Grow Your Tech Skills to Improve Student Learning & by Engaging with Your Colleagues

Course Description:

Learn, share, and grow your technology skills to improve student learning and engagement. Learn to use and apply a multitude of online learning tools to create meaningful learning for your students while maintaining your sanity. You will have the freedom to make every assignment meaningful and practical for your students and classroom. Get tuned up for next year.

Make your online teaching experience more enjoyable and time effective by learning to:

· adopt online best practices

· implement free student management systems

· integrate content/grade level resources

· apply online assessment tools

· use tips, tricks, shortcuts

All of the course activities will be designed to empower you to improve your skills, create customized materials, acquire targeted resource and develop plans for your classroom environment. This is your chance to broaden your current online learning knowledge, strengthen the areas where you feel weak, and equip yourself with new skills, online tools, and understanding to start an uncertain school year with confidence and virtual power J. Looking forward to seeing you online

Credits: 3/75 SCECHs

Instructor: Tim Dimmick.

Instructional Method: Online

Dates: June 14 -June 18

Required Text: No text is required. Computer and good Internet access, essential!

Prerequisite: Students should possess basic computer knowledge and have had some experience using technology in the classroom.

Course Objectives: The goal of this course is for you to discover and implement the latest internet tools and develop a distance learning plan to improve learning in your classroom.

The course has been developed so that you will be allowed to complete assignments in a way that will best benefit your students and your classroom.

Topic Outline:

Video Conferencing

Video Recording

Personal Management Planning

Communication Planning

Class Organization Planning

Assessment Tools/Flashcards

Subject/Content Materials

Teacher Tools and Resources

Chrome Extensions

Final Project

Evaluation Methods: There will be 10 assignments, worth 5-30 points each for a total of 100 points. A detailed rubric will be provided for all assignments. Late work will be reduced by 50%.

Grade Points

A 100-93 C 73-76

A- 90-92 C- 70-72

B+ 87-89 D+ 67-69

B 83-86 D 63-66

B- 80-82 D- 60-62

C+ 79-77 E below 60

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