Clarity Middle School Survey

Instructions

Take 10 minutes to help your school with technology in the classroom.

This is an anonymous survey regarding your technology use. It will take approximately 10 minutes to complete.

Your answers are very important! They will help your school choose the right technology for your classroom.

There are no right or wrong answers. Everyone will have a different set of answers to these questions, depending on his/her different experiences.

Thank you for your time and ideas!

Yes, but I can't take it home

O I don't have one of these at school

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1. Ho	w often do you use computers in class? *
0	Almost daily
0	Weekly
О	Monthly
0	Every few months
0	I don't do this
2. Do	you have a school-owned mobile device to use in class, like a laptop?*
0	Yes, and I can take it home every night
O	Yes, and I can sometimes take it home

3. Do you personally own a ... *

	Yes, and I'm the only user	Yes, and I share it	No, I don't have one
Desktop computer *	С	O	C
Laptop *	С	О	O
Tablet, like an iPad *	С	О	O
Smartphone, like an Android or iPhone *	С	O	С

Do you personally own a ... *

	Yes, and I'm the only user	Yes, and I share it	No, I don't have one
MP3 player, like an iPod *	О	С	O
e-Reader, like a Kindle *	О	С	O
Digital camera (photo and/or video) *	О	С	O

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Is your Internet at home wireless? *

0	Yes

O No

Idon't know

SKILLS

5. How easy is it for you to ... *

	Very Easy	Easy	Moderate	Hard	I can't do this
Attach a printer to a computer *	C	0	O	0	O

Send an email *	C	0	0	0	O
Create a spreadsheet *	C	0	0	0	О
Edit a photo *	0	0	0	0	0

6. How easy is it for you to ... *

	Very Easy	Easy	Moderate	Hard	I can't do this
Record and edit audio *	О	0	O	0	O
Record and edit video *	O	0	0	0	0
Use online documents, like Google Docs *	О	0	0	0	0
Use web tools to get information online, like RSS feeds *	С	0	О	0	O
Find out if online content is trustworthy *	О	0	0	0	0
Download and install software, like an app *	О	0	O	0	О

7. Do you agree with the following statements? *

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly disagree
I learn technology easily.	C	0	0	0	0
I find good solutions when I have a problem with technology.	O	C	C	C	O

8. How often do you do the following online? *

	Almost daily	Weekly	Monthly	Every few months	Never
Download pictures from a camera *	О	C	О	С	0
Download music from the Internet *	О	0	C	О	0
Play games on a computer *	О	0	0	C	0
Send text messages *	О	0	0	О	0

9. How often do you do the following online? *

	Almost daily	Weekly	Monthly	Every few months	Never
Buy things online, like an app *	O	O	0	0	C
Look at friends' photos or videos online *	O	O	0	0	0
Chat on the Internet *	О	O	0	0	0
Read things on the Internet *	0	0	0	0	0
Write a review (Amazon, Yelp,) blog, or comment on a blog post *	С	C	С	С	0

10. If you wanted to learn more about something, how often would you \dots *

	All of the time	More than half of the time	Less than half of the time	Rarely	None of the time
Search the Internet	О	С	О	0	С
Buy a book	0	О	C	О	О
Ask a friend or teacher	О	О	О	0	С
Go to the library	0	О	О	0	О

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11. Who has talked to you about how to use the Internet and cell phones responsibly from the list below? Check all that apply *	
☐ Your parent(s)/ guardian(s)	
☐ A teacher or adult at school	
☐ A family member	
☐ A friend	
☐ Coach or community member	
☐ A librarian	
☐ Websites	
\square No one has talked to me about this	

12. How often do a majority of your teachers ask you to ...*

	At least weekly	Monthly	Every few months	Never
Use online documents, like Google Docs	C	0	C	C
Collaborate online with classmates	C	0	C	0
Collaborate online with students at other schools	О	C	О	0

13. How often do a majority of your teachers ask you to ... *

	At least weekly	Monthly	Every few months	Never
Post something online	О	0	О	О
Receive feedback from students IN class	0	O	O	О
Receive feedback ONLINE from someone other than your teacher (an outside expert, another student in the class, or at a different school,)	О	О	О	О
Use chat or video chat applications (IM, GoogleTalk, Skype,)	C	С	C	О
Collaborate online with them	0	О	С	0
Use web tools to get information online, like RSS feeds	0	0	0	О

14. How often do a majority of your teachers ask you to ... *

	At least weekly	Monthly	Every few months	Never
Use a digital camera (photo and/or video) *	O	0	O	0
Use computers to make presentations *	0	0	0	0
Create and upload music, movies, webcasts, or art *	О	0	0	0
Post your schoolwork online *	0	0	0	0
Use technology to make models or simulations *	C	0	0	0
Solve problems that require math by using tools (graphing calculators, GeoGebra,) *	О	O	О	0

15. How often do a majority of your teachers ask you to ...*

	At least weekly	Monthly	Every few months	Never
Do research online *	C	0	C	0
Do experiments or take measurements using technology *	О	O	С	0
Identify and solve real-life problems using technology *	О	О	С	0
Gather and analyze data using technology *	C	0	C	0
Make an argument using evidence from online sources *	О	О	О	0

16. How often do a majority of your teachers teach the following ... *

	At least weekly	Monthly	Every few months	Never
How to cite information I find online (articles, images, videos, audio,) *	О	О	О	0
How to share information about myself online *	C	0	O	0
How to act respectfully online *	О	0	0	0
How to respond to online bullying *	O	0	0	0
How to recognize trustworthy online content	C	0	O	0

17. How often do you get to choose what you learn about?
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 Almost daily 	/
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- Weekly
- Monthly
- Every few months
- Never

ENVIRONMENT

18. What are the major obstacles to using technology in school? Check all that apply ...*

	☐ I don't know how to use it.									
	☐ My teachers don't have us use technology.									
	☐ Technology at school isn't very good.									
	☐ School rules get in the way.									
	\square The computers at school are not like the ones I know how to use.									
19. Are you part of a group at school that helps people use technology? * C Yes No										
20. How strongly do you agree with the following statements*										
		Strongly agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly disagree				
Te	echnology in the classroom helps me	0	0	0	O	0				

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly disagree
Technology in the classroom helps me learn.	О	0	C	О	O
I pay more attention when we use technology in class.	О	0	C	O	O
My school likes us to use technology in class.	О	0	C	О	O
I want to learn more about technology for school.	О	0	C	O	O
I think computers and technology make my life better.	0	О	0	0	0

Miscellaneous

21. Are	you 13-years old or older? *
0	Yes
0	No

22. How often do you use the following social networks? *

	Almost daily	Weekly	Monthly	Every few months	Never
Facebook *	C	O	0	О	C
Google Plus *	C	O	0	С	0
LinkedIn *	С	О	0	С	0
Twitter *	0	0	0	О	0

23. If you wanted to learn more about something, how often would you ask a question in a social network like Facebook or Twitter?

- All of the time
- O More than half of the time
- C Less than half of the time
- Rarely
- None of the time

24. What grade are you in? *

- 5th grade
- 6th grade
- 7th grade
- 8th grade
- 9th grade

Thank You!

