First Grade	Tech Smarts
	Computer Basics/Technology
	Pennsylvania Academic Standards:
	1.1.3E Demonstrate fluency in oral reading of grade level texts.
	1.1.3F Understanding the meaning of and use correctly new vocabulary learned in various subject areas.
	1.6.3A Listen critically and respond to others in small and large group situations. Respond with grade level appropriate questions, ideas, information, or opinions.
	1.6.3D Contribute to discussion.
	1.6.3E Participate in small and large group discussions and presentations.
	3.7.4D Use basic computer software.
	ISTE/NETS:
	2. Communication and Collaboration
	Students use digital media and environments to communicate and work collaboratively,
	including at a distance, to support individual learning and contribute to the learning of
	others.
	Students:
	a. interact, collaborate, and publish with peers, experts, or others employing a variety of
	digital environments and media
	b. communicate information and ideas effectively to multiple audiences using a variety
	of media and formats
	6. Technology Operations and Concepts
	Students demonstrate a sound understanding of technology concepts, systems, and
	operations.
	Students:
	a. understand and use technology systems

Essential Understandings:
Computers are tools that help us do jobs more efficiently.
There are many different technology devices.
Overarching and Essential Questions:
What are the basic computer devices?
Vocabulary:
Cables
CD/DVD drive
CD/DVD
Keyboard
Laptop
Monitor
Mouse
Mouse pad
Printer
Speakers
Tower
USB drive
Online storage
Assessments: Performance Tasks, Projects
Matching words to pictures.
Assessments: Quizzes, Tests and Academic Prompts
PowerPoint quiz (from CD)
 Matching paper/pencil quiz (from CD)
Assessments: Other Evidence (e.g., observations, work samples, dialogues)
Teacher observation of Can you find? and matching activities

Assessments: Student Self-Assessment
The students are able to use the new vocabulary in class to refer to a device.
Students will need to know (targeted understandings):
Technology vocabulary based on the different computer devices.
Students will be able to do (targeted skills):
Demonstrate a sound understanding of technology concepts, systems, and operations.
Demonstrate their knowledge of the different computer devices through a project.
Teaching and learning experiences:
Using the following lessons from Teacher Resource book:
Computer Basics Slide Show (PowerPoint) – page 28
Identify the Devices – page 31
Make and color a Book – page 32
Materials and Resources:
Teacher Resource book:
Kids, Computers, and Learning by Holly Poteete
The 12 devices - Cables, CD/DVD drive, CD/DVD, keyboard, laptop, monitor, mouse,
mouse pad, printer, speakers, tower, USB drive
CD from text
Projector
Picture/vocabulary cards (laminated)
Accommodations:
Seating arrangements and visual aides
Follow IEP and 504 Plans
Buddy system
Enrichments:
Differentiated activities when necessary
Time:

2 to 3 sessions; 45 minutes once a cycle
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First Grade	Tech Smarts
	Internet and Computer Safety
	Pennsylvania Academic Standards:
	1.1.3E Demonstrate fluency in oral reading of grade level texts.
	1.1.3F Understanding the meaning of and use correctly new vocabulary learned in various subject areas.
	1.6.3A Listen critically and respond to others in small and large group situations.
	Respond with grade level appropriate questions, ideas, information, or opinions.
	1.6.3D Contribute to discussion.
	1.6.3E Participate in small and large group discussions and presentations.
	3.7.4E Identify basic computer communication systems.
	5.1.3A Explain the purposes of rules, laws and consequences.
	5.2.3A Identify personal rights and responsibilities.
	5.2.3B Identify the sources of conflict and disagreement and different ways conflict can
	be resolved.
	13.3.3A Identify attitudes and work habits that contribute to success at home and school.
	13.3.3B Identify how to cooperate at both home and school.
	13.3.3G Discuss how time is used at both home and school.
	ISTE/NETS
	2. Communication and Collaboration
	Students use digital media and environments to communicate and work collaboratively,
	including at a distance, to support individual learning and contribute to the learning of
	others.
	Students:
	a. interact, collaborate, and publish with peers, experts, or others employing a variety of
	digital environments and media
	b. communicate information and ideas effectively to multiple audiences using a variety
	of media and formats
	5. Digital Citizenship
	Students understand human, cultural, and societal issues related to technology and

practice legal and ethical behavior.
Students:
a. advocate and practice safe, legal, and responsible use of information and technology
b. exhibit a positive attitude toward using technology that supports collaboration,
learning, and productivity
c. demonstrate personal responsibility for lifelong learning
6. Technology Operations and Concepts
Students demonstrate a sound understanding of technology concepts, systems, and
operations.
Students:
a. understand and use technology systems
b. select and use applications effectively and productively
Essential Understandings:
Content on Internet can be posted by anyone and must be evaluated.
Bullying is unacceptable behavior at all times, including in an online environment.
Not all websites are reliable sources.
There are appropriate ways to communicate on-line.
Software can be used to block website information.
Computers need to be protected from viruses.
Communication shared on the Internet is not private
Overarching and Essential Questions:
What is Digital Citizenship (Netiquette)?
What is UYN – Use your NetSmartz?
What is a virus and how can it harm your computer?
What is a filter and why would you use it?

Vocabulary:
Cyber Bullying
UYN – Use your NetSmartz
IM – Instant Messaging
Chatting
Virus
Pop up
Spyware
Attachment
E-mail
E-card
Anti-virus software
Filtering software
Digital Citizenship (Netiquette)
NetSmartz
Assessments: Performance Tasks, Projects
Netiquette Wordle printouts, Netiquette Posters (see example - name on top, glue
netiquette terms to construction paper, glue 8.5 x 11 white plain paper where students
will draw a picture of netiquette, and underneath write a phrase or sentence describing
picture).
Assessments: Other Evidence (e.g., observations, work samples, dialogues)
Observation and dialogue
Assessments: Student Self-Assessment
The student will play the Internet and Computer Safety game and videos at the web site
NetSmartzkids.org.
Students will need to know (targeted understandings):
The vocabulary: UYN – Use your NetSmartz; IM – Instant Messaging; Chatting; Virus;
Pop up; Spyware; Attachment; E-mail; E-card; Anti-virus software; Filtering software;
Digital Citizenship (Netiquette); NetSmartz

Students will be able to do (targeted skills):
Use the vocabulary: UYN – Use your NetSmartz; IM – Instant Messaging; Chatting; Virus; Pop up; Spyware; Attachment; E-mail; E-card; Anti-virus software; Filtering software; Digital Citizenship (Netiquette); NetSmartz
Teaching and learning experiences:
Using the following lessons from Teacher Resource book:
Internet Safety Song – page 51
Online Interactive Stories – page 53
Treat Others the Way You Want to be Treated – page 55
Internet Safety Terms – page 57
Internet Safety Slide Show – page 60
*See assessments for other learning experiences
Materials and Resources:
Tech Smarts poster
NetSmartzkids.org (games – green icon; videos - red camera) UYN the NetSmartz chat abbreviation – featuring Alison Stoner
Wordle.net (Netiquette) List of words about the related topic
Teacher Resource book: Kid's, Computers, and Learning by Holly Poteete
Laptop
Headphone
Color printer
Interactive Whiteboard
Accommodations:
Seating arrangement and visual aides
Follow IEP and 504 Plans
Buddy system

Enrichments:
Differentiated activities when necessary
Time: 6 to 8 sessions; 45 minutes once a cycle; ongoing throughout other units
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First Grade	Tech Smarts
	Hardware
	Pennsylvania Academic Standards:
	1.1.3E Demonstrate fluency in oral reading of grade level texts.
	1.1.3F Understanding the meaning of and use correctly new vocabulary learned in various subject areas.
	2.6.3D Form and justify an opinion on whether a given statement is reasonable based on a comparison to data.
	1.6.3A Listen critically and respond to others in small and large group situations. Respond with grade level appropriate questions, ideas, information, or opinions.
	1.6.3D Contribute to discussion.
	1.6.3E Participate in small and large group discussions and presentations.
	3.7.4E Identify basic computer communication systems.
	ISTE/NETS Standards:
	2. Communication and Collaboration
	Students use digital media and environments to communicate and work collaboratively,
	including at a distance, to support individual learning and contribute to the learning of
	others.
	Students:
	a. interact, collaborate, and publish with peers, experts, or others employing a variety of
	digital environments and media
	3. Research and Information Fluency
	Students apply digital tools to gather, evaluate, and use information.
	Students:
	b. locate, organize, analyze, evaluate, synthesize, and ethically use information from a
	variety of sources and media
	c. evaluate and select information sources and digital tools based on the appropriateness
	to specific tasks

Students understand human, cultural, and societal issues related to technology and practice legal and ethical behavior. Students: a. advocate and practice safe, legal, and responsible use of information and technology b. exhibit a positive attitude toward using technology that supports collaboration, learning, and productivity
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c. demonstrate personal responsibility for lifelong learning
d. exhibit leadership for digital citizenship
6. Technology Operations and Concepts
Students demonstrate a sound understanding of technology concepts, systems, and
operations.
Students:
a. understand and use technology systems
b. select and use applications effectively and productively
d. transfer current knowledge to learning of new technologies
Essential Understandings:
Hardware is the physical component of the piece of technology.
Hardware accepts input, processes and stores data and produces output.
Overarching and Essential Questions:
How do you properly handle and store hardware?
How do you use the specific hardware?
What is an App?

Vocabulary:
Hardware
Арр
MP3 (e.g. iPod)
Tablet (e.g. iPad)
Laptop
Interactive Whiteboard
Projector
Printer
Document Camera
Scanner
Overhead Projector
Assessments: Performance Tasks, Projects
The students will interact with various apps and rate them using one to three stars for
 favorites.
Assessments: Other Evidence (e.g., observations, work samples, dialogues)
Observation
Student/Teacher interaction
Assessments: Student Self-Assessment
The student will use different types of hardware.
Students will need to know (targeted understandings):
Hardware can accept input, process and store data and produce output.
The physical piece of technology that you touch and hold is called hardware.

Students will be able to do (targeted skills):
Properly pick up, carry and put back their hardware.
Turn on and off the hardware.
Explain and use an App.
Interact with whiteboard.
Add applications to the dock.
Teaching and learning experiences:
Students will be introduced to the proper handling and usage of the following items:
Laptop
MP3 Player
Tablet
Interactive Whiteboard
Rate apps
Materials and Resources:
Teacher Resource book:
Kid's, Computers, and Learning by Holly Poteete
Application store is used to download Apps (students will not do this)
MP3 Cart
Tablet Cart
Laptop Cart
Interactive Whiteboard
 Document Camera
Accommodations:
Seating arrangement and visual aides
Follow IEP and 504 Plans
Buddy system

Enrichments: Offering additional hardware time when finishing their other tasks
Time: 4 to 7 sessions; 45 minutes once a cycle
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First Grade	Tech Smarts
	Software Applications
	Word Processing Programs
	Digital image software
	Mobile software applications
	Pennsylvania Academic Standards:
	1.1.3E Demonstrate fluency in oral reading of grade level texts.
	1.1.3F Understanding the meaning of and use correctly new vocabulary learned in various subject areas.
	1.4.3A Write narrative pieces.
	1.6.3D Contribute to discussions.
	1.6.3E Participate in small and large group discussions and presentations.
	3.7.4D Use basic computer software.
	2.9.3A Predict how shapes can be changed by combining or dividing them.
	2.8.3A Recognize, describe, extend, create and replicate a variety of patterns including attribute, activity, number and geometric patterns.
	2.8.3G Use a table or chart to display information
	2.4.3A Make, check and verify predictions about the quantity, size and shape of objects and groups of objects.
	2.5.3A Use appropriate problem-solving strategies.
	ISTE/NETS:
	1. Students demonstrate creative thinking, construct knowledge, and develop innovative products and processing technology.
	Students:
	a. apply existing knowledge to generate new ideas, products, or processesb. create original works as a means of personal or group expression

2. Students use digital media and environments to communicate and work
collaboratively, including at a distance, to support individual learning and contribute to
the learning of others.
Students:
a. interact, collaborate, and publish with peers, experts, or others employing a variety of
digital environments and media
b. communicate information and ideas effectively to multiple audiences using a variety
of media and formats
5. Students understand human, cultural, and societal issues related to technology and
practice legal and ethical behavior.
Students:
a. advocate and practice safe, legal, and responsible use of information and technology
b. exhibit a positive attitude toward using technology that supports collaboration,
learning, and productivity
c. demonstrate personal responsibility for lifelong learning
d. exhibit leadership for digital citizenship
6. Students demonstrate a sound understanding of technology concepts, systems, and
operations.
Students:
a. understand and use technology systems
b. select and use applications effectively and productively
Essential Understandings:
Word processing software can be used to communicate thoughts and ideas.
Word processing documents can be edited, formatted, saved and shared as the user
makes revisions.
Digital photo software can be used to capture and edit images that can be imported into
a word processing document.
Applications can be used to learn, improve efficiencies, communicate, collaborate and
entertain.
Overarching and Essential Questions:
Why do we use word processing software?

What kind of changes can we make to a document that was created with word
processing software?
What does digital photo software do?
When do we use digital photo software?
Why do we use applications?
Vocabulary:
Word processing
Applications (e.g. mobile apps)
Download
Digital photo
Software
Highlight text
Format, edit, cut, copy, paste
Font name, font size, font color
Click and drag
File save and print
Insert shapes and table
Alignment
Effects
Capture
Shortcuts
Spacing between words
Punctuation
Assessments: Performance Tasks, Projects
Create a table in a word processing document. (100's table, spelling words, color words)
Students will be able to change the font, size, and color of text.
Students will use shift, space bar, delete, punctuation, tab, and enter/return keys on the

keyboard. (spacing – one space after a word, no space before a word or a mark of
punctuation)
Create a one page "All About Me" document utilizing different software features.
(Using a table, color background, WordArt, different font styles and color)
Create a document using various shapes and a table. Students can access a sample in
the drop off folder on the shared drive.
Open an application and us it to perform a task.
Assessments: Other Evidence (e.g., observations, work samples, dialogues)
Observations and printouts
Type a story using any word processing software
Student/Teacher interactions
Assessments: Student Self-Assessment
Self-editing with the delete key.
Students will need to know (targeted understandings):
When we use word processing software.
Word processing document can be edited, formatted and saved.
That digital photo software captures images that they can edit.
That we can use digital photo software to import images.
How and when to use specific applications.
Students will be able to do (targeted skills):
Communicate original thoughts and ideas using word processing.
Revise their document.
Take a photo using digital photo software, edit and import into a document.
Open and application and use it.
Teaching and learning experiences:
Using the following lessons from Teacher Resource book:
Word Processing toolbars – Pages/Word - page 130
Creating a Document – page 136

Students will interact with word processing programs to produce: A table (100's, shapes, and spelling words) A picture using shapes, WordArt, color, font name and size Words/stories and they cut, copy and pasted (spelling words, color words) Picture from clipart and Photo Booth. "All About Me" document (WordArt, picture, sentences) Materials and Resources: Teacher Resource Book: Kid's, Computers, and Learning by Holly Poteete Photo Booth Word and/or Pages Interactive Whiteboard Laptop Color Printer Teacher provided notes or visual aids (sentence starters, spelling lists) Follow IEP and 504 Plans Seating arrangement and visual aides Buddy system
A picture using shapes, WordArt, color, font name and size Words/stories and they cut, copy and pasted (spelling words, color words) Picture from clipart and Photo Booth. "All About Me" document (WordArt, picture, sentences) Materials and Resources: Teacher Resource Book: Kid's, Computers, and Learning by Holly Poteete Photo Booth Word and/or Pages Interactive Whiteboard Laptop Color Printer Teacher provided notes or visual aids (sentence starters, spelling lists) Follow IEP and 504 Plans Seating arrangement and visual aides Buddy system
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Enrichments:
Take the given task a step further. (Add more columns in a table and/or add a sentence)
Time: 18 sessions; 45 minutes once a cycle
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