

TRIG Classroom Readiness Activity for 2014-2015

Professional Development centered on best practice technology integration and classroom readiness for online assessments

http://22itrig.org (Click on Activities, then Classroom Readiness, then 2014-2015 Participation Info.)

Applications due: Friday February 21, 2014

Benefits of Participation

- Free and sustainable technology readiness professional development for all staff.
- Classroom technology integration based on learning standards and focused on next generation online assessments and 21st century technology skills.
- Train-the-trainer model designed to build local leadership and understanding of technology integration into curriculum along with data collection and analysis.

Classroom Readiness Activity Highlights

- Districts can apply for entire district or individual building participation.
- Buildings participating in the 2013-2014 TRIG Classroom Readiness pilot project are not eligible to apply.
- Building Administrators will work with their Regional Coordinator to select 1 coach per 30 teachers. If there are multiple buildings in the district that decide to participate, coaches may be shared across buildings.
- Coaches will be trained by the Regional Coordinator during the summer of 2014.
- Coaches will lead all teachers through a blended course called Teacher Technology Readiness, or T3, which is approximately 30 hours of professional learning centered on best practice technology integration and readiness for online assessments.
- Participating sites must agree to implement the T3 course with all staff. It is strongly recommended that this becomes the building's professional development plan for the school year.
- Participating sites will receive \$3,530 per building. The site's Classroom Readiness Team consisting of Regional Coordinator, building administrator, coach, and/or technology and curriculum directors will determine how the funds will be spent to carry out the work of the activity.
- A list of acceptable uses of funds is available on the "duties of Coach" page (linked on website.) Examples include coach stipend, substitute costs, teacher or building incentives, technology conference costs, or other items agreed upon by the team.

Link to overview video (3 minutes):

http://screencast.com/t/l0aqxfyjz

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