



Electronic Portfolios for Lanier HS Incoming Freshmen

Executive Summary

03/24/2003

Where do we want to be?

By 2005, technology is used to establish and maintain state-of-the-art academic instruction, management of information, and administrative support. Also envisioned is 100% use of secure, web-based assessment tools to diagnose and assess student performance.

Where have we been?

Traditional folder portfolios have been used to track student work, as well as four year plans and other documents.

Where are we?

Currently, Lanier High School is initiating an innovative program, such as a confidential, web-based electronic portfolio, to better track students. Students are going to use this to track their progress towards their four year plan, resume, and electronic portfolio, including a multimedia presentations and other items in support of the 4 year plan.

How are we going to get there?

Lanier HS and Instructional Services' Office will partner to develop a pilot implementation of an electronic portfolio system for incoming freshmen. Provided the pilot is successful, the program will be replicated for the 2004-2005 incoming freshmen.

How will we know if we are getting there?

There will be an Instructional Services electronic portfolio in place for each student. This portfolio will facilitate tracking their progress towards students' 4-year plan with supporting elements (such as multimedia presentation with video clips, resume online). Each student will be given space to display one project using a Powerpoint presentation with embedded video clip(s) not to exceed 10 megs. C&I will be consulted by Lanier HS staff so as to align student projects to requirements in District Scope and

Sequence, as well as TA:TEKS.

When should we be there?

By summer of 2003.

What are the resources needs/issues?

- Server (already budgeted for) in Instructional Services
- Filemaker Pro Unlimited (already budgeted for)
- Development of Policy
- Copies of 4 year plan and Resumé for inclusion in Electronic Portfolio
- Electronic Portfolio requirements from Lanier HS

POLICY CITATION

**BACKGROUND
INFORAMTION AND
SIGNIFICANT ISSUES;
PREVIOUS BOARD OR
ADMINISTRATIVE
ACTION**

RECOMMENDATION

FISCAL IMPACT

**PROCEDURAL AND
REPORTING
IMPLICATIONS**

**EXECUTIVE/CABINET
TEAM MEMBER(S)
RESPONSIBLE**

