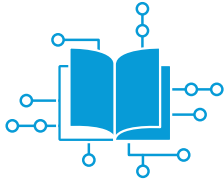


# TechStart

## WELCOME TO TECHSTART

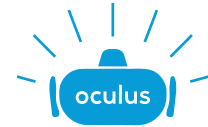


TechStart, powered by Facebook, is a nationwide initiative striving to modernize education through technology

### What is TechStart?



Facebook has partnered with Arkansas to introduce a first-of-its-kind program to high schools in the state, providing students with new experiences and opportunities within the technology space



This specific partnership focuses on virtual reality technologies as well as related opportunities, such as awards and events for both teachers and students

### What is the TechStart Mission?

Leverage computer science and emerging technologies to unlock opportunities for student success

### What are the Key Benefits?

TechStart is comprised of 4 major components:

Exposure to emerging technologies (e.g., virtual reality) and relevant projects

Marquee events during the school year with mentorship opportunities

Award and recognition opportunities

Ongoing support from the Facebook TechStart team

### How Do I Get Started?

#### ***TechStart Teacher***

Please refer to the *"TechStart Teacher Starter Guide"* to get started

#### ***TechStart Student Innovator***

Please refer to the *"TechStart Student Innovator Starter Guide"* to get started

#### ***Every TechStart Participant***

Please refer to the *"Trailblazer Awards Guide"* to learn about award and recognition opportunities

**Thank you for being a part of  
the TechStart community!**

