GRANT WOOD AEA DIGITAL LEARNING UPDATE

June 2024
- 24-25 professional learning offerings
- AI for educators; Engagement Excellence, High impact teaching practices; Firm Goals, Flexible Means; Transformative Classrooms; Computer Science Pedagogy; Computer Science Strategic Planning; Computer Science SCRIPT Network, Cybersecurity Basics K-5; Elementary Computer Science Course; Exploring CS Teacher STandards; Refine & Refresh CS Strategic Planning; Robot & Physical Computing Playground; Scaling Inclusive Pedagogy; Understanding & Unpacking K-12 CS Standards
- A Byte CS Podcast - E3 CS Standards with Joan
- Volunteers needed for 2024 CS Ed Week
- Digital Learning Tips and Tricks - Google Drive Priority & Workspaces

May 2024
- Teacher appreciation week
- EdTech Takeout EP 121 AI Madness Final Four and EP 122 AI Madness Championship Round
- Close the Digital Use Divide tips
- A Byte of CS Podcast Ep 2 ELL = UDL with Tim
- Pear deck 2024-25, monthly sync sessions
- Seesaw updates
- CS ed week volunteers needed
- Computer science endorsement
- DL Tips and Tricks - Finding files with advanced search
- New professional learning resources: The Gift of Story; The Joy of Reading; Literacy Theory for Robots

April 2024
- EdTech Takeout EP 120 AI Madness Series
- National Educational Technology Plan
- CS Podcast - Episode 1 Cognitive Load with Erin
- Learning - Pack you Bag for the Future
- Pear Deck monthly sync sessions
- Pear Practice
- Seesaw professional learning series and updates
- Need CS Ed Week volunteers
- SCRIPT in Practice
- Iowa Classrooms & Workplaces Summit
- Secondary computer science endorsement cohort
- Digital Learning Tips & Tricks - Finding file with advanced search
- School library month

March 2024
- EdTech Takeout EP 119 The National Ed Tech Plan
- New national Ed Tech plan released
- CS Podcast - Ep 0 Unplugged with Charlene
- Learning: Firm Goals, Flexible Means; AI in EDU; Pack Your Bags for the Future
- Pear Deck monthly sync sessions
- Seesaw professional learning series

- Looking for 2024 CS Ed Tech week volunteers
- CS PD - CS Pedagogy & Best Practices course; Secondary CS Endorsement
- Digital Learning Tips & Tricks - Take actions with tasks
- United State research resources

- A Byte of CS Podcast
- AI in EDU - create interactive interviews with AI
- Learning - Transformative classrooms workshop for coaches; Firm Goals, Flexible Means; AI for Educators
- Pear Deck monty sync sessions
- National Ed Tech plan released
- Looking for 2024 CS Ed Week volunteers
- Computer science pedagogy course
- Free secondary computer science endorsement cohort
- Digital learning tips and tricks Taking Action with Tasks
- Library lunch and learn
- Boxed book sets available

- Edtech Takeout Podcast EP 118 A Few of Our Favorite Nuggets
- Professional learning - Transformative Classrooms workshop for coaches; Firm Goals Flexible Means; AI in EDU
- Pear Deck sync sessions
- Computer Science PD - Elementary Computer Science Course; Computer Science Pedagogy course; Free Secondary Computer Science Endorsement
- Digital Learning Tips and Tricks - Google Chrome Open Tabs on Restart
- Media Library resources - Ready for Real Life; Behind Their Screens; Growing in Public

- Edtech Takeout podcast - Ep 117 Welcome, Shalyn & News & Nuggets
- AI in Edu - Goblin Tools
- Transformative classrooms workshop for coaches
- Pear Deck sync sessions
- Seesaw FYI
- Computer science ed week Dec 4-10 Creativity in AI
- CS PD - Elementary computer science course; CS Pedagogy course; Free secondary computer science endorsement cohort
- Digital learning tips & tricks - Finding files with advanced search
- Media Library Resources - How Scaffolding Works; Developing Digital Detectives; 50 Strategies for Integrative AI into Classrooms

- AI in education - toolkit
- Edtech Takeout podcast - Ep 116 Welcome Back and Goodbye Jamboard
- GWAEA DL at ITEC 2023
- Seesaw for Schools
- Pear Deck Monthly sync sessions
- CS ed week Dec 4-10, 2023
- Digital Learning Tips & Tricks - Gmail filters
- Media library - Invisible Things, Hush-a-bye, I am Made of Mountains
- Iowa PBS feedback requested survey

- AI in EDU - blog post Unlocking the Future of Education with MagicSchool.ai
- Edtech Takeout podcast - AI Edu with Charlotte Dungan
- ITEC conference 10/16-17 and registration open
- Digital Citizenship week Oct 16-20
- Common Sense Media; Pear Deck & Be Internet Awesome; NetSmartz
- Jamborad is being discontinued by Google. New recommendations are FigJam, Lucid and Miro
- Pear Deck monthly sync sessions

- Digital Learning tips and tricks - Google Drive - Finding files with stars
- Computer science newsletter
- Media library resources

May 2023
- Edtech Takeout Podcast - EP114 News, Nuggets and GWAEA Corner Booth
- Blog post - The Importance of Student Discourse in the Classroom
- Transformative Classrooms Course - Student Engagement through Class Discussion
- Blending Science and Blending Science in Action
- Pear Deck wrap up
- Tips and Tricks - Exploring Gmails hidden gems
- Register for Iowa CS PD Week June 12-16
- Media Library resources - Mental Health Awareness month

April 2023
- Edtech Takeout Podcast - EP113: AI Edu with Charlotte Dungan
- Blog post - Interactive Video Comprehension
- Transformative Classrooms workshop - Student Engagement through Class discussion
- Pear Deck - Empowering Student Learning Teacher Feedback; Sora Teaching Books
- Tips and Tricks - Gmail Templates
- Computer Science - CS PD Week June 12-16; professional learning & events
- Help Wanted Classrooms to try AI card games
- SCRIPT in Practice workshop April 17
- Design Dash Startup event for Iowa HS students and teachers April 11 & 24
- Iowa award books voting is open
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March 2023
- Digital Learning Day March 15
- Edtech Takeout Podcast - EP112: News, Nuggets, and the GWAEA Corner Booth
- Building Models with Gallery Walks Blog post
- Pear Deck - Ninjafying the unicorn of Pear Deck The teacher dashboard
- Tips and Tricks - Gmail Side view
- Computer Science Info - Iowa CS PD Week June 12-16; SCRIPT Network; Help wanted from classroom to try AI Card game
- Design dash startup event for Iowa HS students and teachers
- Computer Science Pedagogy & Best Practices for Principles 7-12
- Media Library - Women's History print and online - Women in STEAM picture books; We are Power; All the Way to the Top

February 2023
- Edtech Takeout Podcast - EP111: Computer Science at GWAEA
- Pear Deck - Numbers, Tacos, Dots Oh My!; Draggable Interactions; Webinar Feb 9, 2023
- Digital learning tips and tricks - Gmail Side View
- Computer Science - Save the Date Iowa CS PD week June 12-16; professional learning & events
- Computer Science Pedagogy & Best Practices Principles 7-12
- Media Library - Black History Month - This Promise of Change; This is the Rope; ABCs of Black History

January 2023
- Edtech Take Out - EP110: Start, Stop, Keep
- Pear Deck - adding audio; Pear Deck Webinar 2/9/23
- Professional Learning - Firm Goals, Flexible Means; Tenets of Transformative Classrooms; Computer Science Pedagogy & Best Practices
- Digital learning tips and tricks
- Computer Science Information - Newsletter; Iowa CSPD week June 12-16; CS Professional learning 7 events
- Seesaw updates for Iowa Educators webinar

- Media Library - Copyright resources
- Digital Resources - Power Knowledge Science Suite; Core Concepts Science Suite
- Follow us on social media

December 2022
- Computer science education week - Dec 5-11
- Code.org CS leaders prize for Iowa Schools
- Pear Deck mor inclusive with immersive reader
- Professional learning - Transformative classrooms
- DL tips and tricks - searching your inbox
- ITEC announcements - fall conference resources
- Media library resources - PebbleGo Computer Programming; ScienceFLIX Coding; PebbleGo Nest, Computer Science & Technology
- CS Ebooks & Audiobooks in MackinVIA - Hello Ruby, Mimic Makers, Power On

November 2022
- Edtech Takeout Podcast - EP 109 Collaboration and Discourse in Transformative Classrooms
- Pear Deck - Canva and Pear Deck go hand and hand
- Professional Learning - Firm Goals, Flexible Means Honoring your Learners: Designing Instruction with Pear Deck; The Tenets of Transformative Classrooms
- Tips and Tricks - Finding Files with advanced search
- Computer Science Professional Learning - SCRIPT in Practice; Robot & Physical Computing Playgrounds
- Computer Science Education Week Dec 5-11
- Code.org CS Leaders prize for Iowa Schools
- ITEC Fall conference Nov 7-8
- Media library resources
- National novel writing month
- New GWAEA media catalog
- Digital resource Learn 360
- Iowa STEM teacher award nominations open
- Save the date - DesingDash Student event

October 2022
- Edtech takeout Podcast - EP108 New, Nuggets, and Introducing the GWAEA Corner Booth
- Pear Deck - Flashcard Factory
- Professional Learning - Deepening your understanding of UDL; Designing Instruction with Pear Deck; Transformative Classrooms
- Tip and Tricks - Chrome-Managing bookmarks
- Digital citizenship week Oct 17-21, Elementary, Middle school, High school calendar or activities
- Computer Science information
- Robot & Physical computing playground
- SCRIPT in Practice
- ITEC fall conference Nov 7
- New professional titles in GWAEA library - Media Literacy for Young Children; Teaching Students to Decode the World; The Flexibility Grouped Classroom
- New Media catalog
- Iowa STEM teacher award nominations open
- Save the date - DesingDash Student event

September 2022
- Edtech Takeout Podcast - EP107 The Future of the Edtech Takeout
- Pear Deck
- Professional Learning - Ride the Wakelet Wave; Blending Science; Transformative Classrooms; Firm Goal Flexible Means;
- Tip and Tricks playlist
- Computer science Info - sign up for the newsletter; SCRIPT network
- Media Library - new Media catalog; Pebble Go and Pebble Go Next
- ITEC conference registration open

- Iowa STEM updates - teacher nominations open; Future Ready Iowa Summit;
- DesignSash Oct 11, 2022

[May 2022](#)
- EdTech Takeout - EP104 Music Edtech with katie Wardrobe
- Professional learning Makey Makey Invention Literacy Workshop for Educators Jun 7, 2022
- Designing Instruction with Pear Deck April 6-May 13, 2022
- Digital learning tips & tricks series
- Seesaw for Schools updates and webinars
- Computer Science - Nine free PD summer programs; workshops & events;
- ITEC fall conference Nov 7-8, 2022
- Resources in the Media Library - Iowa Award Books announced; New Catalog coming in the Fall

[April 2022](#)
- EdTech Takeout - EP104 Music Edtech with katie Wardrobe
- Professional learning Makey Makey Invention Literacy Workshop for Educators Jun 7, 2022
- Designing Instruction with Pear Deck April 6-May 13, 2022
- Digital learning tips & tricks series
- Seesaw for Schools updates and webinars
- Blended Learning Is and Isn't
- Computer Science summer programs, workshops & events, Design Dash
- ITEC Conference April 13-14, 2022
- Resources in the Media Library - TeachingBooks.net; New Catalog coming in the Fall
- Building Bridges 2022

[March 2022](#)
- EdTech Takeout - EP102 Talking Points & EP103 NFTs with Michael Cohen
- Professional Learning - Makey Makey Invention Literacy Workshop for Educators Jun 7, 2022
- Designing Instruction with Pear Deck April 6-May 13, 2022
- Pear Deck Blog
- Media Library Resources - BookFLIX and EBSCO; New Catalog coming in the Fall
- Computer Science workshops and events - Design Dash; STEM Externship opportunity
- ITEC Conference registration open. April 13-14, 2022
- Blended and Personalized learning webinar series
- ISTEU Course

[February 2022](#)
- DL Professional Learning Survey
- EdTech Takeout - EP101 Research Roundup II
- Blended and Personalized Learning - Webinar Series - Collaborative Learning Community; Teacher as Designer; Flexible and Responsive Learning Environment; Student as Self-Directed Learner
- Divergent by Design - Episode 12 So What, Now What?
- Personal Learning - Blending Science Explore the Intersection of Standards and Instruction; The Makey Makey Invention Literacy Workshop for Educators
- Pear Deck Certified Coach Training 2022
- Creating Accessible Learning Experiences with Seesaw Course Feb 9
- Media Library - PebbleGo & PebbleGo Next and recording on demand
- Accelerate Learning this Summer with PBL & STEM with Defined Learning Feb 15
- Computer Science requirements and funding; workshops & events; CSTA Member opportunities
- Iowa STEM Scale-up Program grants
- ITEC Conference registration open for April 13-14
- GWAEA OneClick

- DL Professional learning survey
- EdTech Takeout - EP100 Tech Nuggets
- Blended & Personalized Learning Webinar Series - Collaborative Learning Community; Teacher as Designer; Flexible and Responsive Learning Environment; Student as Self-Directed Learner
- Personalized Learning and the Personalized Alignment Tool class
- Divergent by Design - Episode 10 Making Meaning of Information and 11 Information Inundation
- Seesaw Course Feb 9,, 2022
- Pear Deck Delights An AEA Webinar Series
- ITEC Learning Opportunities - Igniting Student Engagement and Agency Webinars Jan 11 & 25, 2022
- Online Resource - Defined Learning
- Computer Science Requirements and funding
- Computer Science workshops and events
- OneClick for AEA resources

- Short DL professional learning survey
- Computer Science Week - Hour of Code, CS Ed Week Lesson Plans; Live Panel for MS Students
- EdTech Takeout - EP98 Computer Science in Iowa
- Blended & Personalized Learning Webinar Series
- Personalized Learning Alignment Tool class
- Divergent by Design - Episode 8 Multiple Means of Demonstrating Understanding & Episode 9 Support Self-Regulation
- Professional Learning Supporting Instruction with Seesaw
- Pear Deck + EVERFI
- ITEC Learning - Shortcuts to Awesomeness; Igniting Student Engagement and Agency Webinars
- Computer Science Requirements and Funding; CS Workshops and Events
- Media Library Resources
- OneClick
- Apple Edu Virtual Conferences

- Ed Tech Takeout - EP97 Jammin' With Jamboard
- Blended and Personalized Learning Webinar Series
- Divergent by Design EP7 The Language of Learning
- Professional Learning - New Seesaw Course
- EVERFI + Pear Deck
- Digital Integration Tool - Book Creator
- Media Library - The Maker Playbook; How Learning Works; Rebound K-12
- Computer Science Requirements, Funding, Workshops & Events: SCRIPT Virtual and In Person Workshops; CS SCRIPT Network; Computer Science Standards Workshop; Unpacking the CS Standards Workshop; Standards for CS Teachers Workshop; CSTA Iowa CS Learning Series for license renewal credit
- Free CS Resources - Girls Who Code Clubs; National Family Code Night; K-12 Storytelling Through Coding Grant
- ClassLink OneClick - Get to AEA links using GWAEA OneClick

- Ed Tech Takeout - EP96 Esports in Schools with Jesse Lebinsky
- Intro to 4 Tenets of Blended & Personalized Learning
- Divergent by Design podcast
- Pear Deck, Bully Prevention, SEL and Building community
- Pear Deck and Be Internet Awesome for #DigCit
- ClassLink OneClick
- Computer Science Requirements, Funding, Workshops & Events: SCRIPT Virtual and In Person Workshops; CS SCRIPT Network; Computer Science Standards Workshop; CSTA Iowa CS Learning Series; Standards for CS Teachers Workshop
- Free CS Resources - Girls Who Code Clubs; National Family Code Night; K-12

Storytelling Through Coding Grant
- Media Center - PebbleGo! And PebbleGoNext!

- Ed Tech Takout - EP95 Universal Design for Learning
- Intro to 4 Tenets of Blended & Personalized Learning webinar series
- Intro of Divergent by Design podcast
- Pear Deck Certified Coach Training 2021; Designing Instruction with Pear Deck
- Peartember!
- ClassLink OneClick
- Computer Science Requirements, Funding, Workshops & Events
- Workshops: SCRIPT Virtual and In Person; CS SCRIPT Network; Computer Science Standards; CSTA Iowa CS Learning Series
- Girls Who Code - Free CS Resources
- PebbleGo! And PebbleGoNext!
- Digital Citizenship Week Oct 18-22, 2021

- Divergent by Design Podcast
- Pear Deck resources
- Computer Science workshop and events
- SCRIPT virtual workshop - Future Ready Iowa Summit
- ITEC Updates- call for sessions extended; Google certified coach cohort
- Media Center resources - ClassLink OneClick

- The Distant Learning Playbook - How to Teach Online & Engage Your Students Course

- Sign up list
- Have a great summer
- Ed Tech Take Out - EP93 Teachers Pay Teachers
- Pear Deck information - VIP professional learning opportunity
- Google Anywhere School
- Iowa AEA Summer Conferences - Heart of Innovation Summit; Keystone's Premier Education Conference; NWAEA Learning Conference
- Computer Science Information - Free CS PD opportunities; K-12 Computer Science Plan with SCRIPT workshops
- SCRIPT Virtual Workshops - Creating Spark for Artificial Intelligence in Iowa; Online CS Endorsement Program; CSTA 2021 Virtual Annual Conference
- Media Center - summer hours and deliveries

- Teacher appreciation week
- Ed Tech Take Out - EP91 Carissa Cabrera & Joe Dale
- Think, Make, Innovate - Season 6, Episode * Think, Make, Innovate says Farewell
- Pear Deck handbook
- Bits about blended learning- student feedback teams
- Saturday Snippets, New Year, Keep, Stop, Start Blended Learning
- Media Center summer hours and deliveries
- Building Bridges - From surviving to thriving: Conference resources and recordings
- Computer Science Info: Free Computer Science PD for MS & HS educators; Computer Science Contact List; Create K-12 Computer science plan with SCRIPT workshops
- SCRIPT Virtual Workshops: Creating a Spark for Artificial Intelligence in Iowa; Online CS Endorsement Program; CSTA Cirtial Annual Conference
- STEM BEST Program Open

- Ed Tech Out - EP88 Annie Nash Google EDU
- Think, Make, Innovate - Season 6, Episode 7 Reflection During the Maker

Journey
- Red Light, Yellow light thinking routine
- Bits about Blended Learning
- Student Feedback Teams
- Saturday Snippets, Blended Learning + Literacy = Saturday snippets
- Building Bridges 2021 From Surviving to Thriving
- ITEC Spring Conference Registration
- Ed Tech Takeout & ITEC 2021 - EP 89 Jen Giffen, EP90 Eric Curts
- GWAEA Digital Learning Team @ ITEC
- Computer Science Information: K-12 CS Requirement for Districts; Create a K12 computer science plan with SCRIPT Workshops
- Sign-up Refine and Refresh SCRIPT Virtual Workshop
- Sign-up SCRIPT Virtual Workshop: Creating Spark for Artificial Intelligence in Iowa, Online CS Endorsement Program Starts June 2021, CSTA Iowa April 2021 Virtual Meeting
- STEM Best Program applications open
- Google for Education Product Training Series
- Pear Deck

March 2021
- Ed Tech Take Out - EP87 Learning design with Mike Taylor
- Think, Make, Innovate - Season 6, episode 6 Problem Solving Frameworks
- Chalk Talk
- Bits and blended learning - They Playlist Continuum, Saturday Snippets
- Building Bridges 2021 - From Surviving to Thriving
- 2021-22 Scale Up Awards Announced
- Computer Science - K-12 CS Requirements for Districts; Create K-12 Computer science plan with SCRIPT workshops
- SCRIPT Virtual workshop
- Computer science professional development opportunities - Creating Spark for Artificial Intelligence in Iowa; The Future of CS Education Summit; CSTA Iowa March Virtual meeting
- Seesaw Virtual Conference & gain more information
- ITEC Spring conference registration open
- Google for Education Product training series
- Pear Deck
- GWAEA ClassLink for Online Resources

February 2021
- Ed Tech Take Out - EP86 Virtual conferences
- Think, Make, Innovate - Season 6 Episode 5 Prompting Creativity
- Using Socratic Seminar in a hybrid environment by Mindy Cairney, Digital Learning Consultant
- Incorporating thinking routines into instruction by Gina Rogers and Mindy Cairey
- Bits about Blended Learning, Saturday Snippets, Math
- Screencasting for Educators sign up
- Dynamic Digital Instruction
- 2021-2022 STEM Scale-up Awards announced
- Computer Science Information - Creating a Spark for Artificial Intelligence in Iowa; The Future of CS Education Summit; CSTA Iowa February 2021 Virtual Meeting; Updates to CS First
- ITEC Spring Conference Update & Call for Submissions
- Pear Deck - Safer Internet Day 2/9/21, Common Sense Media, Digital Learning Day 2/25/21
- Google for Education Product Training Series
- Copyright Information for teachers and students
- Classlink for Online Resources

January 2021
- Ed Tech Take Out - EP85 A big Box of Xmas Nuggets
- Think, Make, Innovate - Season 6 Episode 4 Creating Questions
- Blended Learning - Saturday Snippets
- Pear Deck - Course & Resources
- ITEC Spring conference April 13-14, 2021

	● Dynamic Digital Instruction ● 2021-2022 STEM Scale-up Awards announced ● Computer Science Information, HS Computer Science Grant Awarded, The Future of CS Education Summit, CSTA Iowa Spring 21 Virtual Meetings ● Copyright Information, for teachers, for students ● Classlink for Online Resources December 2020 ● Ed Tech Take Out -- The 2nd Great Google Tips Episode ● Think, Make, Innovate - Season 6, Episode 3 Collaboration, Connection, Community ● Blended during COVID ● Pear Deck in a Classroom ● Empowering students Facebook Live ● Computer Science Information - Hour of Code & CS Ed Week ● Copyright Information ● Classlink for Online Resources November 2020 ● Ed Tech Take Out -- Google Tips part 1 ● Think, Make, Innovate - Season 6 Episode 2 - Creativity: It's Still Working ● Active Learning While Physically Distancing ● Hour of Code October 2020 ● Ed Tech Take Out - What does Asynchronous Learning look like? ● Think, Make, Innovate - Season 6 Episode 1 - Don't Let COVID Kill Creativity ● Facebook Live - Coding Isn't Scary ● Bits about Blending Learning - The Power Playlist, 4 Engaging Structures that Work in Hybrid A/B Learning Classrooms, Wakelet for Curation ● October is Dyslexia Awareness Month ● Pear Deck Handbook and More ● Computer Science Information - 2020 Hour of Code, CSTA Iowa, NCWIT Award for Aspirations in Computing ● Classlink online resources