

UPDATE: Triton Connect

The Digital Projector Project

Triton Connect has made great progress since the Triton Education Foundation, Inc. kicked it off this year – **already 20 new digital projectors are up and running** – all thanks to donations from parents, teachers, and local businesses.

Over February vacation 10 more digital projectors were installed in classrooms at Triton Middle School & High School. In the Middle School all the Science and all the Social Studies classrooms now have digital projectors newly installed. At the High School projectors have gone into 12 classrooms across departments - from science to art, english to math.

The very first day back from vacation one of our High School teachers sent a thank you – *he'd used the projector in every one of his classes that day and planned to do the same everyday that week.* Triton teachers recognize that the most important tool in the classroom today is the digital projector. With it everything on a teacher's computer is projected to the entire class - bringing all the resources of the Internet and current software to our students.

Triton's teachers want the tools to teach our students all they can learn.

Here's how one teacher is using her new digital projector to teach using resources from the science textbook software and on the Internet:

Triton 8th Grade Science Teacher

Youtube has an amazing database of science related videos to watch to reinforce just about any topic and at the same time helping my visual learners access the curriculum. One in particular is put out by Harvard University titled "blovisions." It's a series of amazing videos showing the inner workings of the cell at a nanoscopic scale.

Our new textbooks also have a "virtual lab" edition. A whole list of labs that are computer based. We demo these labs with our projector in the classroom...once again allowing students to control the steps we follow. Honestly, I love the projector so much! Use it at least twice a week and it is so convenient with the ceiling mount. THANKS A MILLION!

WHAT'S NEXT for Triton Connect

A CELTICS TEAM BASKETBALL

SIGNED BY THE ENTIRE TEAM!!

Raffle Tickets Available in the HS & MS Offices

Send in your check made out to the Triton Education Foundation, Inc.

Tickets: \$5.00 – 3 for \$13.00



TRITON TRIVIA NIGHT

*Saturday, April 9th, 2011 - 7:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.
Newburyport Elks Club - \$25 per person*

A Fun Night Out! - Catch up with friends you used to see at Soccer & Baseball!

Get together with Neighbors or Workmates!

Each team will have 8 players. So get a group of 8 adults together and register!

7+ trivia question rounds - music, pop culture, sports, etc. Each team brings munchies for their table and drinks are available from the Elks.

HOW TO REGISTER: *Contact Kate Scalley at 978-948-2930 or kscalley@comcast.net.*