Welcome To The 21st Century Classroom

Incorporation into Elementary Academic Areas



Incorporation into MS/HS Academic Areas



IPads in Lexington Last Year













- Set of 10-12 in each elementary school for primary grades
- Set of iPads at Hastings School to work with special education students (LEF grant)
- iPad cart in science departments at Clarke and at Diamond (LEF Grant)
- iPads for middle school math intervention
- iPad cart for High School English/History classrooms

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Apple Unveils E-Textbook Strategy for K-12



Philip Schiller, Apple's senior vice president of Worldwide Marketing, discusses iBooks 2 for iPad on Jan. 19 in New York City. IBooks 2 will be able to display books with videos and other interactive features.

—Mark Lennihan/AP

Technology company pairs with publishers



The Student Backpack Is Changing





Obama Administration Challenges Schools to Embrace Digital Textbooks



Recent Events

- Florida mandates transition to digital textbooks.
- Fairfax County Virginia moving towards extensive use of online textbooks.
- National survey of nation's educators site importance of new technologies



The Lexington High School Pilot

- Thank you to the Lexington Education Foundation!
- Grant written and approved for \$58,040 that will allow school district to determine the effect of providing group of grade 10 students and their teachers with iPads for use at home and at school.



Goals for our Students

- To increase student engagement in the curriculum
- To increase productivity and ownership of school work
- To promote personalized, self-directed learning
- To determine effectiveness of e-textbooks
- To determine effectiveness of note-taking and highlighting apps



School District Goals

- To determine the most effective ways we can provide technical support and appropriate training of key players.
- To determine feasibility of a larger student iPad program in future years.



- Pre and post surveys of teachers, students, and parents
- Attendance, grades, progress report information of pilot students
- Research would involve comparing this year's student data with data from last year
- Anecdotal information





Who Are the Students

- Students are 53 Grade 10 students found to have common classes in college level English, social studies, math, and science
- A very diverse group of learners



Who Are the Teachers

- Science- Whitney Hagins, Reggie Hobbs, Laura Byron
- Math- Susan McClellon
- English- David Walsh
- History- Kathryn DeWitt
- Special Ed.- Paul Tiernan, Kristen Grant

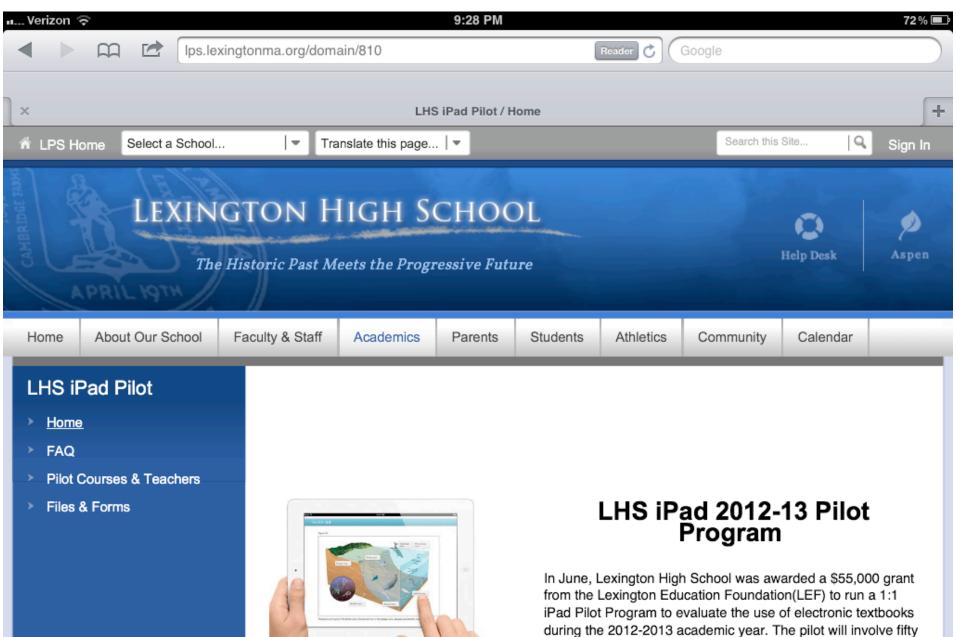


- Special education resource room teachers
- Grade 10 teachers
- ELL teacher
- Department heads
- Technology team
- High School administrative team



Steps Taken Thus Far

- iPads provided to classroom teachers along with training
- Teachers begin to develop curriculum materials
- Student iPads and appropriate Apps purchased
- Parent meetings held (100% participation) at which iPad Student Handbook discussed
- Web site created with updated information



process.

students in the 10th grade who were found to have common classes in the core subject areas of Geometry, Biology, English and Social Studies as a result of the course recommendation



- Students begin initial training on devices in classes Oct 10
- Students able to take iPad home October 10, 11
- District securing insurance for loss or damage



- Securing student iPads
 - during school day
 - after school
- Updating software apps on iPad
- iPad workshops for parents during year

Final Thought

We must close the gap between how today's students learn and how they live!