

TECHNOLOGY TOOLBOX

ICT ideas for VCE Drama and Theatre Studies

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To prepare our students for the technology rich world we live in, we as teachers need to be creative in the ways we deliver our curriculum in the Drama room. ICT is a powerful tool that can be used to enhance and support the fantastic work we are already doing in our classroom. 21st Century Learning is not about using technology all the time, but rather when we do use it, we use it in innovative ways. Below are the tools we looked at today:-

21 ST CENTURY LEARNING		
RESOURCE	WHAT?	HOW?
 <p>21st Century Learning Design (21CLD)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research-based learning model • Deepens student learning • Collaborative and practice-based PD model • Integrate 21st century skills into current lessons • Links to AusVels 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Framework looks at technology content in lessons • DEECD will be offering PD • Changes the way you think about using technology to support deeper learning • This style of learning works well in a Drama classroom • Collaboration and real world problem solving
	<p>LINK</p> <p>Microsoft Educator Network https://www.educatornetwork.com/pd/21CLD/Overview Innovative Teaching and Learning Research <i>(Sponsored by Microsoft Partners in Learning)</i> http://www.itlresearch.com/itl-leap21 Windows 8 Store - 21CLD app http://apps.microsoft.com/windows/en-au/app/21st-century-learning-design/26513101-45fd-49f4-8c6e-e3a7e29dc615</p>	
PRODUCTIVITY		
RESOURCE	WHAT?	HOW?
 <p>OneNote</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Office product • Digital notebook • If you have office you should have this already • Capabilities are endless • FREE download 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Link to OneDrive for cloud storage • Excellent organisation tool • Can insert pictures, video, audio • Snipping tool • Class note book creator • iPad version is really good • Great tool for 1:1 classes
	<p>LINK</p> <p>Microsoft OneNote http://www.onenote.com/</p>	

STUDENT ENGAGEMENT

RESOURCE	WHAT?	HOW?
 Powtoon	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create animated tutorial videos • Capabilities are endless as you create your own content • Engaging way to get information to students 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Free version has limited features • Yearly subscription \$31 (great value) • Can upload to YouTube or download as MP4 • Very intuitive to use • Excellent tutorials
	LINK http://www.powtoon.com/	
 Quizlet	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digital flashcards • An interactive and engaging way to approach terminology • Students can access flashcards anywhere anytime on any device 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Free version • Yearly subscription \$32 • Subscription allows you to track student progress • Introduces gamification • Students can use it to create decks for other classes • Homework is fun
	LINK http://www.quizlet.com	
 Nearpod	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A good tool to teach topics or test knowledge • Very engaging for students • Interactive presentations • Similar to Socrative • iPad or PC compatible • Teacher controls device 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Free version (limited) • Subscription (\$60) • Multiple choice, short Answer question and quizzes • Navigate to web page • Include text, images, etc • Quiz results export as Excel or PDF • Can share student responses • Set as homework and students complete in own time
	LINK http://www.nearpod.com/	
 Pinterest	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Creates digital pin boards • For visual folio tasks • Character profiles, recording production processes • Collects images in one central place easily and quickly 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PINTEREST (FREE) • Snip pictures from web • Write comments • Students comment on images • Use for character analysis, context, recording production process, etc. • Can embed board • Share through link, email, facebook
	LINK https://www.pinterest.com/	

 Facebook	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social media • Quick way to give reminders to students 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Free • Post pictures, videos, links, discussions, etc • Students love using FB • Closed group can be monitored and private • Mentoring by former students really useful • Post links and upload
LINK http://www.facebook.com		
thinglink.. Thniglink	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interactive media platform • Allows you to create interactive images with pop up links 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Embed content (video, text, audio, web sites, etc) • Creates an URL link • Free version is adequate for small pictures • Subscribe \$35 per year • Can access large online library
LINK https://www.thinglink.com/		
 Voki	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create animated avatars • Large variety of easy to use templates • Can record your voice or write text to create computer generated voice 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lots of fun and very engaging • Free version allows 60 sec clips • Templates to create characters • Paid version \$65 per year • Voki classroom: set assignments, create classes, secure. • Voki presenter: unlimited time and slides.
LINK http://www.voki.com/		

FLIPPED AND BLENDED LEARNING

RESOURCE	WHAT?	HOW?
 Google Drive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cloud based storage • Gmail account • Collaborative documents • Free • 15GB storage 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Very easy to use • Can share files and folders • Create student folders • Comment feature • Instant messaging feature • Surveys • Slide presentations • Access any time • Use on multiple devices • Access from multiple devices
LINK https://www.google.com/drive/		

 <p>Weebly</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create your own website • Teaching resources 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make your own website • Very intuitive to use • Students access any time • Can upload documents • Forums • Blogging • YouTube links • Embed resources • Polls & quizzes • Upload assignments • Free version • Subscription \$60 per year • Campus edition
LINK http://www.weebly.com		
RESOURCE	WHAT?	HOW?
 <p>Office Mix</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Add in for PowerPoint • Turns PowerPoint into video tutorials 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interactive PowerPoints • Free plug in • Presentations play as movie • Stylus allows writing on slides • Video and voice recording • Screen capture • Create interactive quizzes • Upload to YouTube • Download as MP4 • Creates URL
LINK https://mix.office.com/Home/GettingStarted		
 <p>Sway</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digital posters with interactive features • Still in preview with Microsoft but worth checking out 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New product • Preview version available • Visually interesting and engaging • Creates URL • Collaborative • Cross between Pinterest and PowerPoint • Teacher resource • Student tool
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