Technology Resources

Using Computers in the Classroom

Atomic Learning Using computers
Computer Tutor Very basic introduction to using a computer

OTAN Videos showing how to integrate technology into the classroom
Literacy Tent Lessons on how to search the web for information
Technology World Education List of resources for computer literacy
Media Library of Teaching Skills Several videos pertaining to integrating technology in the classroom
Northstar Basic Computer Skills Site has 6 modules to assess computer skills in the following areas: Basic Computer Use, Internet, Windows 7, Mac OS, Email, and Word. At the end of each module you receive a list of the skills mastered and the skills you need to learn.
Absolute Beginner's Guide to Using a Computer An interactive tutorial that introduces the following aspects of computer use: using the mouse, computer components, correct posture, keyboard basics, scrolling, and using Windows.
Mousing Around Interactive instructions on using a mouse. Tutorial covers using the mouse, scroll bar, filling in forms, drop down boxes, clicking icons. It includes mouse practice at the end of the tutorial.
Mousing Around: Games Internet games for practicing mouse skills. Skills range from simple clicking to clicking and dragging.
GCF LearnFree Site provides beginning to advanced multi-media tutorials on a wide range of digital literacy topics and skills. Topics include : computer basics, Word, Excel, Office, Internet basics, Google, Email, Apple.
Microsoft Office Applications Training Learn to use Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook, and other Office applications.
Learn the Net A comprehensive guide to learning about and using the internet.

WEB Tools

ZamZar Free WEB application for converting files to different formats, such as PDF. Allows you to down load a video to your computer via email.
Classroom Update Free WEB application for making a classroom web page. Sample GED Web Page: http://www.classroomupdate.com/sites/ferngedclass/

List of Web 2.0 Tools Great source for photosharing, digital storytelling, wikis, etc.
Webpage Class Project Walks you through the steps you can take to create websites for your class
Pod-o-Matic Create and send your own podcasts