Ten Reasons to Choose Sonoma State’s School of Education to Advance Your Career

1. Students attend small classes taught by faculty who care about you and your success as a new teacher
2. Courses combine the best of face-to-face and online learning experiences
3. Faculty are graduates from prestigious doctoral programs and collaborate with local school districts providing professional development
4. Candidates’ field placements in schools are personally arranged and facilitated by faculty and staff
5. Candidates have the chance to partner with award-winning mentor teachers
6. Our faculty innovate with partners such as KQED and Google
7. We have grants from the National Science Foundation and the U.S. Department of Education that support your continued education as a new teacher
8. Our programs are fully accredited and meet all state and national standards.
9. SSU School of Education teacher candidates get hired
10. Our programs offer the best value teacher credential in the Northbay Region

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Welcome to the Third Annual Sonoma State University Teacher Technology Showcase. The intent of this showcase is to provide pre-service teachers, recent credential and Master’s students and our colleagues from the Sonoma County Office of Education (SCOE) an opportunity to present how they have used or plan to use technology in the classroom to support students and student learning. The focus is not just on the technological tools the teachers are employing but rather on the integration of technology to meet teaching and learning objectives. How can we create a better learning environment for students through the integration of technology? How do we know that it is better?

I encourage you to engage with each other. Learn about these pedagogical approaches. Teach each other about what you know about educational technology. The School of Education is always excited to bring educators and community members together to support teaching and learning in the San Francisco North Bay Region. Teaching and learning about the appropriate use of educational technology is an important growing space for all of us.

Carlos Ayala, Dean
School of Education

Presenters

33. VoiceThread: The Power of Collaboration
Sarah Anthony & Heather Oliver, Special Education Credential Candidates

34. Blogging: A Student Tool for Engagement and Literacy
Erika Joan Cole, MA in Special Education Alumna

35. Engage and Connect: Edmodo as a Forum for 4th Grade Science Instruction
Sarah Zykanov, 4th Grade Teacher

How Do You Integrate Technology into Your Classroom?
Share ideas, brainstorm and collaborate online. Join the conversation!
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twitter.com/educationSSU

Here’s some helpful keywords to get you started on Twitter: #edtech #ntchat (new teachers), #edchat, #elemchat, #mathchat, #SSUedtech - for this event

Sonoma State would like to thank our Teacher Technology Showcase Partners
25. **Remixing and Remaking Art with Creative Commons Images**  
   Aurora Valentine, MA Candidate in Curriculum, Teaching, and Learning

26. **Using Chroma Key (Green Screen) in Your Multimedia Projects**  
   Matt O'Donnell, Tech Innovation Specialist at SCOE

27. **STEAM Powered with Blinky Bugs: MAKEing the World, One Kid at a Time**  
   Kaki McLachlan, MA in Curriculum, Teaching, and Learning Alumna

28. **STEAM Powered with MaKey MaKey: MAKEing the World, One Kid at a Time**  
   Julia Marrero, MA in Curriculum, Teaching, and Learning Alumna

29. **STEAM Powered with Squishy Circuits: MAKEing the World, One Kid at a Time**  
   Mary-Clare Neal, MA Curriculum, Teaching, and Learning Alumna

30. **Lego MindStorms Robots: STEM for Grades 4-8**  
   Rick Phelan, Program Director, Technology for Learning at SCOE

31. **The Tinkering Mindset: A Video Documentation of the Maker Mindset**  
   Darin DuVander, MA in Curriculum, Teaching, and Learning Alumnus

32. **WIX.com: Website Building Made Easy**  
   Dan Blake, Director, Innovation & Partnerships at SCOE
9. Using Twitter as a PLN and More!
Beth Espinoza & Mike Taylor, Technology Coaches

10. Teaching Digital Citizenship: A Partnership Between Schools and Parents
Lisa Brown, MA in Curriculum, Teaching, and Learning Alumna

11. Turning Research Reports into Documentaries
Jocelyn Plant, Upper School Faculty at GATE Academy

12. Give Great Feedback Using Kaizena
Aimee Armstrong, 6th & 8th Grade English Teacher

13. Evernote and Its Usefulness as a Tool for Administrators
Alan Nealley, MA Candidate in Curriculum, Teaching, and Learning

14. Captivating Your Science Class with Twig Video Resources
Megan Langhals, Single Subject Science Candidate

15. Increasing Student Engagement Using Prezi
Suzi Fischer, Single Subject English Candidate

16. NaNoWriMo: Online Writing Communities, Google Docs and Novels Published by 8th Graders
Laura Bradley, MA in Curriculum, Teaching, and Learning Alumna

17. Video Self Model: “Getting Off the Bus”
Alyson Frisch, Special Education Credential Candidate

18. Verbalizing Emotions with iPad Applications
Kara Felton, Special Education Credential Candidate

19. Using Apps and Websites to Teach and Learn about Science in Multiple Subjects
Vinny Prell, Colleen Zak, Rebecca Cronin, Alex Linderme, & Kate Menzie
Multiple Subject Science Candidates

20. Brushstrokes: Painting a Verbal Picture with Padlet
Veronica Gray, Single Subject English Candidate

21. Programming Video Games with Scratch
Bill Singer & Brenda Rollins, 5th and 8th Grade Teachers

22. Behavioral Changes through an iPad Application
Benjamin Maul, MA in Special Education Alumnus

23. Cultivating Collaborative and Meaningful Learning Experiences in Moodle
Stacey Lince, MA in Curriculum, Teaching and Learning Alumna

23. Minecraft in the Middle School Classroom
Kristen Sorenson, MA in Curriculum, Teaching and Learning Alumna