



Notes from the Tech Coach

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Who is Lancy?

Personally:

I have lived all over the Northeast, including Northern New York, Northern Vermont, Maine, and NY's Capital Region. My husband and I have settled in Cortland, NY with our two children, Mira (7) and Lucian (6), and our two cats. We love camping, hiking, biking, snowshoeing, and spending time with friends and family.

Professionally:

I attended SUNY Plattsburgh for my undergraduate and graduate degrees. I am certified in PK-6 Elementary, PK-12 Special Education, and K-12 Literacy. I also earned my Assistive Technology Certificate in 2010. I have worked as a literacy instructor (K-6 & 9-12), a special education teacher (K-12), and a speech and language teacher (K-8). I have always been interested in technology and being a life-long learner. I truly enjoy helping others (of any age) with whatever they need assistance with!

Don't use technology just for the sake of using technology. It should be MINDFUL and DELIBERATE. Lancy's Role...

How Can I Help?

I will be available by appointment for the first two weeks of school. Elementary (Mon.), Intermediate (Tues.), JH (Wed.), HS (Thurs.), and by appointment/office hours on Friday. Click here to schedule!

Tech Tips

Setting up your Google Classroom

Do you want to get your year started off on the right foot? Do you need help getting your online presence? Let me help!

★ To start, review the Google Classroom for Beginners #1 and Google Classroom for Beginners #2 (click the links to open). You can use them on the computer OR print them out, whichever you prefer!

Advanced Users

Are you looking for a new, fun program to use to help your students interact and engage with each other online? Check out Padlet! Padlet allows people to create interactive bulletin boards that encourage discussion, sharing of ideas, and more!

Need more? Get in contact with me by using the options listed above!

GATHER RESOURCES

Planning

Help find those meaningful technology programs and apps.

CO-PLANNING

Through conversation, collaboratively plan for a lesson or series of lessons that meet best practices

DIFFERENTIATION **SUPPORT**

Help design choice assignments or tiered activities or assessments.

TECHNOLOGY INTEGRATION SUPPORT

Instruction

Create interactive lessons or programs that enhance student engagement.

CO-TEACHING

After planning cooperatively, teach a lesson together.

ASSISTANT

Serve as another pair of hands for a lesson or another pair of eves to track student concerns.

REFLECTION/ **COLLABORATION**

Reflection

Through conversation and observation, reflect on student learning in vour classroom and collaborate on how to implement new learning.

LISTENING AND SUPPORT

Lend an open and confidential ear for a topic of your choice.

BRAINSTORM

Bounce innovative ideas off one another based on reflections made.