

Finding the Tech in the Standards

Five Steps to find the Tech in the Standards

1. Identify the standard from district or state standards
2. Reflect on the Standard... if possible collaborate with others (What does the standards mean, why are we teaching this, what should students know, what should students be able to do, how does it apply to students at my grade level.
3. Determine the Content (NOUNS) ...Review the standard and underlining the nouns.(This will help you determine content and allow you to determine what is appropriate for your level of students)
4. Determine Skills and Process (VERBS)... Investigate the skills by reviewing the standard and circling the verbs. (This will allow you to determine the appropriate grade level skills to be practiced by students. This can be aligned to Depth of Knowledge, Blooms, and/or 21st century 4 C's
5. Create Learning Targets... This demonstrates what students will be able to do from your reflection and listing of verbs and nouns, (These will later be used in planning learning activities along with formative and summative assessments. Keep in mind where students may have already been, and where they are going to.)

Sample Standards

Students will be able to research and record key facts involving the planets of the solar system.

Students will explain orbit, gravity, and gravitational pull.

Students will be able to collaborate on a presentation that provides what they have learned in their own words.

Learning Targets:
