

Title II-D Ed Tech Grant Evaluation

Throughout the course of this project, continued evaluation shall be conducted to assure the success of activities and ultimately, student achievement. There are three areas that will be evaluated: (1) the Technology Leadership Team (TLT) and their ongoing activities related to this project, (2) student achievement, and (3) access to technology.

All members of the TLT will participate in peer evaluation throughout the project to give and receive feedback and to share ideas in the use of technology in their curriculum. The Project Director will facilitate this training and provide formative evaluation including feedback and support. Principals will also assist in the evaluation process to ensure goals are being met. The technological skills of the TLT will be measured through the use of a pre- and post-evaluation instrument. In addition, successful implementation of units written by TLT teachers, aligned with ODE's Technology CCGs, that help students meet state benchmarks in writing and math will be used to measure the success of this grant.

Student achievement will be measured through state test performance in writing and math and analyzed by teachers, administrators and curriculum coordinators. Our partnership with OWP will provide writing assessment training to teachers to assist them in measuring student performance and to identify methods of instruction to address weaknesses. Math and Writing tests in non-benchmark years will be scored by staff in order to measure performance gains each year. In addition, instructional practices will be monitored to ensure that technology-enhanced instruction is taking place on a regular basis. Finally, student and teacher access to technology will be logged to determine usage. Teachers will monitor and record student access to technology to ensure that students are using computers for writing on a continuous basis. Math teachers will similarly log usage of technology equipment as well as web sites that are being used to enhance student learning. The Project Director will ensure that the equipment is being used by classroom visitations and regular review of the log sheets.