Date	Notes	Kindergarten	First Grade	Second Grade	Ongoing Projects/ Comments
9/6 - 9/10	Monday - Labor Day Tuesday - IT support ticket - RTI Samsung Galaxy Tablet Wednesday - 2nd Grade RTI begins (my planning time) Thursday - Check for Canvas issues Friday - First 2nd Grade RTI meeting	Initiate - Roster Check - new students Introduction - What is a computer? A computer is a type of machine. It doesn't have a brain like us and it can't think or have ideas, but it can follow stored instructions and help us do lots of useful things. https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zvs c7ty/articles/zc4x6sg#:~:text=A%20comput er%20is%20a%20type,there%20seem%20t o%20be%20computers. Discuss: What computers do you see in the picture? Game console, camera, automatic door, headphones, ATM, stoplight How do computers help us? Communication (typing, phone calls, email) Sharing Information (Social media, pictures) Creating things (art, project, etc.) Let's use our computer to create art! Introduce ABCya.com Paint Draw (Bearcat Bytes - Website of the Week - Art) and allow free practice for mouse control/ease of use for next week's Dot lesson. https://www.abcya.com/games/abcya_paint Enrichment (as time permits): Life Before and After a Computer https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-oLlt4whDbg (stop at the before and after word explanations) and/or What kinds of computers do you know? (Use a discussion starter if needed) Applications we know: ABC Letter Blocks -get ready to type Colors - learning about the world around us CC.9.K.1 Explore uses of computing and technology CSK8.K.9.2 Use various input/output devices	Initiate: Roster Check - new students Review vocabulary - Chromebase - All in one (monitor/CPU-brain), mouse (paw print button), keyboard, headphone jack (back left - adapter), power button (bottom right button on Chromebase). F and J (home row starting keys) ChromeBOOK (touchscreen) vs. ChromeBASE (external mouse, external keyboard) Initiate: Use iPad, one finger - swipe only. Let's get better with our mouse skills! Involve: Bearcat Bytes - 1st Grade - Mouse Skills - Mousercize! http://www.pbclibrary.org/mousing/mousercise.htm Stress CURSOR image will change - arrow to a hand and click. Implement/ Internalize: Mouse practice - buttons (links), scroll bars (left-right and top-bottom), popup alerts (internet safety), radio buttons, checkboxes, drop-down menu, etc. CSK8.G1.7.1 Discuss that computers perform actions or output based on human input (e.g.,keyboard, microphone, mouse, video game controller) CSK8.K.9.2 Use various input/output devices	Initiate: Ask students why is keyboarding important? (texting, communicating, inputting information -logging into programs, typing spelling words, etc.) Discuss schema of keyboarding from previous lessons. Involve: Review keyboard vocabulary/ concepts: Three rows of letters, QWERTY (letters not in ABC order) Alphabet/ Number/ Special Keys - tap once (except Shift). Use both hands, sit up straight, body square to the computer and facing the keyboard. Independent Practice: Students will warm up with the following; https://typetastic.com/learn.html, Games 1-6. The focus is upon letter placement and location of special keys.) Introduce Home Row with either option: Home Row (All Ships Do Float, Just Keep Looking Eyes Open Eyes Wink) Video https://youtu.be/C1MRVbAytMI Home Row Independent Practice: Unit 2 - All Fingers Aboard https://typetastic.com/learn.html?u=2 Start with the Home Row right hand side and transition to the Home Row left hand side (as most early typists are more familiar with their right hand). Enrichment (as time permits) - Home Row Keys - SMARTboard Lesson (SMARTboard computer - SMART Lessons folder) and/or Keyboard Song (start 1:05) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QEAF ablmXuw CC.10.2.3 Practice locating: • letter, number, special keys (enter, backspace, spacebar)CC.9.2.1 Examine uses of computing and technology CC.10.1.3 Practice locating: • letter and number keys • enter key • space bar with thumb	Canvas Interface next week (https://brooklandpublicschools.instructur e.com/courses/63/pages/2nd-grade-activiti es) Use Chromebook logins (as needed) if no Clever Badge is available kg@bpsbearcats.com 1st@bpsbearcats.com 2nd@bpsbearcats.com 2nd@bpsbearcats.com Keyboard Review Notes: The Chromebook keyboard has one row of numbers and three rows of letters - the top, middle, and bottom row. The letters are not in ABC order but QWERTY order, a nonsense word you see on the first row of letters. Different on Netflix and some websites. Special keys help you give directions to your computer about your cursor or mouse pointer. Review: Arrow keys, Backspace key, Space bar(only 1 space between words), and Enter key. Remember to tap a key and lift your finger up. Holding down a key for too long will type lots of the same letter! Don't worry - we will review these throughout the year so you will become familiar with them. Enrichment mouse practice (as needed or as time permits) Bearcat Bytes - Kindergarten - Mouse Skills - Bubble Pop https://frontend.letsgolearn.co m/practice/bubbles# - Funbrain Mouse Skills https://minimouse.us/ 2nd Enrichment (as needed - F and J) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vbi2W eLTGxk