



Amador County Office of Education in cooperation with California Technology Assistance Program is offering professional development classes in technology skills. This year you can receive district credit toward column advancement on the pay scale. You will receive one unit of district credit for every fifteen hours of technology skills classes that you complete. The following are the classes that we are offering.



Class	Date	Time	Location
Language Arts Technology Resources	Jan. 18	4:00 -6:00	Learning Center
Science Technology Resources	Feb 1	4:00 -6:00	Learning Center
Math Technology Resources	Feb 8	4:00 - 6:00	Learning Center
Digital Photography: Editing	Feb 15	4:00 - 6:00	Learning Center
Excel:2007for the Math Classroom	Feb 22	4:00 - 6:00	Learning Center
Personal Learning Network	Feb 28	4:00 - 6:00	Learning Center
Social Studies Technology Resources	March 8	4:00 -6:00	Learning Center
Google	March 14	4:00 - 6:00	Learning Center
PowerPoint 2007	March 21	4:00 - 6:00	Learning Center.
PowerPoint 2007 - Inter.	April 12	4:00 - 6:00	Learning Center
Digital Story Telling	April 18	4:00 - 6:00	Learning Center
Word: 2007for the Language Arts Classroom	April 25	4:00 - 6:00	Learning Center
Picassa	May 9	4:00 - 5:30	Learning Center
Interactive Whiteboards	May 10	4:00 - 6:00	Plymouth Elementary

Customized Classes

If the times or dates do not work for you on the above classes please give me a call and I can arrange a training schedule for groups of 3 or more. If there is a class that is not listed we can try to arrange custom class training, too.

For more information or to register for classes:

Online: <http://www.amadorcoe.org/technologyclasses.htm>

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Please include your name and school

Digital Photo: Editing



This class will help the participant learn to use this entry-level Photoshop Application. We will cover downloading photos from a digital camera, correcting imperfections, adding text, and using filters to give your photos an artistic touch.

Excel 2007



Like the other applications in the Office 2007 suite, Excel 2007 boasts upgraded features and a brand-new look. Learn how to set up, modify and export data from a spreadsheet.

- The new Excel interface
- Creating and modifying Worksheets
- Formatting
- Charts and Graphs

Google and More Google



Google is much more than a search engine. Over the past few years they have developed some of the most innovative and dynamic ways to use information. In this fun class, participants will explore just a few of these tools.

- Google Search
- Google Docs
- Google Custom Search
- Maps and StreetView
- More, and even more

Word 2007



From a new interface to timesaving content galleries, the latest version of Word is quite different than prior versions. If you're wanting to learn about the new version, this course is for you.

- Creating and saving documents
- Editing and formatting text
- Using bullets and Numbering
- Styles

Picassa



How do you keep track of the thousands of photos you've taken over the years? The answer is an excellent piece of FREE software from Google called Picasa.

- Downloading and installing Picasa
- The Picasa interface
- Downloading your photos
- Organizing your photos
- Basic photo editing in Picasa

PowerPoint 2007



PowerPoint 2007 joins its Office 2007 counterparts by featuring a brand-new interface, as well as a selection of new powerful presentation features.

- The new interface
- Navigating a presentation
- Creating and editing presentations
- Tables and charts
- Sharing Presentations

Personal Learning Network



Participants will learn how to utilize a variety of new web-based applications to construct and cultivate personal learning networks. Learn to attract information from other professional educators, experts in the fields of study, current news and news searches, student perspective, relevant resources

from a growing library of web-based digital content, and other content sources to assist you in adapting to this age of change
Curriculum Resources

Explore online resources and technology resources that support your curriculum.

Digital Story Telling



Learn how to integrate digital storytelling into the curriculum and see how "digital story starters" can be used to get students up and running. Learn a variety of tools and techniques to create digital stories, including:

- Microsoft PhotoStory 3
- Picasa
- Animoto
- Stop Motion Animation