

Intel® Innovation in Education

# Institutes





## **Ideas Worth Borrowing**

Developing Projects Using Other Teachers' Work

#### Goals

- Learn where to find and how to use collections of technology-supported projects
- Develop personal criteria for adapting others' project ideas
- Practice creating and adapting technology-supported projects

#### **Agenda**

- 1. Think About Planning Instruction
  - Where do your best curriculum ideas come from?
  - How do you put them put into action?
- 2. Unit and Project Plans
  - Examine online plans
- 3. An Innovation Odyssey
  - 'Seed' ideas from other teachers
- 4. Adapt-a-Plan Exercise
- 5. Work on a Plan
- 6. Tying Ideas Together
- 7. More Curriculum Resources
- 8. Wrap-up



### **Consider How You Plan**

Use this sheet to record ideas, resources, and reflections to share with others. When looking beyond adopted curriculum, where do you go for new teaching ideas?

#### Report Out

**Share your experiences.** Describe one of the resources you turn to repeatedly when planning instruction. Explain why it is worthy of your attention.

Resources Why

## **Curriculum Development**

Consider how you **develop** curriculum: Do you build from scratch? Adapt? Use as is? Mark an **X** to indicate how you identify yourself on the continuum.

Place yourself on the Curriculum Development Continuum.

Build from Use existing scratch Adapt curriculum as is

Reflect: What kinds of curriculum resources might be most helpful for a consumer/developer like you?



## **Examine Unit Plans**

www.intel.com/education/unitplans

Note plans you might use as written, and why they are effective for you.

Plans Why

Note plans you might **adapt** and why. Note changes you would make in content, scope, rigor, technology, or procedures.

Plans Why Changes



Note ideas, resources, instructional methods, student activities or technologies you might use.

Notes

## Report Out

**What did you find?** Share resources that are of particular interest to you and tell why. What comments do you have about these Unit Plans?



## **Examine An Innovation Odyssey Stories**

www.intel.com/education/odyssey

Note class	room project	ideas that	spark your	interest—	-why?
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Stories/Project Ideas Why

Note technologies used in ways that are new or interesting to you—why are they significant?

Stories/Technology Ideas Why

Report Out

What did you find? Share several project ideas, activities, or technologies that interest you in some way. Describe their significance to you.