

Workbook - Integrating Podcasts in the Classroom

Overview:

The following lessons and objectives were covered in this course. Feel free to go back and review some or all of them, if necessary:

1. Use Podcasts in Collaborative Assignments

- Offers some examples of how podcasts can be used in collaborative assignments.
- Explains how to plan lessons with group projects incorporating audio or video podcasts into a variety of subjects.

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- Explains how to use podcasts to communicate with parents.
- Describes ways that podcasts can be used to share students' work with their parents.
- Offers a few platforms for sharing podcasts with parents.

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- Suggests ways that substitute teachers can be given class subject matter information via podcasts.
- Shows how podcasts can be used to demonstrate a class period for a substitute teacher.
- Explains how to use podcasts to give a substitute teacher instructions for a class.

5. Integrate Podcasts in Elementary Education

- Explains some ways that syndicated podcasts can be incorporated into elementary school lesson plans.
- Offers ideas for creating podcasts for elementary lesson plans.
- Explores helping students learn by creating their own podcasts.

6. Integrate Podcasts in English

- Describes how to use podcasts in secondary-level English classes.
- Gives specific, usable, real-life examples for teachers.

7. Integrate Podcasts in Math

- Explores uses for podcasts and vodcasts in education.
- Views examples of how podcasts and vodcasts can aid struggling students in mathematics.
- Looks at ways of using podcasts or vodcasts even when you are not in the classroom for seamless instruction.

8. Integrate Podcasts in Science

- Describes how to use podcasts in secondary-level science classes.
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Introduction - Integrating Podcasts in the Classroom

Included below is a description of the course, along with a list of the lessons and objectives covered in the course. In addition to the lessons, the course also includes a quiz that reviews the material and provides reinforcement, a printable workbook that contains real-life examples and exercises, and a survey that allows you to rate the effectiveness of the course.

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This course explores the use of podcasts in classrooms. It provides real-world examples for teachers to use in their efforts to incorporate podcasting. It discusses collaborative assignments, reaching absent students through podcasts, engaging parents, and preparing substitutes remotely. It also covers specific examples of podcast uses geared toward teachers of elementary students, as well as those in secondary education subjects, such as English, math, science, social studies, and fine arts.

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