

Leadership Action Plan

Part 4: Contributions

How will you contribute to the effectiveness, vitality and self-renewal of the teaching profession and of their school and community?

I feel that there are several ways that I can contribute to the effectiveness, vitality, and self-renewal of the teaching profession in my schools and community. First, I believe that my greatest contribution will be to support teachers in their technology integration goals and aspirations. I will work to make sure that no teachers feels that they are alone in their efforts or that their requests for support go unanswered.

Second, I can also be a model for positive change and effective instruction. My instruction to teachers should utilize and model effective use of the technologies that would benefit them in their own instruction.

Finally, I will also help to recognize and celebrate the successes in my schools. By sharing the hard work and success of other teachers, their colleagues will be more likely to follow their lead and try some new ideas in their own classrooms.

In what ways will you give back to the education profession and larger learning community? (Grants, Online Lesson plans, Flipped Classroom Lesson, etc.)

I will give back to the education profession and larger learning community by continuing to create and share learning resources. In the immediate future, I am working with my colleagues in the Education Technology department to create an online course for learning Web 2.0 tools. The content for this class will be delivered entirely online through Canvas and possibly iTunes U. Any course materials we create will be shared through our district website, various social media outlets, and other resources available to us.



I will also be working on a collection on technology resources for ceramic art education with my colleague from Pennsylvania. This work will be presented at the National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts and will become a part of their online archive of conference resources.

I also plan to continue to help teachers seek out and apply for grants for technology tools that will benefit their classrooms. I will also apply for grants to fund new technology resources for my schools.