

Loveland High School
 January 16, 2009
 Staff Development Day Schedule

8:00 - 8:55	Department Meetings			
9:00 - 9:45	Differentiating with Web 2.0 Tools (Room 602)	Adobe Photoshop in the Classroom (Room 201)	Beyond Scholars Mart: 2008 CSAP Data Analysis (Library)	Clicker Training (Room 801)
9:55 - 10:40	The Basics of Social Networking in the Classroom (Room 106)	Integrating Montage into Everyday Lessons (Library)	Beyond Scholars Mart: 2008 CSAP Data Analysis (Room 602)	
10:50 - 11:35	Rtl at Loveland High School (Library)	Moodle 101 (Room 602)	IB Diploma Programme Meeting (Room 103)	
11:35- 1:00	Lunch on Your Own			
1:00 - 1:40	All Staff Meeting (Library)			
1:40 - 2:00	Using TurnItIn.com (Optional Training) (Library)			
2:05 - 3:00	Individual or Group Time as Needed Friends of Rachel Meeting for Interested Faculty and Staff			

Session Descriptions

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Adobe Photoshop in the Classroom

Jami Robinson

This 45-minute session will explore the basics of Adobe Photoshop. With the Photoshop Program you can put a co-workers head on another person's body, touch up your highlights, change a picture to a drawing, and so much more! It's a great stress reliever for grade crunch time. Please bring your own .jpg image(s) to manipulate on your favorite jump drive. I will bring a few for the 'unprepared'.

The Basics of Social Networking in the Classroom

Deanna Dykstra & Scott Elias

Students are spending an increasing amount of time on social networking sites like Facebook and My Space. The NEA and other professional organizations are beginning to realize the potential value of social networking in education. Author Will Richardson says, "While most kids' uses of these technologies are 'friendship-based,' the more compelling shift is when their use is 'interest based' or when they connect with other kids or adults around the topics or ideas they are passionate to learn about." Join us for a basic survey of the tools that are available and see how they are being leveraged by classroom teachers around the world to engage their students and improve their practice.

Beyond Scholars Mart: 2008 CSAP Data Analysis

Ken Gwynn

2008 CSAP student information will not be available via Scholar's Mart for the foreseeable future. Therefore, I have built an alternative way to access the data. Spend time with me and I will help you access student data from another source.

Clicker Training

Craig Lange

Heard about using the "clickers" in your class but you're unsure how that looks in practice? Come spend some time with the science department and get an overview of how you can incorporate the clickers into your classroom practice.

Differentiating with Web 2.0 Tools

Toni Theisen

Need some new resources to help students understand in a different way? Want to try some new skill to help students with vocabulary or to synthesize a concept or story by making an online cartoon? Come and explore TeacherTube, Wordle and ToonDoo.

Integrating Montage into Everyday Instruction

Marylou Rogers

In this session you will learn how to log on the Montage server, search content for use in a specific lesson, create a "playlist" of video clips to support your lesson/lecture and finally, how to play these videos and clips in your classroom through the SAFARI system. Please come to this session with a specific lesson or lecture selection for which you will create a video playlist to support the objectives. Join us to learn how to use this great teaching tool!

Moodle 101

Val Downing & Ken Gwynn

This training will be adjusted to meet the needs of the participants. We will cover setting up classes, enrolling students, an overview of the different activities available and how to use them. If you have specific needs you know you will want to address, please email Ken or Val ahead of time so we can be prepared to help.

Rtl at Loveland High School

Fred Dreier

Response to Intervention (Rtl) is a student support philosophy and program that has been mandated by the state of Colorado. Beginning in the fall of 2009, all schools in the Thompson School District are required to have a plan for implementation. This presentation provides Loveland High School teachers with a preliminary look at Rtl at our school.

Using TurnItIn.com

Lindsey Dunn

We will go over very briefly how to log on and hook up a class. This is so easy and the payoff is huge. Please email your name to Ken Gwynn before Friday so we can all logon at the training.

Please make sure to attend one session during each of the three morning sessions. Language Arts, Special Ed, and MYP teachers have other commitments and are not expected to attend the morning sessions.