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TECHNOLOGY
TO REVOLUTIONIZE
TEACHING AND
LEARNING



"What we want to see is the child in pursuit of knowledge, not knowledge in pursuit of the child."

George Bernard Shaw

"The road is better than the inn."

Cervantes

"Not being trapped the Glitz Factor: It's not about the technology! Educational technology is about improving teaching and learning by using technology."

Dr. Kathy King



Same Skills



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New Tools and CONTEXT



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New Tools and CONTEXT



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- color
- mouth
- make-up
- eyes
- skin
- hair

Give It A Voice

Type Your Text

Good morning, Palisser School District. Ef Why EYE, by creating A talking avatar like ME, your

Accent/Language: English

Voice: Emily (UK)

Sometimes, you need to spell words fo-net-ick-ly

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Kindergarten of Kaparelli

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Voices Of The World

Voices Of The World is a global project that unites children's voices from around the world.

Each month a task is set by Mrs Tonner at The High School Of Dundee in Scotland that uses the voice and ICT.

The tasks are designed to overcome language barriers so that children can develop an appreciation of different languages, accents and dialects from around the world.

Click on the tasks below to hear and see how the voice can be as important as the written text.

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what do I do with it?**

BUT - WE have tech...what do WE do with it?

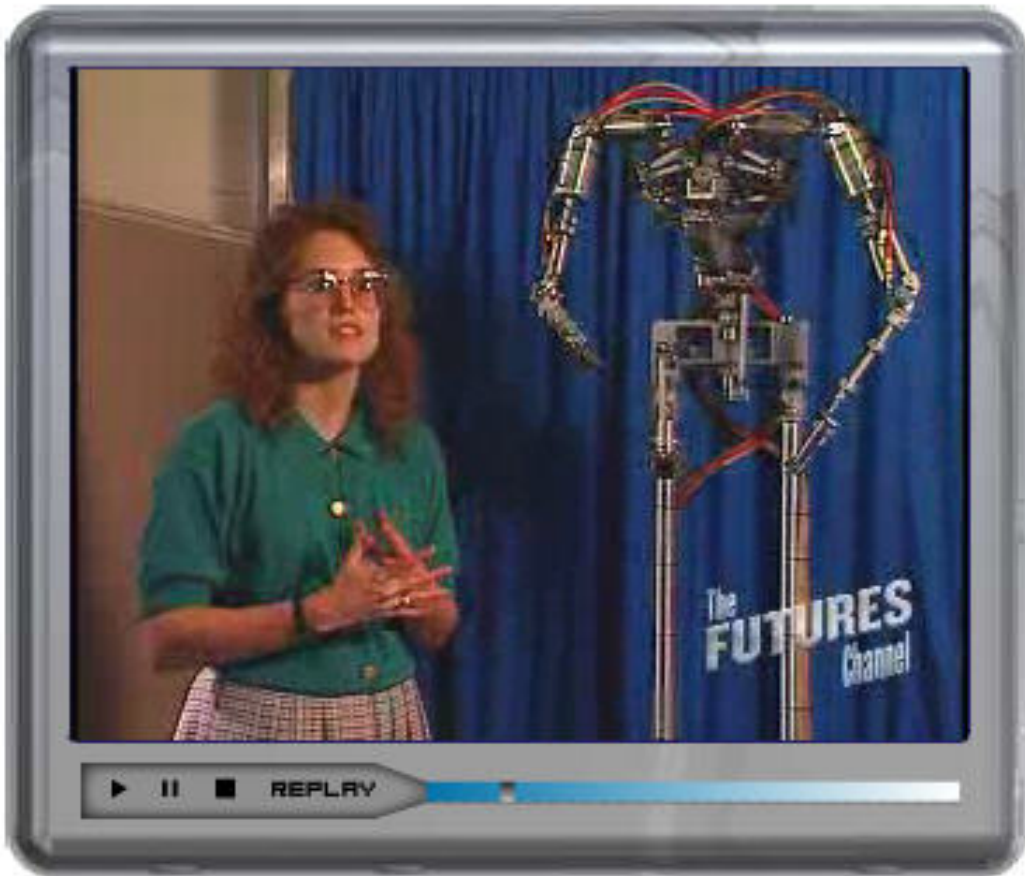
A new body of essential 21st Century skills has come into being since the advent of personal computing and digital technology. These skills represent a crucial body of learning for today's students if they are to graduate as effective citizens and participants in the economy.



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Algebra in the Real World

Movie Title: **Roller Coasters**



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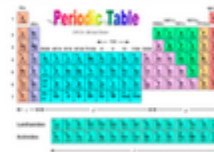
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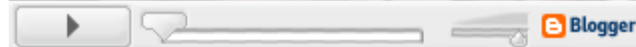


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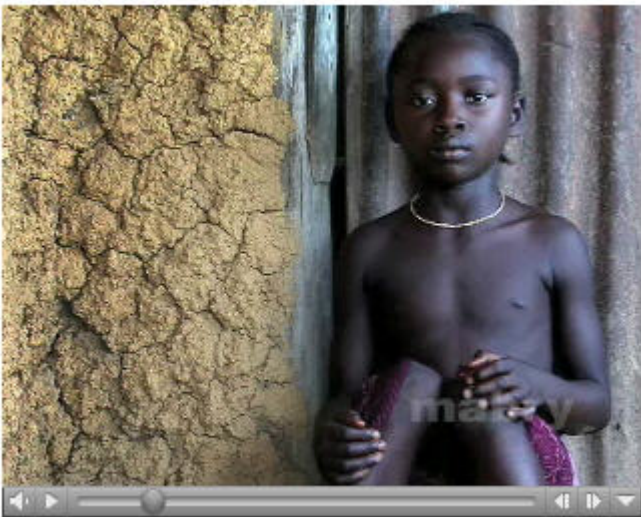
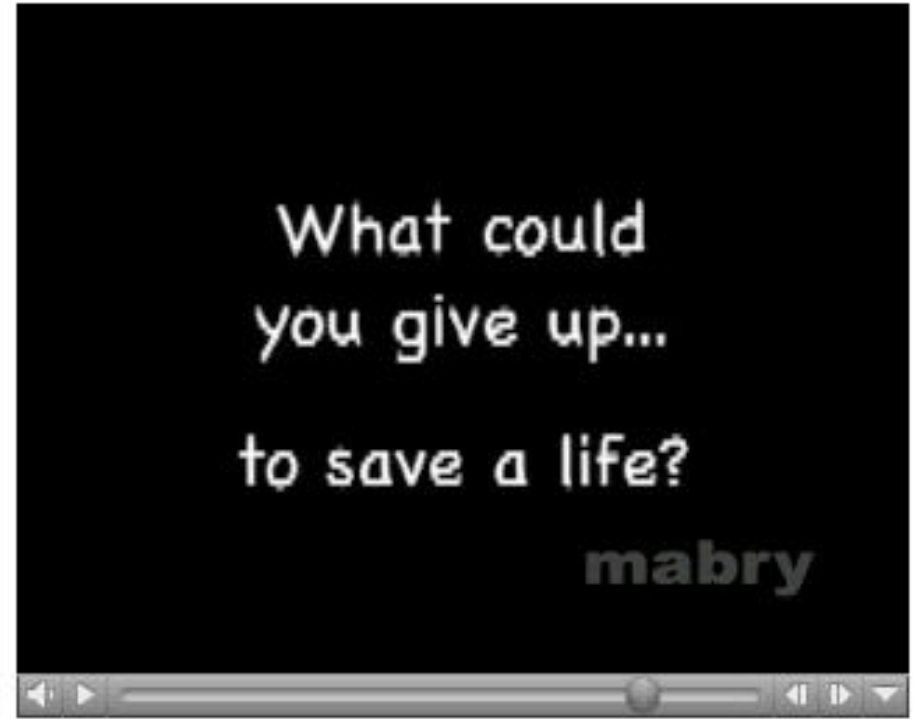
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WOW! Show number 3-0. This show erupted spontaneously. It was Friday morning following journal time when we typically work on a whole group project involving creative writing. I was finishing up the Avatar project with the boys. The girls had completed their parts and were reading and enjoying books together. One of the girls approached me and suggested the girls do a play using one of our Language Arts stories as their model. I told them if they could work independently and make sure each one could participate I would record their efforts once they finished. This motivated them to action.

All seven girls discussed their lines and then created some artwork to accompany their lines. They worked very diligently. I just enjoyed seeing their expertise, inspiration and

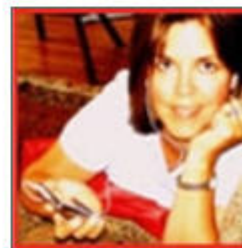
Podcast Summary

Small Voices podcast is produced by Kathy Shields, Kindergarten Teacher in Georgia in order to encourage literacy skills by providing a wider audience for students.

small voices, where being small is a BIG deal!

About Me

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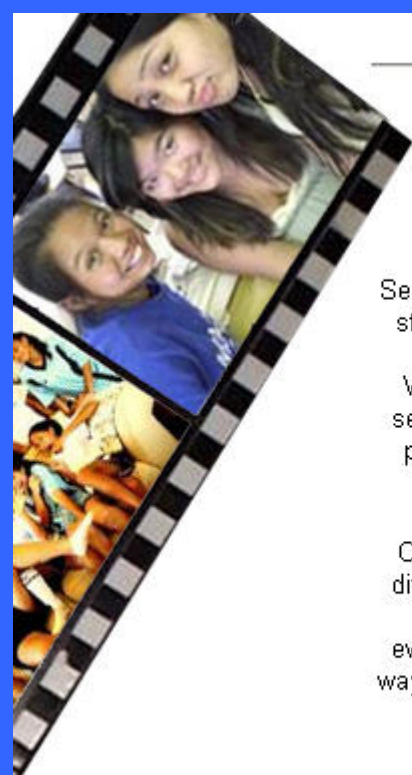
When you do a thing, do it with all your might. Put your whole soul into it. Stamp it with your own personality...Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm.

-Emerson

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Bradley's
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AMBER'S PAGE!
SECOND QUARTER
 Second Quarter!

Second Quarter went by so fast. But this quarter I started slacking off and sort of fell behind. But I am working hard to make things happen. Well this quarter we working on our **new** trait, sentence fluency. For example, strug-along and periodic sentences. And we also continued to practice our other traits.

Okay.. this quarter I am going to do something different with my evidence. I am going to try and use my coming of age essay and show my evidence. And if I dont have evidence I will find a way to make it better. So lets see how this works.

Grade 10 Reading Interest Inventory

Portfolio '07-'08

A flower's most gorgeous beauty first started as a seed.

Navigation:

Idea:

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Voice:

Introduction:
 Hi, My Name is Lindsey. I am currently a Sophomore at Moosvick High School. We are thering up our third quarter and you know what that means... STRESS STRESS STRESS! Haha. But besides the stress, that also means portfolios. So let's see how much I've grown since last quarter. Take a walk with me through this past quarter...

Standards Portfolios, Class of 2010

Second Year -- Portfolio Metaphors -- It Doesn't Get Much Better!

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