6 Tech: Technology Operations and Concepts

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Established Goals/Standards

TEC.5-8.8.1.8.A.5 Select and use appropriate tools and digital resources to accomplish a variety of tasks and

to solve problems.

Essential Questions

- How can software menus be used to manipulate the workspace?
- How do I choose which technological tools to use and when it is appropriate to use them?
- How do I transfer what I know to new technological situations and experiences?
- In a world of constant change, what skills should we learn?

Enduring Understanding

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- · A tool is only as good as the person using it.
- Selection of technology should be based on personal and/or career needs assessment.
- Technology is constantly changing and requires continuous learning of new skills.

Content

- Describe the interconnectivity of the part of a computer
- Explore the operating systems (e.g., desktop icons, start button)
- Explore the workspace of various software and operating systems using control buttons
- · Identify computer components and functions using appropriate terminology
- Open a program using desktop icons, using the start menu and all programs
- · Use files, folders, and network resources to store or retrieve data

Resources

Web 2.0 tools, United Streaming, Microsoft Office Applications, Windows 7 Tools and Applications, Google Docs,