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**STUDENT TECHNOLOGY FEE
Funding Request Form
Surplus Funds for Fiscal Year 2006-07
Northwestern State University of Louisiana**

Prepared by: Dr. Karen McFerrin For: _____

College: Education Campus: Natchitoches Department: _____

Where will requested equipment be located/installed/housed: Bldg. TEC Room: C114

Are property policies/procedures in place by the department for equipment requested? YES

Delivery to the Student Technology office located in Watson Library, Room 113. Date _____

1. Describe target audience.

The target audience for this proposal includes all undergraduate and graduate students attending classes in the Teacher Education Center on the main campus of Northwestern State University, including education majors, General College students taking education and educational technology courses, and other University students taking education and educational technology elective courses.

2. Describe project/initiative for which you are requesting funds.

This initiative will provide for an upgrade of hardware, software, peripherals, and work station in the Student Multimedia Classroom and Lab in C114 of the Teacher Education Center building. This replacement grant will be for hardware, software, peripherals, and work station only; the existing wiring for networking will need no modifications.

3. State measurable objectives that will be used to determine the impact/effectiveness of the project.

To provide all education students with newer, more advanced hardware, software, and peripherals, and to meet efolio requirements for graduation as evidenced by:

- a. A log of students using multimedia equipment lab and the multimedia classroom.
- b. Records of training conducted on this equipment each semester.
- c. Archived multimedia folio products produced as course performance based assignments in each students PassPort account as well as shared in-class accounts.
- e. Individual student final exit folios that contain selected folio items and which become parts of their permanent academic record.

4. Indicate how each project objective will be evaluated.

Evaluation on the effectiveness of the initiative in terms of advancing the teaching/learning process can be obtained through observation and counting classroom usage and sign in sheets when functioning as an open lab. Additionally, feedback will be obtained from efolio posting to PassPort class areas. Also, principals and supervising teachers will provide information on the actual integration of technology into the teaching/learning process by the students and from individual faculty members who are teaching the classes that use the equipment in the Student Multimedia Lab in C114.

5. Provide a justification for funding of the project. Estimate the number of students who will be served per academic year and in what ways. Please indicate also any unique needs of the target group.

Due to the unique nature of education and educational technology courses and the computer use requirements of the College of Education, students must have access to an up-to-date technology lab in order to complete their course assignments. Currently 10 classes are held in C114 weekly consisting of a total of approximately 250 students, as well as other classes that sign up for use on an as needed basis. When class are not being held, C114 becomes an overflow computer lab open for all students to access the Internet and Blackboard and to complete technology assignments.

The NSU College of Education provides programs to approximately 1,500 students per semester (per year student numbers are around 4,000). Each of these students has the need to gain technological skills taught in their educational technology courses.

The equipment available is out of date, totally inadequate, and incapable of running the newer, more current software that is needed and received within the College. Educational publishers provide preview/ demonstration copies of their software. At the present time, our equipment in C114 does not have sufficient multimedia capabilities to display and run the new software that we receive. The proposed upgrade would make the machines in C114 compatible with all MS licensed software.

The College of Education recognizes that technology is an integral portion of the educational community. We believe our students have a unique need in that they must be able to seamlessly integrate technology into their everyday existence in order to effectively use it as a tool for enhancing the teaching/learning process. Our graduates must become skilled users of current technology and must be prepared to acknowledge and master the technology they will encounter after graduation.

6. If funded, which NSTEP (<http://www.nsula.edu/nstep/NSTEP.pdf>) objective will this funding of this project advance? How will funding of the project advance the University and College/unit technology plan?

NSTEP Objective #5 says to develop and implement a system of resource commitment and allocation in order to increase excellence in academic and professional programs. Funding of this project would provide technology for direct use by completing coursework activities within the Teacher Education Center and would provide classrooms with updated technology and multimedia. Objective #1 says to attain accreditation for each eligible degree program by a Board of Regents approved national accrediting agency. In the case of the College of Education, this initiative allows for continuance of reaccreditation by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE). Overall, this project allows for an extension of classroom technology availability and state of the art multimedia capabilities to be available within the Multimedia Lab of the Teacher Education Center at a very reasonable per student cost.

A major goal listed in the College of Education's Technology Plan is to promote the use of technology to augment instruction, strengthen communications, and improve services. Another is to develop innovative, nontraditional methods of instruction. Our faculty is doing this, but our students need better technology equipment in the Multimedia Lab to fulfill the requirements of their courses. The funding of this initiative will move us closer to the attainment of these goals. It will provide students with technology resources and training that will assist them in using technology tools in their future or current teaching situations. It will provide students with technology resources and training that will assist in developing and applying their technology skills to enhance the teaching/learning process. Upgraded technology hardware in the C114 Multimedia Lab will allow for more efficient use of the technology equipment in the two methods classrooms.

7. List those individuals who will be responsible for the implementation of the project/initiative and indicate their demonstrated abilities to accomplish the objectives of the project.

Karen McFerrin, Ed.D.

Associate Professor

College of Education/Educational Technology

Dr. McFerrin has extensive experience with on-line education and evaluation and is currently teaching and working in the areas of technology integration, use and evaluation of software in the teaching/learning process, and support of the new curriculum standards.

She has made numerous professional presentations concerning the integration of technology, technology planning, and communication through distance education media. She is involved at local, University, and state levels in refining and implementing technology standards for teaching and for teacher education with regards to ISTE and Louisiana In-Tech initiatives.

Dr. Ron McBride, Ph.D.

Professor

College of Education/Educational Technology

Dr. Kioh Kim, Ph.D.
Assistant Professor
College of Education/Educational Technology

Dr. Sanghoon Park, Ph.D.
Assistant Professor
College of Education/Educational Technology

All members of the initiative team are currently active in the use of instructional technology. Each has been active in the design and delivery of successful college courses that use technology to further advance the teaching/learning process.

8. Describe any personnel (technical or otherwise) required to support the project/initiative.

The Educational Technology faculty and graduate assistants in the College of Education can provide any needed additional technical support for the initiative.

9. Provide a schedule for implementation and evaluation.

Implementation:

May, 2007	Order equipment Receive equipment
June, 2007	Develop program for implementation and equipment use Begin use of new hardware/software in C114
August, 2007	Receive feedback on C114 equipment use
December, 2007	Final semester evaluation of student use of equipment

Throughout the summer and fall 2007 semesters:

Demonstrate and explain use of equipment and new software during regularly scheduled faculty meetings.

Demonstrate and explain use of equipment and new software during regularly scheduled class meetings held in the multimedia classroom.

Evaluation:

Feedback will be obtained verbally and written from faculty/students on training. Sign up sheets and class rosters in the Multimedia Lab in C114 will monitor equipment use. Survey of faculty/selected students will be conducted to assess use and additional training requirements needed.

10. Estimate the expected life of hardware and software. Explain any anticipated equipment/software upgrades during the next five years.

This initiative would replace the existing and inadequate computers, software and peripherals in C114 with new systems with a 4-year life expectancy, dependant upon the rate and nature of industry standard changes.

11. Explain in detail a plan and policy that will be in place to ensure property security/controls for any equipment received through a Student Tech fee grant.

TEC Room C114 is secured an electronically locked door with access by key which is given only a few faculty and staff members. The outside door is always locked from the outside. Students are only allowed access to the room when a faculty member is in attendance. Equipment within this room is monitored continuously by ETEC faculty and by College of Education faculty who teach in this room.

12. Attach a detailed budget, including:
 a. Specs, description, cost, state contract number, vendor for each item
 (Under construction)

TEC C114 Multimedia Classroom Upgrade

1. Hardware

Item	Price		
	C-114	C-112 (overflow equipment)	
Desktop computer (Student)	21		
Multimedia Desktop computer (Instructor)	1		
Multimedia Desktop computer (Student)	3	2	
Presentation Station	1		
Workstation	1		
Laser Printer (Black)	2	1	
Laser Printer (Color)	1		
Scanner	3	1	
Smartboard (Wall mounted)	1		

C114 C112

ADA

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Beam Projector (Ceiling mounted)	1		
Plasma Screen	1	1	
Touch Screens - Adaptive Solutions (www.adaptive-sol.com) Be sure to get the ones by KeyTech - I would just order a few so you can demonstrate them. Also from this site, you could order a few switches and switch interfaces.	3		

2. Software

Item	Price	
	C-114	C-112
✓ Macromedia studio 8	25	
✓ Adobe Acrobat 8	25	} Create Suite 3
✓ Adobe Photoshop	25	
MS-Office 2007	25	
✓ SPSS	25	
✓ Timer	25	
✓ Unlead studio (video editing program)	25 3	2
UnitedStreaming access		
Boardmaker with Speaking Dynamically Pro 6.0 (www.mayer-johnson.com)	25 25	
✓ CoWriter (www.donjohnston.com)	25 25	
✓ Intellitools Classroom Suite - www.intellitools.com	25 25	
✓ Cloze Pro by Crick Soft	25	

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✓ Clicker 5 Software by Crick Soft (www.cricksoft.com)	12 25		
✓ Dragon Naturally Speaking	+ 2		
✓ Kurzweil	+ 25		

(Wiring for network access and power currently exists. No modification needed)

TOTAL COST:

Cost-effectiveness:

[Student impact per dollar spent per year]

\$ 130,910.63

for 2000 students over 4 years = per student per year

Classroom \$ 8500.00

b. Cost of Outside Support Personnel:

none

\$ 139,410.63

c. Description of how the proposal will support University/College/unit resources (i.e. cash match, funds from other sources, or reallocation of existing hardware/software or other equipment).

The proposal will allow student access to a Student Multimedia Classroom and Lab with an adequate hardware, software, and peripheral configuration to meet their needs, will enable the College of Education to use software resources it receives from grants and partnerships and will allow for connectivity and application hands-on experience for a large number of pre-service and in-service students within the College of Education.

13. Attach a letter of support for the project signed by the requesting unit's Dean.

Attached is letter of support for the project signed by Dean Vickie Gentry, College of Education.



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Intel® Core™ 2 Duo Processor E6600 (2.40GHz, 4M, 1066MHz FSB), Genuine Windows Vista™ Ultimate, with media, 32 Edition, English Unit Price \$1,757.06

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Module	Description	Show Details
OptiPlex 745 Small Form Factor	Intel® Core™ 2 Duo Processor E6600 (2.40GHz, 4M, 1066MHz FSB)	
Operating System(s)	Genuine Windows Vista™ Ultimate, with media, 32 Edition, English	
Memory	2.0GB DDR2 Non-ECC SDRAM, 667MHz, (2DIMM)	
Keyboard	Dell USB Keyboard, No Hot Keys, English, Black	
Monitors	Dell 20 inch UltraSharp™ 2007FP Flat Panel, Adjustable Stand, VGA/DVI 128MB ATI Radeon X1300 (1 DVI/1 TV-out), low	

Video Card	profile
Boot Hard Drives	250GB SATA 3.0Gb/s and 8MB DataBurst Cache™
Floppy Drive and Media Card Reader Options	Dell 13 in 1 USB Media Card Reader
Mouse	Dell USB 2-Button Optical Mouse with Scroll, Black
Lead Free Motherboard	RoHS Compliant Lead Free Chassis and Motherboard
Removable Media Storage Devices	8X Slimline DVD+/-RW w/Roxio Creator™ Dell Edition for Vista Ultimate
Speakers	Dell AS501 Sound Bar for all UltraSharp Flat Panel Displays (Black)
Resource CD	Resource DVD contains Diagnostics and Driver for Dell OptiPlex Systems
Dell Energy Smart	Dell Energy Smart Enable
Security Hardware	Chassis intrusion switch option
Hardware Support Services	5 Year Limited Warranty plus 5 Year NBD On-Site Service
Installation Support Services	No Onsite System Setup
Mouse Pad	Mouse Pad

TOTAL:\$10,542.36



OptiPlex 745 Small Form Factor (Vista)

Date & Time: May 03,2007 11:58 AM CST

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OptiPlex 745 Small Form Factor (Vista)	Qty	21
Intel® Core™ 2 Duo Processor E6600 (2.40GHz, 4M, 1066MHz FSB), Genuine Windows Vista™ Business, with media, 32 Edition, English	Unit Price	\$1,514.81
Catalog Number:	25 E1778_VISTA	
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Keyboard	Dell USB Keyboard, No Hot Keys, English, Black	
Monitors	Dell 17 inch UltraSharp™ 1708FP Flat Panel, Adjustable Stand, VGA/DVI	
Video Card	128MB ATI Radeon X1300 (1 DVI/1 TV-out), low profile	
Boot Hard Drives	80GB SATA 3.0Gb/s and 8MB DataBurst Cache™	
Floppy Drive and Media Card Reader Options	Dell 13 in 1 USB Media Card Reader	
	Dell USB 2-Button Optical Mouse with Scroll,	

Mouse	Black
Lead Free Motherboard	RoHS Compliant Lead Free Chassis and Motherboard
Removable Media Storage Devices	8XSlimDVD+/-RW w/RoxioCreator™ DellEdition for VistaHomeBasic/Business
Speakers	Dell AS501 Sound Bar for all UltraSharp Flat Panel Displays (Black)
Resource CD	Resource DVD contains Diagnostics and Driver for Dell OptiPlex Systems
Dell Energy Smart	Dell Energy Smart Enable
Security Hardware	Chassis intrusion switch option
Hardware Support Services	5 Year Limited Warranty plus 5 Year NBD On-Site Service
Installation Support Services	No Onsite System Setup
Mouse Pad	Mouse Pad

TOTAL:\$31,811.01

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Print speed, black

Up to 55 ppm

Two-sided printing

Automatic (optional)

Input capacity (std/max)

Up to 1100/Up to 3100

Connectivity, standard

Hi-Speed USB 2.0 port, IEEE 1284-B compliant parallel port, 2 open EIO slots, HP Jetdirect Fast Ethernet Embedded Print Server

Included paper-handling accessories

50-sheet rear output bin, 250-sheet top output bin

Optional paper-handling accessories

Options not included: Two-sided printing accessory, 75-envelope feeder, 500-sheet stacker or 15-sheet stapler/500-sheet stacker

HP LaserJet 4250/4350 smart print cartridge, black (20,000-pages)	Q5942X	\$217.00	6	\$1,302.00
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HP Color LaserJet 4700n printer	Base	\$1,586.00	1	\$1,586.00
HP Color LaserJet 4700n printer	Q7492A#ABA			

In the box:

100-sheet tray; power cable; software drivers; Getting Started Guide; HP Color LaserJet print cartridges (1 each: black, cyan, magenta, yellow); HP Jetdirect Fast Ethernet embedded print server; 500-sheet input tray

Print speed, black

Up to 31 ppm

Print speed, color

Up to 31 ppm

ADF capacity

None

Input capacity (std/max)

Up to 600/Up to 2600

Connectivity, standard

Bidirectional IEEE 1284C-compliant parallel port, HP Jetdirect Embedded Print Server, Hi-Speed USB 2.0 port (compatible with USB 2.0 specifications), 2 open EIO slots, foreign interface port for third-party solutions

Standard paper handling accessories

100-sheet multipurpose tray, 500-sheet tray, 500-sheet face-down output bin

Optional paper-handling accessories

Options not included: Up to four optional 500-sheet paper trays, optional duplexer, optional stand, optional 750-sheet stapler/stacker

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KTMT-1315-USB-M	Magic Touch Window - USB Mac/Win 15" - Beige	\$ 199.00
KTMT-1315-USB-M/B	Magic Touch Window - USB Mac/Win 15" - Black	\$ 199.00
KTMT-1315-USB-M/S	Magic Touch Window - USB Mac/Win 15" - Silver	\$ 199.00
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KTMT-17-USB-M/B	Magic Touch Window - USB Mac 17" - Black	\$ 239.00
KTMT-17-USB-M/S	Magic Touch Window - USB Mac 17" - Silver	\$ 239.00
KTMT-1921-USB	Magic Touch Window - USB Win 19-21" - Beige	\$ 299.00
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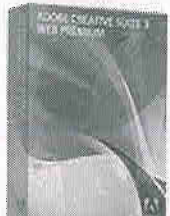
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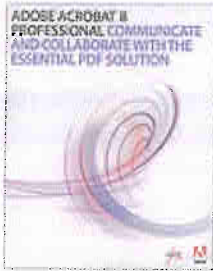
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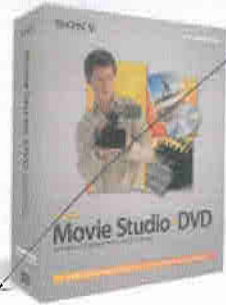
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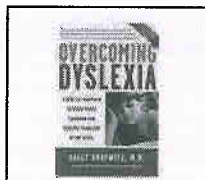
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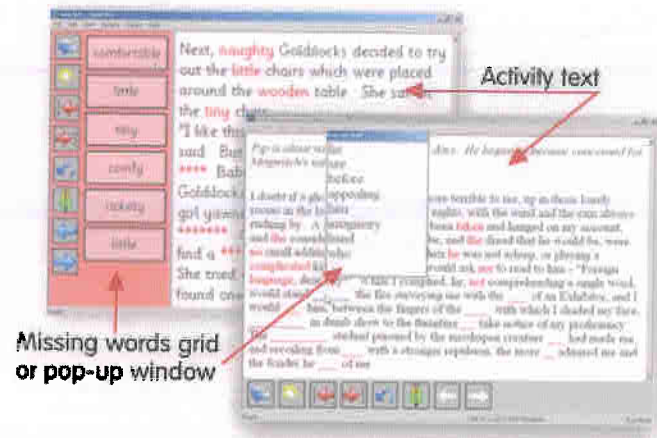
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Anyone who has used [Clicker](#) will find the interface very familiar. Grids are created automatically and are supported by digital speech. It's easy to create a series of linked activities that students can work through at their own pace.

The grid can be displayed along the side, as a pop-up, or in the bottom part of the screen. Gaps can be shown in a variety of styles, including the option to show the shape of the words. You can even have pictures in the gaps. Gaps can be filled in any order, so that students can make the best possible use of context cues.

Students can work through a series of linked activities that can form the basis for a whole lesson. ClozePro tracks everything the student does, and you can access a full report for any student at any time, either on a stand-alone computer or across your network. This enables you to diagnose reading problems and track individual progress.

ClozePro is also great with small groups, and is very powerful with the whole class when used with a whiteboard. It offers a rich language development opportunity where students can discuss possible answers and argue their case.

As a ClozePro user, you'll also be able to register on our free website at www.LearningGrids.com. Here you'll find a growing library of ready-made ClozePro activities covering a range of curriculum areas.

To find out more about ClozePro, have a look at the [ClozePro Guide](#).

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Who can use ClozePro?

Kindergarten children

Start with picture matching and progress to early word recognition.

Elementary school children

Younger learners can use picture and speech support, whilst older students can focus on longer, more complex texts.

Secondary school children

You can create activities for any curriculum area and use them with all your students to practice and reinforce learning, and even for exam revision.

Special needs

Ideal in any special needs context, ClozePro can provide differentiated activities tailored to a student's specific needs and is fully switch accessible.

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System requirements

ClozePro for Windows:

- Pentium II 200 or greater
- 32MB RAM
- 50MB hard disk space
- Windows 95, 98, ME, NT, 2000, XP, Vista

ClozePro for Mac:

- Mac OS X, v10.1.5 or above
- 128MB RAM
- 40MB hard disk space

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Prices and licensing

You need a user license for each computer on which you use ClozePro. [Click here for more licensing information](#). Prices are in USD and exclude sales tax (Maine 5.00% and Washington 8.9%).



Windows/Mac

Price

ClozePro (Single User License)	\$199	Add
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Clicker is a writing support and multimedia tool - it enables you to write with whole words, phrases or pictures!

It is a very powerful tool and is incredibly easy to use, and supports every area of the curriculum.

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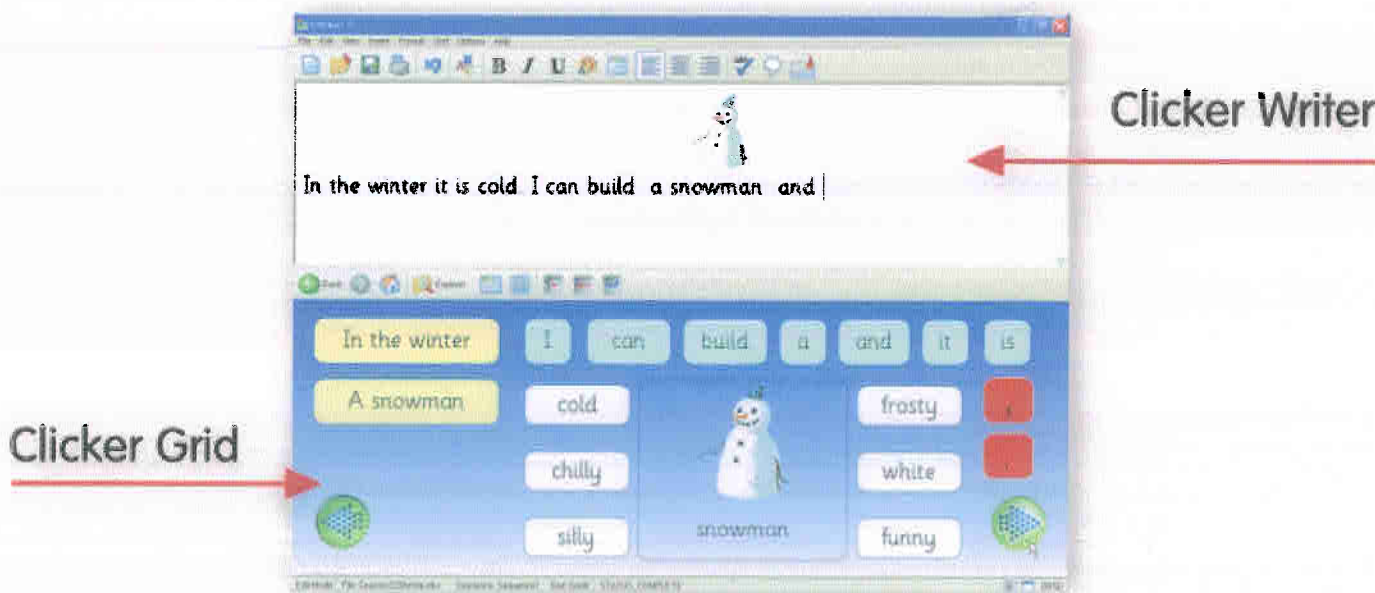
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To find out how Clicker can help you,
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What is Clicker?

Clicker Writer is a talking word processor - you can write by using the keyboard, or by selecting letters, words or phrases in the Clicker Grid.



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Picture support - Clicker comes with a huge [picture library](#) - you can write using pictures! You can use your own pictures or photos, too!

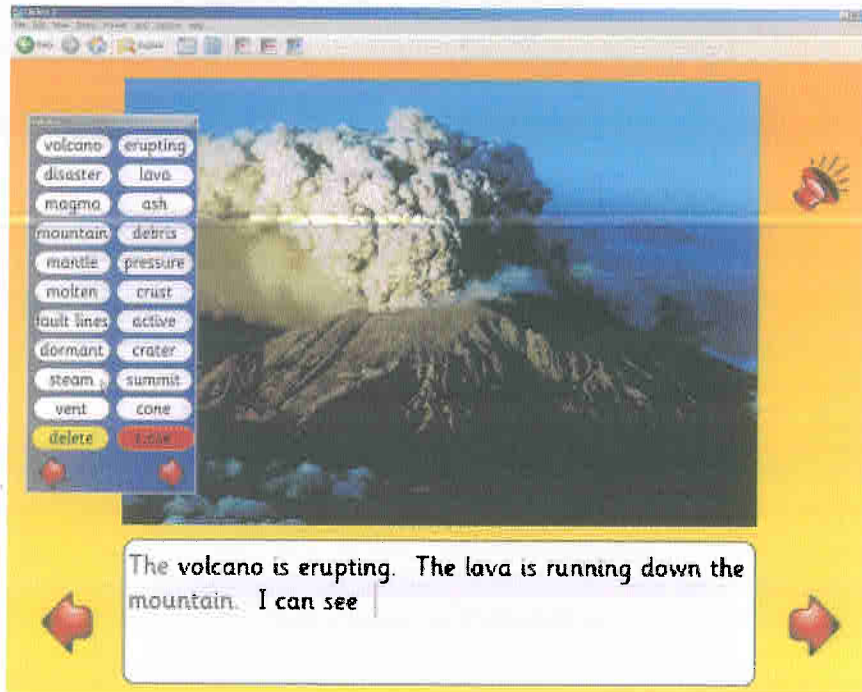


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Speech support - to hear words before you write, simply right-click on them. When you finish a sentence, Clicker speaks your sentence to you!

Clicker 5 comes with realistic English speech. You can also record your own speech, or use [foreign language speech!](#)

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Video and animation - add these to your Clicker Grids to bring them to life! Our [Clicker Animations](#) CD contains animations to illustrate verbs, emotions and phrases.

FREE resources - our [LearningGrids.com](#) website contains thousands of ready-to-use teaching materials!

Plus there are many other Clicker resources available, such as [Planet Wobble](#) and [Find Out & Write About!](#)

Accessible - Clicker has a range of [accessibility](#) options for people who can't use a mouse or keyboard - so it's perfect for *all* abilities!

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FREE updates

When you have Clicker 5, we provide free updates - with new features added all the time!

The [latest update](#) is version 5.2 and includes:

- More templates
- More pop-up keyboards
- Sort cells alphabetically
- Click on a cell to clear text
- Click on a cell to print
- Click on a cell to speak text from Clicker Writer
- Change pronunciation of words
- Word Bank tool opens the word bank for the letter you've typed
- Add your own words to the spellchecker
- Use spellcheckers for different languages
- Translate Picture Libraries into different languages
- Add keywords for pictures, so Instant Pictures appear for more words
- Picture palette enhancements - drag to change the order in which instant pictures are suggested; rename and hide pictures and folders; tab between them; works more like Windows; easily get pictures from your Desktop, My Documents - and your digital camera
- Even easier to register libraries
- Even easier to add pictures to grids

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System requirements

Clicker 5 for Windows:

- Pentium II 400 or greater
- Windows 98, ME, NT, 2000, XP, Vista
- 128 MB RAM
- 400 MB free disk space

Clicker 5 for Mac:

- Mac OS X 10.3 or above
- Power PC or Intel processor
- 128 MB RAM
- 400 MB free disk space

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Prices and licensing

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Windows/Mac

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Price

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Clicker 5 Lab pack (5 users)

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Clicker 5 Site License (30 users)

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Overview

Kurzweil 3000™ is the comprehensive reading, writing and learning software solution for any struggling reader, including individuals with learning difficulties, such as dyslexia, attention deficit disorder or those who are English Language Learners.

With Kurzweil 3000, Kurzweil Educational Systems, Inc. is committed to helping schools meet the requirements of the No Child Left Behind Act (NCLB) and demonstrate success in the classroom for all students.

Kurzweil 3000 - Reading, Writing and Learning Software for Struggling Students - offering:

Access to Any Curriculum - The software can access virtually any information, whether it is printed, electronic, or on the Web. Because Kurzweil 3000 is also content independent, teachers in elementary schools, middle schools, high schools and colleges alike use it to help students succeed in the classroom regardless of curriculum or lesson plan.

Increased Reading Fluency - Educators and independent research have demonstrated that Kurzweil 3000 provides not only the tools students need to improve their reading speed and comprehension, but also the features that make it possible for them to learn and study independently.

Study Skills - With the aid of visual and auditory feedback, the software helps students keep up with assigned reading, learn critical study skills and successfully complete writing projects and tests. With its robust study skills tools, Kurzweil 3000 facilitates active reading including: highlighting, text circle tools, annotations, Bookmarks, Voice Notes and Extract in order to create outlines, study guides, or word lists – all things that can improve their reading comprehension and retention.

Decoding Support - It then reads the words aloud to the student in clear, humanlike, synthetic speech, while a patented dual highlighting feature adds visual reinforcement. For students who have difficulty physically accessing curriculum materials, Kurzweil 3000 provides a digital means of engaging with text and can support students who use alternative methods for accessing the computer.

Writing and Self-Editing Tools - As students type, the software speaks each letter or word, so they can quickly recognize and correct spelling mistakes. The Check Spelling As You Type feature underlines misspelled words in red. The audible spell checker and customizable word prediction further assist students with creating and modifying reports, essays and papers without teacher intervention.

Independent Test Taking - With Kurzweil 3000, students can independently complete worksheets, classroom tests and standardized tests with greater confidence and fewer mistakes. Students with accommodations can easily answer fill-in-the-blanks, multiple choice, true/false, short answer, essay and other test forms while using a customized selection of writing tools, comprehension aids and visual modifications. Teachers can save documents with specific toolbars and feature locks, while also controlling which Kurzweil 3000 features are available to students during testing. Kurzweil 3000 supports the teaching and learning of reading skills that are necessary for meeting state and federal mandates. Kurzweil 3000 not only reads questions and answers aloud, it allows students to type answers directly onto the image of a scanned test, thereby offering more independence for both the student and teacher. In addition, the product is proving instrumental for both classroom and standardized assessments.

Product Line

The Kurzweil 3000 product line consists of three different products, all available either as standalone or network editions. Schools can mix and match these products within their environment based on their needs.

Kurzweil 3000 Professional Color

Provides for the creation and delivery of electronic documents. Documents can be scanned in color or black and white or opened from another application and saved into Kurzweil 3000 proprietary format. Kurzweil 3000 users who only have one copy of the product typically find it best to have a Kurzweil 3000 Professional which allows them to create and prepare documents as well as use the powerful reading, writing and learning tools.

Some of the features unique to the Kurzweil 3000 Professional version include:

- One-button scanning
- Optical Character Recognition (OCR)
- Edit Underlying Text
- Zone Editing
- Kurzweil Virtual Printer
- Open As PDF (OS X only)

Kurzweil 3000 Professional Black and White

Provides the same features as the Color Professional product, but documents can be scanned in black and white only. Documents scanned in color using the Professional Color product can be displayed in color in the Professional Black and White and LearnStation products.

Kurzweil 3000 LearnStation

Allows users to open previously scanned documents as well as other electronic documents. Kurzweil 3000 LearnStation provides the same powerful reading, writing and learning tools as the Kurzweil 3000 Professional product. Users who have more than one copy of the product often have a combination of Kurzweil 3000 Professionals and Kurzweil 3000 LearnStations.

Users can purchase the software in "**Kurzweil 3000 Lab Packs**", which includes a mix of Professional and LearnStation software for school or district wide use.

For pricing information on the above products, please see the [Kurzweil 3000 Pricing Page](#).

Network Edition

All Kurzweil 3000 products are available in network editions, where students can log on from any networked computer running Kurzweil 3000 and access their personal settings and files. Educators and network administrators can centrally track student usage and progress and control the number of licenses in use.

In addition, the new Remote License-to-Go™ feature allows granting of licenses to users' laptop computers, so users can access Kurzweil 3000 without being connected to the network. As a result, teachers and students benefit alike by accessing Kurzweil 3000 in or out of the classroom. For instance, if a teacher wants to take work home or have an IEP meeting with a student's parents to show Kurzweil 3000, or if a student needs to do homework, Kurzweil 3000 is available whenever and wherever they are.

Important Customer Notice

If you are eligible for a free upgrade to Kurzweil 3000 Version 10, you must have sent back the [voucher](#) in order to receive your free upgrade. If you have not yet filled it out, please do so and send it back in per the instructions on page 2 of the file. No automatic upgrades will be sent.



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April 24, 2007

To Whom It May Concern:

The acquisition of an upgraded hardware, software, and peripheral configuration for the Student Multimedia Lab in C114 of the Teacher Education Center is necessary to fill a critical need for initial and advanced teacher candidates in the College of Education. A Multimedia Lab will advance the teaching/ learning process by providing pre-service and in-service teachers access to advanced technology, thereby promoting the mission of the College of Education and the University.

The College of Education Technology Plan identifies improving access to technology by students, faculty, and staff as one of its main objectives. A second equally important objective is providing classrooms with updated technology and multimedia. This initiative allows for the continuation of hands on learning experiences for our future teachers that begin in the education classrooms within the Teacher Education Center.

It is my hope that this initiative is funded. The National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE) requires all teacher candidates to integrate technology as a tool for enhancing the teaching/learning process. The fulfillment of this grant will aid in achieving not only a requirement of NCATE, but an important goal of the College of Education.

Thank you for considering this request. If additional information is needed, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Vickie S. Gentry, Ph.D.
Dean, College of Education