
[TILT Center](#)

**TECHNOLOGY
INTEGRATED INTO
TEACHING AND
LEARNING**



EVERNOTE
AVAILABLE ON
EVERYTHING YOU USE
EVERY DAY.



EDMODO
WHERE LEARNING
HAPPENS



GOOGLE DRIVE
KEEP EVERYTHING.
SHARE ANYTHING.

HELPFUL LINKS & RESOURCES



Instructional Technology

Our goal is to provide quick-reference resources for teachers to facilitate the integration of technology into learning and teaching (TILT). Our [website](#) is full of curriculum tools and examples of how these tools are used in the classroom. Here you will also find technology tools and web tools to help guide teachers to efficiently use their hardware and software. For any Instructional Technology questions feel free to email [Kim Ketterer](#), [Misty Jackson](#) or [Mandi Hanson](#).

We've moved!

Come visit us in our new location. We are located on the west side of the District Office near the 4J Wellness Clinic & the Technology Department.

App Recommendations for Teachers

Below is a list of the apps we have recommended and used with teachers in the iT3 iPad Pilot Project.

- ◆ [Adobe Reader](#) - **Free app** that allows you to view and interact with PDF documents across platforms and devices.
- ◆ [AirMicro Pad](#) - **Free app** for wireless microscope, ProScope Mobile. It can display and preserve a picture captured with ProScope Mobile as well.
- ◆ [Best Barcode Scanner](#) - **Free QR** Barcode scanner
- ◆ [Book Creator](#) - Paid app allows you to create your own beautiful iBooks, right on the iPad. Ideal for children's picture books, photo books, art books, cook books, manuals, textbooks, and the list goes on. \$4.99 (\$2.49 through VPP when 20+ licenses are purchased)
- ◆ [Comic Life](#) - Paid app lets you easily go from taking photos to creating full comics all on one device with full page templates and panel layouts. \$4.99 (\$2.49 through VPP when 20+ licenses are purchased)
- ◆ [Common Core](#) - Free app, a great reference for students, parents, and teachers to easily read and understand the core standards.
- ◆ [Dragon Dictation](#) - **Free app**, Dragon Dictation is an easy-to-use voice recognition application powered by Dragon® NaturallySpeaking® that allows you to easily speak and instantly see your text or email messages.
- ◆ [Dropbox](#) - **Free app**, access any file you save to your Dropbox from all your computers, iPhone, iPad, and the web. Offline access as well.
- ◆ [Edmodo](#) - **Free app**, a safe and easy way for teachers and students to engage and collaborate for free, anytime, anywhere. Secure classroom discussions, post assignments, grade book tracking, file sharing, educational resource library and much more.
- ◆ [Evernote](#) - **Free app**, easy-to-use app, Evernote lets you take notes, snap photos, create to-do lists, scan business cards, record voice reminders--and it makes everything searchable.

4J Technology Resources



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- ◆ Explain Everything - Paid app, an easy-to-use design, screencasting, and interactive whiteboard tool that lets you annotate, animate, narrate, import, and export almost anything to and from almost anywhere. \$2.99 (\$1.49 through VPP when 20+ licenses are purchased)
- ◆ GarageBand - **Free**, turns your iPad, iPhone, and iPod touch into a collection of Touch Instruments and a full-featured recording studio.
- ◆ Google Drive - **Free app**, connects to your 4J Google Account, all your files within reach from any smartphone, tablet, or computer. Easily invite others to view, edit, or leave comments on any of your files or folders.
- ◆ iBooks (install iPad User Guide) - **Free app**, an amazing way to download and read books. Also opens content published in PDF format.
- ◆ iMovie - **Free app** on new devices, puts everything you need to tell your story at your fingertips, with a beautifully streamlined interface and Multi-Touch gestures. Create beautiful HD movies and Hollywood-style trailers. On older devices, purchased prior to September 2014, \$4.99 (\$2.49 through VPP when 20+ licenses are purchased).
- ◆ iPhoto - Free app on new devices, gives you powerful yet easy ways to browse, organize, edit, and share your photos. On older devices, purchased prior to September 2014, \$4.99 (\$2.49 through VPP when 20+ licenses are purchased).
- ◆ Keynote - **Free app** on new devices, most powerful presentation app ever designed for a mobile device. On older devices, purchased prior to September 2014, \$9.99 (\$4.99 through VPP when 20+ licenses are purchased).
- ◆ NGSS - Free app, quickly find standards by various topic arrangements or keyword search. View the Next Generation Science Standards in one convenient FREE app!
- ◆ Notability - **Paid app**, a powerful note-taker on iPad and iPhone: sketch ideas, annotate documents, sign contracts, complete worksheets, keep a journal, record a lecture, jot travel notes, or teach a class. With iCloud support, your notes always travel with you! \$1.99 (\$0.99 through VPP when 20+ licenses are purchased)
- ◆ Numbers - **Free app** on new devices, the most innovative spreadsheet app ever designed for a mobile device. On older devices, purchased prior to September 2014, \$9.99 (\$4.99 through VPP when 20+ licenses are purchased).
- ◆ Pages - **Free app** on new devices, the most beautiful word processor you've ever seen on a mobile device. On older devices, purchased prior to September 2014, \$9.99 (\$4.99 through VPP when 20+ licenses are purchased).
- ◆ Penultimate - Free app, The most natural digital handwriting experience on iPad, Penultimate gives you the convenience and feel of writing on paper with the added power and availability of Evernote.
- ◆ Show Me - **Free app**, turn your iPad into your personal interactive whiteboard! ShowMe allows you to record voice-over whiteboard tutorials and share them online.

- ◆ SMART Notebook - Paid app, SMART Notebook for iPad is a light version of the SMART Notebook collaborative learning software. Using this app, you can both use and edit SMART Notebook lesson activities for individual and collaborative learning with an iPad. \$6.99 (\$3.49 through VPP when 20+ licenses are purchased)
- ◆ Teacher Vue - Free app, Edupoint Educational Systems (Synergy), access and manage your classroom from anywhere using your iOS device.



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[Information for 4J Staff](#)



[D. Nelson's Quick Sheets](#)

Desktop Support and Hardware Repair: For immediate technology help, call 541-790-7777 or extension 7777. This help line is available Monday-Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. If you need help with a technical issue on your computer, please send an email to 4jdesktop@4j.lane.edu or use the [online help form](#).

Additional Apps and Websites To Consider:

- ◆ Apps Gone Free - Free app, Find great apps without spending a dime! Get high quality paid apps for free each day.
- ◆ Book Bub - Website, requires free enrollment. BookBub alerts you to limited-time free and discounted ebooks matching your interests.
- ◆ Endless ABC - Set the stage for reading success with this delightfully interactive educational app. Kids will have a blast learning their ABC's and building vocabulary with the adorable monsters in Endless Alphabet. \$6.99 (\$3.49 through VPP when 20+ licenses are purchased)
- ◆ Flip Board - Free app, Flipboard is your personal magazine. It is the most popular way to catch up on the news, read stories from around the world and browse the articles, videos and photos friends are sharing.
- ◆ Home Screen Bookmarks
- ◆ Inspiration - Inspiration Maps™, the most intuitive and powerful visual learning app on the iPad. Build beautiful diagrams, graphic organizers and outlines with ease! \$9.99 (\$4.99 through VPP when 20+ licenses are purchased)
- ◆ Khan Academy - Free app, Khan Academy allows you to learn almost anything for free. Track your progress: Log in with your Khan Academy user account to get credit for watching videos, and see your achievements. Downloadable videos: take individual videos or entire playlists to watch offline at your own pace.
- ◆ Kindle - Free app, The Kindle app is optimized for the iPad, iPhone, and iPod touch, giving users the ability to read Kindle books, newspapers, magazines, textbooks and PDFs on a beautiful, easy-to-use interface. You'll have access to over 1,000,000* books in the Kindle Store plus hundreds* of newspapers and magazines.
- ◆ MyScript Notes Mobile - With MyScript Notes Mobile, you can take notes with your own handwriting, draw, insert pictures and do more. You can even search your handwriting notes, an easy way to find words or sentences in different notebooks. \$7.99 (\$3.99 through VPP when 20+ licenses are purchased)
- ◆ News-O-Matic - This nonfiction reading comprehension app publishes five news stories each weekday! The stories range in length and difficulty to create opportunities for differentiated instruction. Readers learn what happened on this date in history through an educational game and write or draw to Editor-in-Chief Russ in the News Room. Each edition gives you access to a Teacher's Guide. \$9.99 (\$4.99 through VPP when 20+ licenses are purchased)
- ◆ OSLIS National Geographic

- ◆ Paper - Free app, Paper is where ideas begin. It's the easiest and most beautiful way to create on iPad. Capture your ideas as sketches, diagrams, illustrations, notes or drawings and share them across the web. Try it free—buy additional tools from the in-App Store.
- ◆ Pinterest - Free app, Pinterest is a tool to help you discover and plan things you want to do. When you find something that looks interesting, just Pin it! Pins are visual bookmarks that you organize and share the way you want.
- ◆ The Pyramids - With this beautiful iPad app from Touch Press you can explore the incredible pyramids and tombs of ancient Egypt. Fly around the plateau where the pyramids and the Sphinx are located at Giza near Cairo. Enter and wander around the labyrinthine tombs and passageways. Examine stunning wall paintings in incredible detail, rotate royal statues and spin 3D objects. \$6.99 (\$3.49 through VPP when 20+ licenses are purchased)
- ◆ Virtual Nerd Mobile Math - Free app from Pearson. This amazing math app provides on-the-go access to Virtual Nerd's extensive video library. Interactive tutorial videos review fundamental math concepts in middle school and high school.
- ◆ Word Clouds - Free app, Word Clouds by ABCya.com is an easy-to-use app to create and share beautiful word clouds.