

Meaningful Learning and Technology Matrix

Learning is... Technology	Cooperative	Active	Intentional
Adaptive/Assistive Devises	2012-2	8309-1	6005-1
Concept Mapping	1130-1	1143-1	1196-1
Presentation Software	1163-1	1147-1	1183-1

Case 1183-1

This case involves students creating PowerPoint presentations for their parents for parent-teacher conferences. The activity was wonderful because it involved a great deal of reflection and the students recognizing their growth and goal setting. The teacher required her students to create a PowerPoint for the student-led parent conferences that were coming up. The students had to do a great deal of self-evaluation in order to present the information to their parents. This activity allowed the students to articulating their own understanding to their parents and demonstrates how they have achieved goals set forth for them. Because technology is such a major aspect of their lives, they were able to reflect using PowerPoint, and then present the reflections to their parents as a visual tool.