



Apple Technology Leadership Institute The 21st Century School

Eugene 4J Site Visit: Howard Elementary and the Arts and Technology Academy at Jefferson

Technology Rich Laptop Learning Environments

Register today.

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You don't want to miss this one!

Crossing the Digital Divide Between Students and School

There is a way to bridge the digital divide. A way to engage students and make education relevant for learners who live in a digital world.

How? Research data, expert opinion, descriptive studies, and anecdotes from schools all lead to the same conclusions—1 to 1 learning can improve student achievement, advance digital equity, enhance teaching and learning, and strengthen economic development.

1:1 Learning: A Review and Analysis by the Metiri Group

Audience.

- Superintendents, Curriculum/Learning Services/Technology Directors, Principals, Teachers, and School Board Members.

Why attend.

This event demonstrates what a common vision of a 21st century learning environment can look like across grades levels. Eugene School District 4J, a site-based district, is committed to adopting a digital school model of high access computing and other digital technologies across the curriculum and grade levels. At present, Howard Elementary School and the Arts and Technology Academy K - 8 have fully implemented this vision with other schools following a district phased-in approach.

What you'll learn.

This site visit focuses on a 21st century learning environments in the elementary and middle school with high technology access and use by students and teachers anytime, anywhere. You will hear from school leaders, have the opportunity to see these laptop learning initiatives in action, and interact with students, teachers and campus administrators. In addition, school officials and Apple personnel will share the story of the journey down the road to this 21st century learning environment. It is recommended that districts send a team of 5 - 6 people.

When and where.

When: Friday, April 23, 2010

Starting at 7:15 am Fri., April 23

Ending 3:00

Location: Beginning at:

Howard Elementary School

700 Howard Avenue, Eugene, OR

Tentative Agenda

to be sent upon registration

Cost of the program. Apple will host lunch and activities for district teams during the forum. Schools are responsible for transportation to the institute location and lodging, if needed. Apple recommends staying at the Valley River Inn or the Hilton Eugene Hotel.

Questions. Call or email Bob Whicker, Education Development Executive, 425-358-1433 or rwhicker@apple.com

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