# **1st Grade Technology Objectives**

#### Mouse

- 1 Student learns what a pointer is and how a pointer device (or mouse) is used.
- 2 Student learns what selected objects look like and how to distinguish them.
- 3 Student learns to select items, one at a time.
- 4 Student learns to change from one selection to another.
- 5 Student learns to select multiple items at a time.
- 6 Student learns to move objects (drag and drop an item) from one location to another.
- 7 Student learns to double-click an item.
- 8 Student begins to associate double-clicking with opening.

## Computer Fundamentals

- 9 Student becomes familiar with the components of a computer.
- 10 Student learns to properly care for a computer.
- 11 Student understands the basic concepts of data storage devices
- 12 Student learns the technology symbols associated with specific functions.
- 13 Student understands the concept of being online.
- 14 Student gains familiarity with technology use policies.

## Multimedia and Graphics

- 15 Student learns to use the mouse to drag, click, and select objects.
- 16 Student becomes familiar with a tool palette.
- 17 Student learns how to use the Eraser tool.
- 18 Student learns how to use the Pencil, Brush, Airbrush, and Line tools to draw lines and shapes.
- 19 Student learns how to use tools and colors to draw a picture.
- 20 Student learns to use the Fill tool to fill a shape with color.
- 21 Student learns how to use the Oval tool to draw circles and ovals.
- 22 Student learns how to use the Rectangle tool to draw squares and rectangles.

# Keyboarding

- 23 Student learns the relationship between pressing keys on the keyboard and seeing letters on the screen.
- 24 Student learns to identify and key the letters of the alphabet.
- 25 Student learns to identify and key the numbers on the keyboard.
- 26 Student gains additional experience keying letters and learns to form words.
- 27 Student learns the function of the Backspace or Delete key for correcting mistakes.
- 28 Student learns to press the Enter or Return key to finish a line of text.
- 29 Student learns to press the spacebar to create spaces between words.
- 30 Student learns to identify and use the arrow keys to navigate.
- 31 Student learns to identify the cursor on the screen.
- 32 Student learns to key symbols with and without the Shift key.
- 33 Student learns to use the Shift key to make capital letters.

# Computer Navigation

- 34 Student understands the concept of a computer desktop and learns how to use it.
- 35 Student understands the concept of computer programs and learns to open and close them.
- 36 Student learns to use dialog boxes and options windows and common tools that are associated with them.
- 37 Student learns to use program help features such as mouse over text, toolbars, program menus, and online help.
- 38 Student learns to identify, open, navigate, and files and folders.
- 39 Student learns to create, name, save, print, and close files.
- 40 Student learns about intellectual property and ethical use of another's intellectual property.

#### Word Processing

- 41 Student learns how to open and exit a word processing program.
- 42 Student learns how to create a new document.
- 43 Student learns how to use the cursor.
- 44 Student learns how to open, close, save, and print a file.
- 45 Student learns how to select text.
- 46 Student learns how to change font size.
- 47 Student learns how to change font style by applying bold, italic, and underline formatting.

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# Visual Mapping

- 48 Student begins to understand visual mapping software as a way to group ideas.
- 49 Student identifies the basic components of visual mapping software.
- 50 Student learns to add clipart objects to the workspace and label them.
- 51 Student learns to use the link tool to link objects.

### Database

- 52 Student understands the concept of a database and why databases are useful. (ie Library Card Catalog)
- 53 Student begins to identify databases used in everyday life.

# Web Browsing

- 54 Student will develop a concept of community and apply it to the knowledge of the Internet.
  - Student will develop an understanding of the need to make responsible choices to ensure personal safety when
- 55 using the Internet.

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