

Technology Fifth Grade

Program Goal:

Students in the Diocese of Grand Rapids will possess the knowledge and technological skills to obtain, organize and evaluate information to become effective and creative communicators who perform tasks (ethically and legally) to live in a global society.

Content Criteria:

Communication:

1. Students will use correct terminology for technical projects, programs, and equipment.
2. Students will understand and apply effective design layout techniques in creating curriculum supported projects.

Technological Knowledge:

1. Students will demonstrate an expanded knowledge of keyboarding, word processing, database, spreadsheet, Internet, desktop publishing, graphics, and multimedia applications.

Technical Skills:

1. Students will demonstrate age appropriate word processing, desktop publishing, database design, spreadsheet, and presentation software skills.
2. Students will exhibit improved keyboarding skills through accuracy and speed.
3. Students will demonstrate information acquisition and use through projects supporting grade level curriculum in all subject areas.

Ethical:

1. Students will demonstrate the responsible use of hardware, software, and the Internet.
2. Students will demonstrate accountability for computers, computer use, actions and consequences.
3. Student will demonstrate proper copyright responsibilities and respect for other people's files.

Software recommendation:

All the Right Type (4-8)

Amazing Animation (5-8)

Ami Pro (4-8)

Atlas (2-8)

Award Maker (4-8)

Bannermania (2-8)

Calendar Creator (1-8)

Claris Works for Kids (K-8)

Crayola Art Studio (K-8)

Cruncher (1-6)

Dabbler (3-8)

Excel (4-8)

Express Publisher (4-8)

Fine Artist (3-8)

Hands on Workbooks (4-8)

Hollywood (4-8)

Hyper Studio (3-8)

I Spy (3-8)

IMovie (5-8)

Infopedia (5-8)

Iphoto (5-8)

Keynote (5-8)

Mac Draw (K-5)

Math Shop (3-6)

Mavis Beacon Teachers Typing to Kids, Microsoft Works (3-8)

MS Office (3-8)

MS Publisher (4-8)

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MS Word (4-8)
Multimedia Workshop (2-8)
Paintbrush (3-8)
Paintshop Pro (3-8)
PAWS Keyboarding (2-8)
Power Point (4-8)
Prehistoria (2-6)
Print Shop Pro (3-8)
Print Shop Deluxe (4-8)
Publish It, Time Works (2-6)
Read, Write and Type (1-5)
Storybook Weaver (1-5)
Super Paint (3-8)
Super Print (3-8)
Tabletop (2-8)
Teachers Toolbox - The Graph Club (Tom Snyder) (1-6)
The Publisher (2-6)
Typing Tutor (K-5)
Ultra Key (2-8)