

EDUCATIONAL POLICIES COMMITTEE REPORT
Meeting of January 7th, 2015

Technology Update:

Additional workshops have been added by ESD to help facilitate the transition to gGoogle. They are available in both French and English and with varied content (Google 101, Google 201, Google Classrooms, Google Apps for Education, etc.). The February 6th Ped Day, which will be held at Lindsay Place, will also offer a number of technology/Google related workshops. You can register for any of these workshops (including the Feb. 6th ones once the schedule has been finalized) on the Portal. Workshops are also being offered to administrators to familiarize them with using Google both with their staff and within the classroom.

Upcoming presentations to EPC:

Upcoming presentations to EPC will cover various topics such as tech initiatives, international students within our board, changes at the ministry level, etc. Dates and content of some presentations are still TBD.

Exams / Summer School:

- Exam schedule for the Secondary V June ministry/board exams was distributed and reviewed.
- ESD will be undergoing an item analysis of the grade 6 math exam this year in an effort to better identify areas of strength and weakness for our students.
- Summer school at the high school level is set to finish by July 31st, 2015.

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