

Getting Ready to Student Teach? Keep Ahead with Technology 2014 Technology Workshops at the IMC Library (lower level)

SMART Board Basics, Tuesday, February 4, 2014, 3:45 - 5:00 PM Wednesday, February 12, 2014 5:15 - 6:30 PM

This touch-sensitive interactive whiteboard is a powerful medium for engaging students and audiences and has several tools for enhancing teaching, creating lessons, and delivering presentations. In this workshop students will practice basic SMART Board skills and be introduced to Notebook software that accompanies this board. A more detailed demonstration will be covered in SMARTBoard II.

SMART Board II-Creating Interactive Lessons, Tuesday, February 4, 2014, 5:15 - 6:30 PM Wednesday, February 12, 2014, 3:45 -5:00 PM

Enhance content and motivate students with interactive lessons using Notebook software tools. Create your own lessons or assessments, or modify existing resources. Instruction is modified and tailored as per the needs of the students.

Voice Thread, Thursday, February 20, 2014 3:45 - 5:00 PM

Voice Thread software enables group conversations and comments to be collected and shared in one place from anywhere in the world. Voice Thread is a Web 2.0 collaborative multimedia slide show that holds images, documents, and videos. Teachers can share their Voice Threads with students, and students can interact and leave their comments using voice, text, or video (via a webcam). Students can also doodle and take on multiple identities.

Digital Storytelling, Tuesday, March 4, 2014, 5:15 – 6:30 PM

Digital Storytelling is an extension of traditional storytelling that can be innovatively used by teachers across the K-12 curriculum for individual or collaborative projects and assignments. Using a variety of media such as photos, video, animation, sound and narration students can create stories that are educational or imaginative and fun. The workshop will include a demonstration of select storytelling tools and hands-on experience.

SMART Response PE – Interactive Response System for K-12, Thursday, March 20, 2014 3:45 - 5:00 PM

Get students engaged and motivated using response pads or "clickers." These small, handheld devices enable students to quickly respond to questions asked verbally, or on paper, or screen. Teachers can create planned or spontaneous quizzes, and instantly tally responses, and generate reports. Use these response pads with the SMART Notebook software, and add interactive and multimedia content to the assessments.

WebQuests, Wednesday, March 26, 2014, 3:45 - 5:00 PM

WebQuests are online inquiry-oriented lesson formats that make an effective use of Internet resources. They have been embraced by educational technologists and teachers world-wide. WebQuests provide a rich, technology-enabled environment for team participation, research, and collaboration. They also extend content knowledge and promote critical thinking activities. The workshop will demonstrate how to use the free software Weebly to develop a webquest.

Common Core: Selected Web Resources, Tuesday, April 1, 2014, 3:45 - 5:00 PM

One important step for teaching in the 21st Century is the understanding and implementation of the Common Core Learning Standards. During this workshop students will be shown a variety of resources and examples which demonstrate the use of these standards.

Register now!

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