



# Modernized Learning

Spring-Ford Area School District

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# Vision

- *“Student learning is served best when the curriculum determines the role of technology, and when effective implementation of digital tools allows teachers to create instruction that is assessment-driven, responsive, and engaging.”* TLS, Professional Learning for Digital Integration
  - We are striving to see teacher use of technology as a seamless part of solid instructional practice, engaging students and meeting their individual needs.
  - We are striving to see students embrace technology integration as easily in the classroom as they do outside of it, in a manner that increases their engagement, knowledge and skills, and encourages a love of learning.

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# Goal of Modernized Learning Project:

***To maximize engagement and increase differentiation through the use of technology by***

- Providing professional learning and coaching for teachers so integration of technology is seamless and driven by curriculum and assessment.
- Increasing teacher access to and use of technology as best instructional practice and to utilize data to inform instruction.
- Increasing student access to and use of technology to deepen knowledge, understanding, and skills.

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# Status check



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# Plans for 2016-2017

- **9-12: Next Cohort of teachers 9-12** will be trained and given technology carts. There are 17 teachers representing 11 classrooms.
- **In grades 5-8** we will continue to provide Smart Classrooms and increase availability of technology (additional carts) for student use.
- **Hybrid learning at Royersford Elementary will expand to 3<sup>rd</sup> grade** next year. This information has been shared with staff and families. Training is already underway and will continue.