

Connected Tech™ TEXAS EDITION

## Implementation Training

### Introduction to Connected Tech

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Connected Tech™

## Today's Agenda

- What is Connected Tech?
- Features of Connected Tech
  - Resources
  - My Assignments
- Activating account
- Creating student groups and home pages
- Locating activities and resources
- Examining lesson plans
- Assigning resources to student home pages
- Flagging vs. assigning
- Creating custom reports
- Using Typing Pal
- Getting a Little Help: Teacher's Guide and Help
- Q&A

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Connected Tech™

## What is Connected Tech?

- It is an integrated and supportive program that allows you to combine authentic technology with the curriculum that you're already teaching in your classroom.
- For Students K-8

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## Connected Tech

- 480+ Lessons and Projects that align your curriculum – the most of any approved K-8 program!
- 2,000+ Tutorials and Helpful Tips
- 11,000+ Glossary terms and hand-picked Web links
- Complete K-8 online program



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## PROGRAM COMPONENTS

- Getting Started Brochure
- Grade Level Teacher's Guide
- 4 Technology Posters: 2 in English, 2 in Spanish



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## Real World Applications

- Students use the applications that are on your classroom computers.



Inspiration



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## Types of CT Resources

- Proprietary
  - Lessons
  - Projects
  - Tutorials
  - Ready to Go! sets
  - Checklists
  - Quizzes
- Outside (Web Library)
  - Web resources



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## Choices, Choices

- Use Connected Tech as a stand alone
  - Lessons
  - Projects
  - Tutorials
- Use Connected Tech as a conduit
  - Online projects
    - Via Web Library
  - Development of online projects
    - Hotlist
    - WebQuest



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## What Do You Need to Know About Connected Tech?

- Let's look at our checklist!



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## Today's Activities

- Connected Tech Learning Scenarios
- Understanding Connected Tech
  - Activation
  - Creating Groups and Student Names
  - Assigning a Lesson
  - Revising Your Student Home Page Message
  - Putting It All Together

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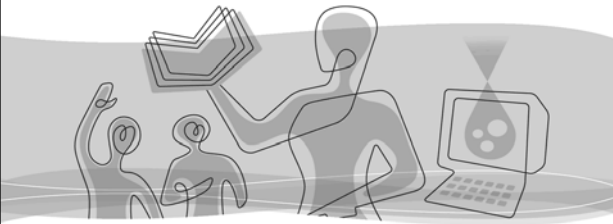
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## Connected Tech™ TEXAS EDITION

### Activity #1: Learning Scenarios



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## What is a Learning Scenario?

- It is an eLesson using a variety of Connected Tech's lessons, projects, tutorials, checklists, quizzes and Web resources.
- You can turn Student Home Pages into eLessons!



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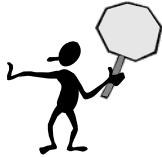
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## CT: Learning Scenarios

- Using the activity sheet, sign in as a student using the user name and password for each student group and complete the chart.
- Website
  - <http://tech.classroom.com>
- Materials
  - [Activity sheet template](#)



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## CT: Learning Scenarios

- Post Activity Questions
  - What were some of the scenarios developed?
  - Which ones were CT specific?
  - Which ones weren't CT specific?
  - Which ones supported outside activities and/or projects?
  - Can you think of other scenarios?

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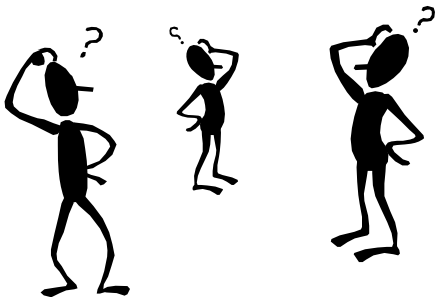
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## Questions?



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