

STRATEGIC PLAN

2014-2015 Technology

Goals:

- 1 Increase technology integration into the MCS curriculum for instruction, learning, and collaboration by 30%.
- 2 Reduce MCS's carbon footprint by embracing cloud technologies.
- 3 Increase school to home connection through cloud based technologies.

How This Goal Will Be Evaluated: .

- 1 BOY and EOY surveys for teachers and students.
- 2 Compare costs for paper and ink in 2014-15 and 2013-14 school years.

Action Steps:	Person(s) responsible:	Timelines	Budget
Look for grant opportunities to increase technology in MCS.	Administrator, grant writing committee	On-going 2014-15	\$0
Collaborate to write grants to acquire more technology: Chromebooks (grades 2-8), tablets (grades K&1), and SMART Boards (add two to have one in each classroom).	Administrator, grant writing committee, staff	On-going 2014-15	\$0
Reviewers look over grants before application sent.	Support from University of Idaho & school board members	On-going 2014-15	\$0
Submit grants on time	Administrator, grant writing committee, staff	On-going 2014-15	\$0
Purchase new technology while maintaining current technology.	Anne Wessels	2014-15	\$0
Upgrade technology software for instruction	Anne Wessels	2014-15	TBD
Continue hosting website and email offsite	Angie and Dain White	2014-15	\$4000
Integrate more web based instructional & interactive learning resources	Staff, Support from University of Idaho	On-going 2014-15	\$0

Increase student use of technology to support learning both individually and collaboratively	Staff	On-going 2014-15	\$0
Integrate Google Apps and other cloud technologies to enable students to access work from home and to save \$ on paper and ink	Staff	On-going 2014-15	\$0
Continue using software as an instructional tool. (Crystal Rainforest, Read Naturally, Lexia and Alpha Smart, Brainplay typing (K)	Staff	On-going 2014-15	\$1300
Use email and website as a communication tool for parents, community and among school staff	Administrator, Staff, Parents	On-going 2014-15	\$1799
Friday folders and Friday emails	Administrator, Staff, Parents	On-going 2014-15	\$0
Utilize the internet as an instructional tool	Staff	On-going 2014-15	\$0
Develop and add to new MCS website	Administrator, Staff, Board Members, PAT and Angie and Dain White	On-going 2014-15	TBD
Continue using digital anthology, Google earth, open office Apangea	All school	On-going 2014-15	\$0
Increase school to home connection through the use of Google Apps by utilizing Docs, Forms, and Sheets for parent feedback	Administrator, Staff, Board members	On-going 2014-15	\$0

Planned Professional Development to Meet Annual Goal

On-going training through University of Idaho's Doceo Center for Innovation + Learning with online course - Google Apps Advanced