

# Technology Integration: Analyst

# Competency

Educator understands and uses data to drive their instruction and support students in achieving their learning goals.

# **Key Method**

The educator applies digital tools to design and implement a variety of formative and summative assessments that accommodate learner needs. Educator analyzes ongoing assessment data to guide progress and communicate with stakeholders to develop student self-direction.

# **Method Components**

# Components of Summative Assessments

Create and administer summative assessments with digital tools using alternative ways for students to demonstrate competency. Major components of summative assessments usually include:

- Learning objectives
- Success criteria
- Reliability
- Volume
- Validity
- Variety

### Components of Formative Assessments

Keep ongoing monitoring notes and records with digital tools for ongoing assessment and planning. Digital tools to support formative assessments could include:



- Spreadsheets
- Word processing software
- Note-taking software
- Images of handwritten documents
- Polling
- Gamification results
- Written and verbal digital communication

### Components of Student Reflection

Students reflect on learning using digital tools.

- Address connections between technology and overall learning goals
- Students show reflection in video, audio or written form
- Ongoing Socratic discourse

### Components of Assessment Analysis

Analyze assessments to drive further instruction.

- Organize data categorically
- Record data

### Components of Goal Sheets

Students develop digital tracking of goals based on reflection and data.

- Concrete goals
- Success criteria

### Components of Stakeholder Communication

Analysis is communicated with stakeholders via digital tools. Stakeholders include;

- Students
- Parents
- Colleagues, student support groups, and more

# Examples of Digital Tools for Assessments

- Google Forms or other surveys for testing
- Recorded data from success criteria according to lesson plans, such as rubrics
- Formal test data
- Growth data from website educational platforms
- Monitoring notes (digitally recorded)
- Online or scanned student reflections

# Supporting Rationale and Research

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# Resources

Standards
ISTE Standards for Educators



**ISTE Standards: Students** 

#### **Articles**

3 Ways Student Data Can Inform Your Teaching | Edutopia

Framework: ISTE Standards, a Roadmap | EdSurge News

Educational Technology in and for Jewish Education

What Is Successful Technology Integration? | Edutopia

#### Videos

- Practical Ways to Integrate Technology in the Classroom (Without Being An Expert)
- Reimagining Classrooms: Teachers as Learners and Students as Leaders | Kayla Delzer ...

### Teaching Resources

75 digital tools and apps teachers can use to support formative assessment in the classroom

Digital Citizenship | Common Sense Education

Exit Ticket - The Teacher Toolkit

Five Tech Tools for Monitoring Student Understanding - Corwin Connect

Free Technology for Teachers

Google for Education Teacher Center

Kathy Schrock's Guide to Everything

# Submission Guidelines and Evaluation Criteria

To earn the micro-credential, you must receive a passing score in Parts 1 and 3 and receive a proficient for all components in Part 2.



# Part 1. Overview Questions (Provides Context)

#### (300–500 words)

Please answer the following contextual questions to help our assessor understand your current situation. Please do not include any information that will make you identifiable to your reviewers.

- 1. Why did you choose this micro-credential?
- 2. Describe your students' access to digital tools in your classroom, school, and at home; i.e. are you 1:1 with devices, does your school have reliable Wi-Fi, etc.
- 3. Describe your experience using data analysis to drive instruction with and without technology?
- 4. Describe your experience using technology to assist with data analysis.
- 5. What student data-driven instructional needs do you have in your classroom?

#### Passing:

Response provides specific examples to illustrate how data analysis has been applied in the past and to justify the decision to choose this micro-credential.

### Part 2. Work Examples/Artifacts/Evidence

To earn this micro-credential, please submit the following **three artifacts** as evidence of your learning. Please do not include any information that will make you or your students identifiable to your reviewers.

#### Artifact 1: Assessment

Create and submit a grade level appropriate, standards-based classroom assessment that uses digital tools. See Method Components for ideas.

#### **Artifact 2: Assessment Results and Analysis**

Administer the above assessment to your students and submit a summary of the results. Please include:

- At least one chart or graph using a digital tool
- Use the data from your assessment to identify the strengths of your class
- Use the data from your assessment to identify next steps for your class based on results

#### Artifact 3: Lesson Plan

Based on the next steps you outlined in Artifact 2, create a lesson plan that uses digital tools that enhance the lesson delivery presentation and/or student work. Be sure to include:

• Standards being addressed



- Student success criteria
- Rationale for choosing this lesson
- Timeframe for lesson

### Part 2. Rubric

	Proficient	Basic	Developing
Artifact 1: Assessment	Assessment meets all of the following:	Assessment meets 2 of the following:	Assessment meets 1 or none of the following:
	-Uses an appropriate digital tool to create assessment	-Uses an appropriate digital tool to create assessment -Grade level is	-Uses appropriate an digital tool to create assessment
	-Grade level is appropriate	appropriate	-Grade level is appropriate
	-It results in identifiable measurable data	-It results in identifiable measurable data	-It results in identifiable measurable data
Artifact 2: Assessment Results and	Summary includes all of the following:	Summary includes 2 of the following:	Summary includes 1 or none of the following:
Analysis	-At least one chart or graph	-At least one chart or graph	-At least one chart or graph
	-Cites specific data to identify strengths of the class	-Identified strengths of the class using data from the assessment	-Identified strengths of the class but does not use data to support the decision
	-Cites specific data to justify the identified next steps	-Identified next steps using data from the assessment	-Identified next steps but does not connect the decision to data
Artifact 3: Lesson Plan	Lesson plan is connected to the next steps outlined in your summary of results.	Lesson plan may be loosely connected to the next steps outlined in your summary of results.	Lesson plan is not connected to the next steps outlined in your summary of results.



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#### Part 3. Reflection

#### (500-word limit)

Use the word count as a guide to write a personal reflection about your work on this micro-credential. For tips on writing a good reflection review the following resource:

#### How Do I Write a Good Personal Reflection?

- 1. What methods did you use to record student data? What process did you use to analyze it? In what ways will you apply the analysis to your next lessons?
- 2. How has this micro-credential influenced your instructional practices?
- 3. Describe at least one specific way this helped student growth in your classroom?
- 4. How do you see your work on this micro-credential affecting your digital tools instructional practices in the future?

**Passing:** Reflection provides evidence that this activity has had a positive impact on both educator practice and student success. Specific examples are cited directly from personal or work-related experiences to support claims. Also included are specific actionable steps that demonstrate how new learning will be integrated into future practices.



