

RSU 67 Technology Plan Approved 2018

Section I: District Information

Information Requested	Responses
List of the school(s)/ SAU that the plan covers	Ella P. Burr, Mattanawcook Jr. High, Mattanawcook Academy/RSU No. 67
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Section II: Capacity Building for More Purposeful and Intentional Use of Technology for Learning

This section should reflect your district's goals and action plans for ways to ensure more purposeful and intentional use of technology for learning in the coming years. Please log into your BrightBytes Clarity Dashboard: <https://clarity.brightbytes.net/modules/case/dashboard/> Take some time to review the data that resulted from your collection during the 2017 – 2018 school year.

Category	Data point that you want to improve	Action Plan
	Include title of data point and snapshot of graphic from BrightBytes	Read through any insights related to the data point, and then list three to five steps your district will take in order to see improvement related to that data point.

<p>School Environment (in particular, policies and procedures that support student learning with technology)</p>	<p>Students believe the following obstacles prevent their use of technology at school</p> <p>Rsu 67</p> <p>FRAMEWORK: Technology & Learning DOMAIN: Environment SUCCESS INDICATOR: Beliefs VARIABLE: Student Perceptions Of Obstacles To Technology Use</p> <p>DATA FROM: Jan 1, 2018 To Present</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Obstacle</th> <th>Percentage 1</th> <th>Percentage 2</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>"I don't have the necessary skills."</td> <td>9%</td> <td>10%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>"My classes don't require the use of technology."</td> <td>4%</td> <td>7%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>"School technology isn't good enough."</td> <td>10%</td> <td>21%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>"School rules limit my technology use."</td> <td>29%</td> <td>58%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>"My school has different computers or software than I'm used to."</td> <td>13%</td> <td>33%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>"There are no obstacles"</td> <td>53%</td> <td>0%</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Obstacle	Percentage 1	Percentage 2	"I don't have the necessary skills."	9%	10%	"My classes don't require the use of technology."	4%	7%	"School technology isn't good enough."	10%	21%	"School rules limit my technology use."	29%	58%	"My school has different computers or software than I'm used to."	13%	33%	"There are no obstacles"	53%	0%	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. There are positive trends shown, but we want to continue to remove obstacles for learners at school. We have a plan to continue buying new technology for learners. 2. We will continue to look for ways to improve technology tools to meet needs of students by surveying them regularly.
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Section III: Additional Questions

1. Tell us about some examples of purposeful and intentional use of technology for learning that can be found in your schools and district that you would like to celebrate and that could be shared with others.

We currently have 3D printers in all three buildings. At the high school, our engineering and design learners are becoming the in-house experts and are now going to the middle school to help the teachers and learners use the 3D printer in their building. We have a teacher leader who has done PD with staff throughout the year, as well as in the summer for staff who want to learn more. Our IT department has a five year plan of equipment and resources with everything inventoried. They can tell you the age of each device and when the device will need to be replaced. They have a plan for continuing to support our current technology with our current budget including updates and upgrades when they are due. They also budget for teachers who might want to try something out one year as a seed program. Teachers know they need to build it into their local budget the following year, but they don't have to wait a year to start. Our IT department is very responsive and received high marks on our BrightBytes survey for how quickly they respond to any issue. Our technology committee has a plan for the upcoming year to determine needs of staff in buildings and provide individual, small group, and whole group support for staff who need support. There is a concern that we do not have a tech integrator and need one for staff. We are hoping to put a proposal together in the next fiscal year to go to the board for local budget supports. Until then, we are going to work as a team to continue to provide quality support for staff.

2. What can the Department do to further support your work of purposeful and intentional use of technology for learning?

Continue to fund and expand a state technology program (MLTI). Provide funding for schools to use innovative technology.
Provide support for schools in implementing technology through professional development.

Section IV: Certifications:

The Superintendent must submit their district's plan to the Department. In doing so, the Superintendent is acknowledging the following:

- The Superintendent and school leadership have read the plan and agrees to support staff in its implementation.
- The district has CIPA Compliance Documentation on file.

Superintendent's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

To Submit Your Data-based Plan:

Submit completed plans as a Word document and the signature page (Section IV) as a PDF to:

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