

## Standard Software for K-5 Buildings To Support Engaged Learning

The following is a list of software recommended for purchase for all eleven elementary buildings. These titles were chosen because they support the Engaged Learning Model. Having standardized software in all buildings will allow District Learning Teams to target technology integrated lesson plans and project ideas to support the curriculum. It will also make staff development more efficient and consistent in all buildings.

<b>Software Title:</b>	<b>Description:</b>
Kid Pix Studio Deluxe	Creativity/Multimedia program that allows teachers and students to use graphics, sound and animation to create slide show reports and presentations.
HyperStudio	Powerful multimedia authoring tool that allows teachers and students to use graphics, sound animation, and video to create linear and non-linear hyperlink reports and presentations.
Inspiration	Powerful visual learning tool that allows teachers and students to develop ideas and organize their thinking. It integrates visual mapping and outlines environments to help students comprehend concepts and information. Teachers and students can create concept maps, storyboards, diagrams, story webs, plans, and outlines.
MS Office	High-performance integrated software package that includes Word (word processing), Access (databases), Excel (spreadsheets), and Power Point (presentations). This package will allow teachers and students to transfer work between home and school.
Appleworks	Easy to use integrated software package that includes word processing, database, spreadsheet, drawing and slide show. Students and teachers may utilize all aspects of this program for various curricular activities.
Map Maker & Map Skills	Hands-on practice incorporating Geography and Social Studies skills.
Wiggleworks Vers A-D	Interactive support for guided reading
Break Through to Literacy	KDG as approved by Asst Supt for C&I

