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Enhancing the Traditional Classroom

Link to Resources: http://bit.ly/DigitalTactics

OBJECTIVES:

- Understand the benefits of digital learning environments.
- Address common concerns with incorporating digital tools.
- Preview these four digital tools:
 - **√**Wikispaces
 - ✓Voyant
 - **✓**TimeMapper
 - **√**Kumu
- Discuss teaching materials and digital possibilities.



Let's Get Digital!

But, why ?

CREATING

USE INFORMATION TO CREATE SOMETHING NEW

Design, Build, Construct,

Plan, Produce, Devise, Invent

EVALUATING

CRITICALLY EXAMINE INFO &

MAKE JUDGEMENTS

Judge, Test, Critique,

Defend, Criticize

ANALYZING

TAKE INFO APART &

EXPLORE RELATIONSHIPS

Categorize, Examine,

Compare/Contrast, Organize

APPLYING

USE INFORMATION IN A NEW (BUT SIMILAR) SITUATION

Use, Diagram, Make a Chart, Draw, Apply, Solve, Calculate

UNDERSTANDING

UNDERSTANDING & MAKING SENSE OUT OF INFORMATION

Interpret, Summarize, Explain, Infer, Paraphrase, Discuss

REMEMBERING

FIND OR REMEMBER INFORMATION

List, Find, Name, Identify, Locate

Describe, Memorize, Define

Advantages of Digital Learning:

- Fosters high level thinking (according to cognitive complexity and depth of knowledge taxonomy).
- Promotes new and different analyses.
- Creates digital learning environments that are:
 - **✓** Collaborative
 - ✓ Multi-sensory
 - **✓** Flexible
- Expedites multi-dimensional feedback loops.
- Prepares students for our dynamic digital world.

Common Concerns:







Time

- new assignment creation
- too much material to cover

Accessibility

 unequal access to computers and/or internet for students

Unknowns

- not "tech savvy"
- past failed attempts

Wikispaces - http://www.wikispaces.com/

Voyant - https://voyant-tools.org/

TimeMapper - http://timemapper.okfnlabs.org/

Kumu - https://kumu.io/

Discussion and Questions!



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