking forward to implementing it. E-portfolio is a nice way to keep parents informed of what their students are doing.
- Using e-portfolios in my grade level!
- Presentation was excellent!! Looking forward to integrating this at my school.

Presentation: Art Integration

Presentation was informative, well-organized and clearly presented	0	1	0	5	10
Presentation included active learning and participant involvement	0	0	1	2	13
Probablility that you will implement this best practice at your school	0	1	6	2	7

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Comments and Suggestions for:

- I think it's a good idea to incorporate arts into other activities and it increases depth of knowledge.
- Great ideas for arts integration!!:-)
- Greatly involved and good to share! Increases enrollment!
- I enjoyed being forced out of my comfort zone.
- Collecting all the materials & props will be a challenge.
- Simple and good ideas to use in classrooms.
- Having teachers teach with such energy, Dok, critical thinking gives me hope.
- I believe students learn better by utilizing creative skills, however the depth of knowledge should be extended beyond that which was shown.
- Love the Zip/Zap/Zop- will implement using song lyrics to aid reading comprehension enrichment activities.
- Great ideas for using it w/ grade!
- Art integration would attract parents to a school.

Presentation: The Responsive Classroom

Presentation was informative, well-organized and clearly presented	0	0	1	0	3
Presentation included active learning and participant involvement	0	0	1	0	3
Probability that you will implement this best practice at your school	0	0	1	0	3

Comments and Suggestions for:

- 1-Loved all the links and new sites.

Presentation: Use of Handheld Computers

Presentation was informative, well-organized and clearly presented	0	0	0	4	8
Presentation included active learning and participant involvement	0	0	0	3	9
Probability that you will implement this best practice at your school	0	0	3	3	5

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Comments and Suggestions for:

- This schools best practice would be very appealing to attracting and returning parents.
- Shared how they received the grant. Liked how all ere able to participate w/ technology.
- I bet this will increase enrollment!
- Enjoyed playing with handhelds & math Amigo.
- Informative as a best practice as a way to increase student performance and lure students to our school.
- The gifts were wonderful! Thank you! They were encouraging & motivating!
- Very fun! Love the uses of a handheld computer!
- Would have to get used to it, but great tech.
- This technology (one-to-one) would attract parents and students to a school. *There are application we see that our OT could use.

Presentation: STEM-Science, Technology, and Math

Presentation was informative, well-organized and clearly presented	0	1	0	5	7
Presentation included active learning and participant involvement	0	0	1	2	10
Probablility that you will implement this best practice at your school	0	0	1	3	9

Comments and Suggestions for Improvement:

- Directions could be more visual for students who are not able to visualize.
- Give overall picture/definition of STEM.
- STEM is one of the latest trends in teaching our county/school has already started to implement these best practices and will continue to do so. *We really enjoyed all of the technology items/books we received they are going to be so useful in the classroom with designing new lessons/projects. The parents would be interested in keeping their children at our school with all the technology we would be introducing to their children.
- Great activities! Students can definitely learn a lot form STEM! The materials given will definitely help promote technology integration at our school. Students will love it.
- This presentation was awesome Love the student involvement!
- Enjoyed the hands on activity excited to share with parents & School. Activities can be incorporated into any classroom.
- Great marketing tool(video made by students).
- Wonderful products that we can use to train implement other teachers on the inventive practices we've learned.
- Love it! We were able to gain ideas to implement into out STEM units.
- Good to see how STEM is implemented in another school. These presentations have been inspiring. I am looking forward to sharing with my teaching team and students some of the new practices I have learned.
- Great ideas!!