

## MicroBlogging with TodaysMeet Fulton County Schools – Leadership Day 1

Sawubona -welcome! Bernajean at 16:58 PM, 10 Sep 2012 via web  
Good Morning Debby Feld at 13:22 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
Hello. Brooke Humphrey at 13:22 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
Community of thinkers - I like this term Lisa Hastey at 13:22 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
Bull Brooke Humphrey at 13:23 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
Watch for our Google Jockey suggestions throughout the day Kathy at 13:23 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
Good morning Debbie at 13:23 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
Giraffe Maisha at 13:23 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
sometimes I feel like a dinosaur - i want to be a bird Lisa Hastey at 13:23 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
I sometimes feel like a mole Kathy at 13:24 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
Bunny Debby Feld at 13:24 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
tasha says she's a bull too Whitney Shook at 13:24 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
snake - slither and find, then strike when I find something I like Kimberly at 13:24 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
I am new, so right now I feel like a deer. Whitney Shook at 13:24 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
A busy beaver. Beth at 13:24 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
Bear Patti at 13:25 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
A frog...warts and all Debbie at 13:26 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
@Beth - Great choice! Brooke Humphrey at 13:26 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
@Whitney; welcome! Alex at 13:26 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
@Whitney I'm new too. Debby Feld at 13:26 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
@tara-what animal are you? Whitney Shook at 13:26 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
I feel like a crane leading the flock to our migration home. You might see me in the lead or part of the group. Neil at 13:26 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
@Debby - thanks for letting me partnering with you! Kimberly at 13:26 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
@Kathy - Can you come help Debbie? It won't let her enter her name. Brooke Humphrey at 13:26 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
@patti I can see you as a bear...warm and cuddly but can have a growl if needed :-)  
Maisha at 13:26 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
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Maisha at 13:27 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
@debbie. Me too! Beth at 13:27 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

@kathy- I would never see you as a mole:) Lisa Hastey at 13:27 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

@Debby - thanks for letting me partnering with you! Kimberly at 13:27 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

@maisha you can watch all of us on the hill. Patti at 13:27 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

@Kimberly, My pleasure Debby Feld at 13:27 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Beth, I sometimes feel like a busy beaver. Many times delegating to the gurus works for me. Neil at 13:28 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

feeling more like a turtle at this point Debbie P. at 13:28 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Tiger- powerful Mindy Ramon at 13:28 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Using with faculty~gives a new/different format to ask questions, post ideas, share, etc.

Kimberly at 13:28 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

It is a fun & novel way to get everyone to participate. Debby Feld at 13:29 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

I could use this at a faculty meeting to welcome comments about the topic discussion and concerns with new information or expectations Maisha at 13:29 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Dog - doing the same thing every day and mainly for playful purposes! Tara at 13:29 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

4 students, they could comment on a peer's presentation in real time Alex at 13:29 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Use in a Grade Level PLC Debbie at 13:29 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Making sure that the use of technology is meaningful and how to make sure that is happening in the classroom Whitney Shook at 13:52 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

very interested in voice threads - as an IB school, meeting up with sts around the world sounds great Lisa Hastey at 13:52 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Technology can add to the engagement of students, but you still have to begin with quality instruction. Brooke Humphrey at 13:52 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Use of technology does not necessarily mean that the teaching is great. Beth at 13:52 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Keep the emphasis on the headware to make the hardware work Kathy at 13:52 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

accessing higher level thinking with technology. Debby Feld at 13:53 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

The key word in that statement is prepare. In order to be college and career ready students need to learn how to use technology. Mindy Ramon at 13:53 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

In the convo about preparing students without technology I need to understand where my teachers are with mood users, refuses or effective Maisha at 13:54 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Teachers can have resources, but must know how to use them. Kimberly at 13:54 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Good teaching with effective use of technology has endless possibilities. Debbie at 13:54 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

It will still be important for good teaching skills to be utilized to encourage "head skills" - technology is a tool - a marvelous tool, but Debbie P. at 13:54 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Good teaching can always be a combination of some traditional strategies and of course technology that has a purpose Patti at 13:54 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

However you teach and what resources you use...make sure they are done to add value. Tara at 13:54 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

New worlds: <http://paiunet.org/> Alex at 13:54 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

The use of technology in the classroom does not reflect an effective teacher. Technology is a platform to increase teacher effectiveness. Neil at 13:55 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

@Brooke I agree technology will engagem the student, its up to the teacher to bring the in depth thinking. Debby Feld at 13:55 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

positive digital footprint - need to share this w/tchrs Lisa Hastey at 13:59 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Take a look at David Warlick's poll on can you teach without technology <http://davidwarlick.com/2cents/?p=1800> Kathy at 13:59 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

@kathy - need to get some gap strategies - does FCSS have some? Lisa Hastey at 14:24 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

@Kathy - can SPLOST money be used for serious teacher training? Debbie P. at 14:27 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

i need to refine our schoolwide tech goals/strategies/indicators Lisa Hastey at 14:27 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

@Debbie - We have never used SPLOST for training, but Dr. Muri is now looking into the legalities Kathy at 14:35 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

@Lisa - We have some surveys that might help analyze faculty to determine gaps - see <https://employees.fultonschools.org/Technology/Instruct> Kathy at 14:38 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

When discussing our technology focus as a school, I'll start by asking...What's the core instructional strategy? tasha at 14:45 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

The technology is the tool - it's not the brain power. Debbie P. at 14:47 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

We can't remove the need for effective instructional practices that are required Maisha at 14:47 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

If you don't use effective instructional strategies then technology cannot be maximized. Whitney Shook at 14:47 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

as CCGPS teams redeliver, they need to use tech - e.g. "Balanced Assessment" brought to you by some timeline tech Lisa Hastey at 14:52 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

@Lisa I totally agree that the CCGPS training is huge opportunity to make progress with this. Mindy Ramon at 14:53 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

@Lisa - That suggestion has been made to the Balanced Assessment teams. Others have noted the absence of the technology that could be used. Kathy at 14:54 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Early literacy skills... Brooke Humphrey at 14:58 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

research skills Debbie P. at 14:59 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Literacy skills Cindy at 14:59 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Problem Solving, Inquiry tasha at 14:59 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Phonics, sight words, and literacy. Neil at 14:59 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

literacy, phonemic awareness, creating stories, using various apps, etc. Kimberly at 15:00 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Literacy, student engagement, faster feedback for teachers on student mastery should increase whe technology is in use.... Nancy Murphy at 15:00 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Reggio Emilia research information @

[http://www.education.com/reference/article/Ref\\_Reggio\\_Emilia/](http://www.education.com/reference/article/Ref_Reggio_Emilia/) Kathy at 15:02 PM, 11

Sep 2012 via web

I keep having the thought...where's the training before the technology arrives? tasha at 15:02 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

What was Shakespeare's greatest work? Have the US and UK class decide and debate/defend the position. Brooke Humphrey at 15:27 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web  
The students work together to create a play based on a comedy or tragedy of constructs. Maisha at 15:27 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Discuss Shakespeare as a writer and decide collaboratively what makes his plays stand the test of time Debbie P. at 15:27 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

What stories in today's media (movies, books, etc.)compare to Shakeare's stories? Nancy Murphy at 15:27 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Evaluate and critique Shakespeare's piece. Debby Feld at 15:28 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Who is today's Shakespeare? Nancy Murphy at 15:28 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

What would Shakespeare write today? Cindy at 15:28 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

@Nancy - Good one! Brooke Humphrey at 15:28 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

For more information about questioning, visit Jamie McKenzie's site call From Now On...<http://www.fno.org/nov97/toolkit.html> Kathy at 15:32 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Flipped Classroom information at <http://www.flippedclassroom.com/> Kathy at 15:33 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

The dramatic presentation adds higher levels of understanding.... Nancy Murphy at 17:25 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

It's still about the content and the meaning; the technology makes it come alive. Debbie P. at 17:25 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

i'd like my teachers to have this training & to particpate in this calibrating dot activity

Lisa Hasty at 17:28 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Paper Slides were developed by Lodge McKinnon <http://paperslide.wikispaces.com/PSV> Kathy at 18:01 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

For scoring guides for video projects visit digitales @ <http://www.digitales.us/> Kathy at 18:05 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Here is the link to the Edutopia video <http://www.edutopia.org/newsome-park-elementary-project-learning-video> Mindy Ramon at 18:52 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

Find out what worms are endangered and where it is happening

<http://www.earthsendangered.com/search-groups2.asp?search=1&sgroup=W> Kathy at 19:11 PM, 11 Sep 2012 via web

