SOUTHWEST CAREER AND TECHNICAL ACADEMY

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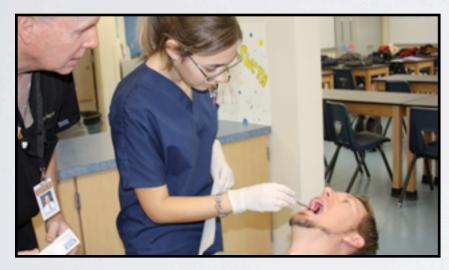


CTE PATHWAYS











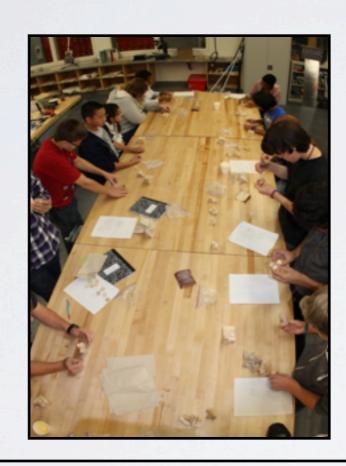


PROFESSIONAL ACADEMY







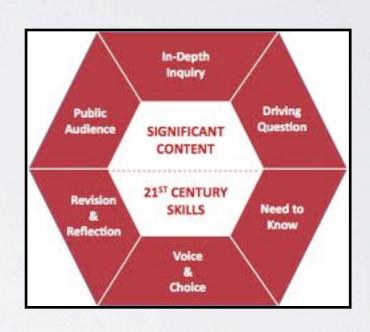




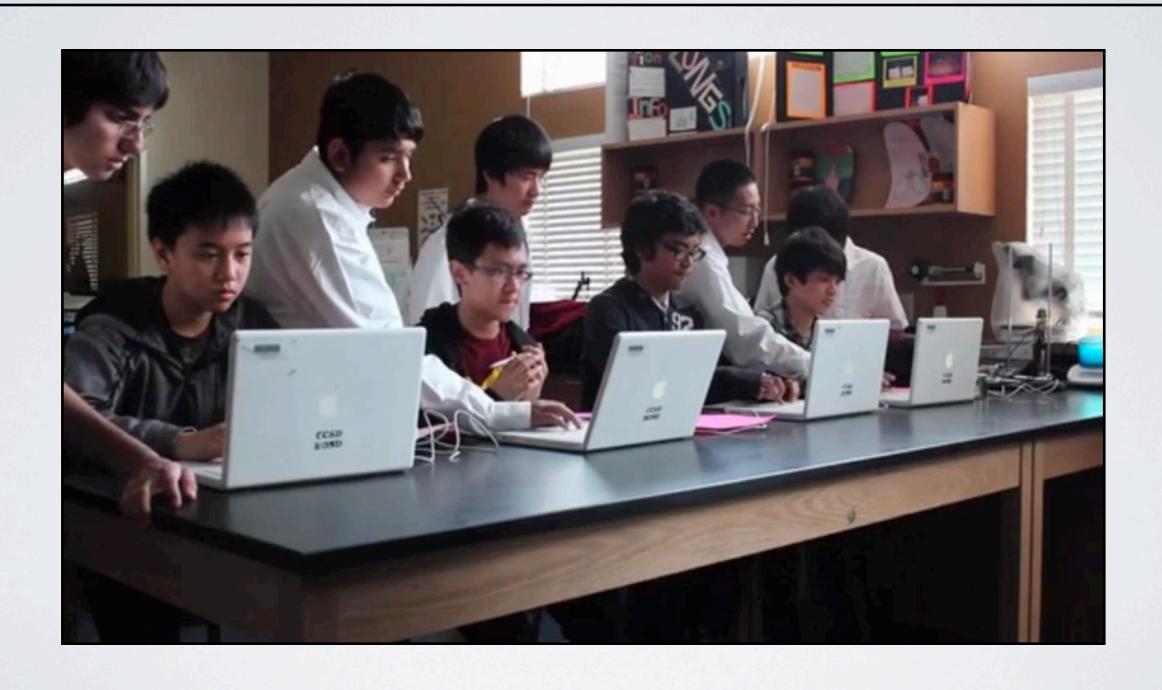
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QUALITY ONGOING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT



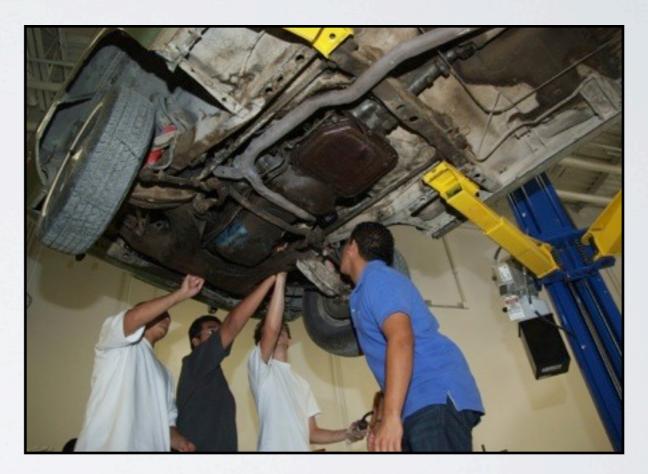


PROJECT-BASED LEARNING



STUDENT-CENTERED LEARNING





PARTNERSHIP OFFICE

- Coordinates activities between the program areas and their respective industry partners
- Advisory Boards
- Provide campus tours to members of industry, educational leaders, and other dignitaries

COLLABORATION AND COMMUNICATION



AVAILABLETECHNOLOGY

- Computer Labs
- Laptop Carts
- iPods and iPads
- Digital Cameras
- Video Cameras
- SMART Boards

- Google Apps for Education
- Edmodo
- Adobe Products
- Autodesk Products
- Video Editing Software
- CADD

EMBEDDINGTECHNOLOGY



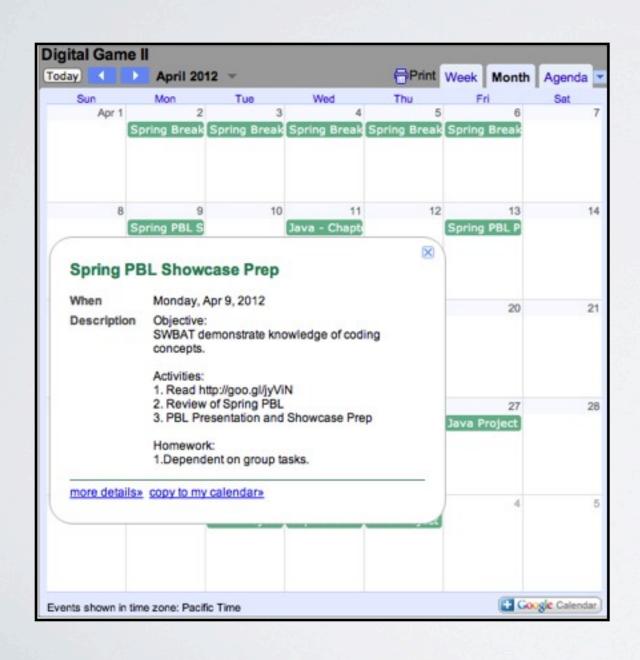




IPAD USAGE

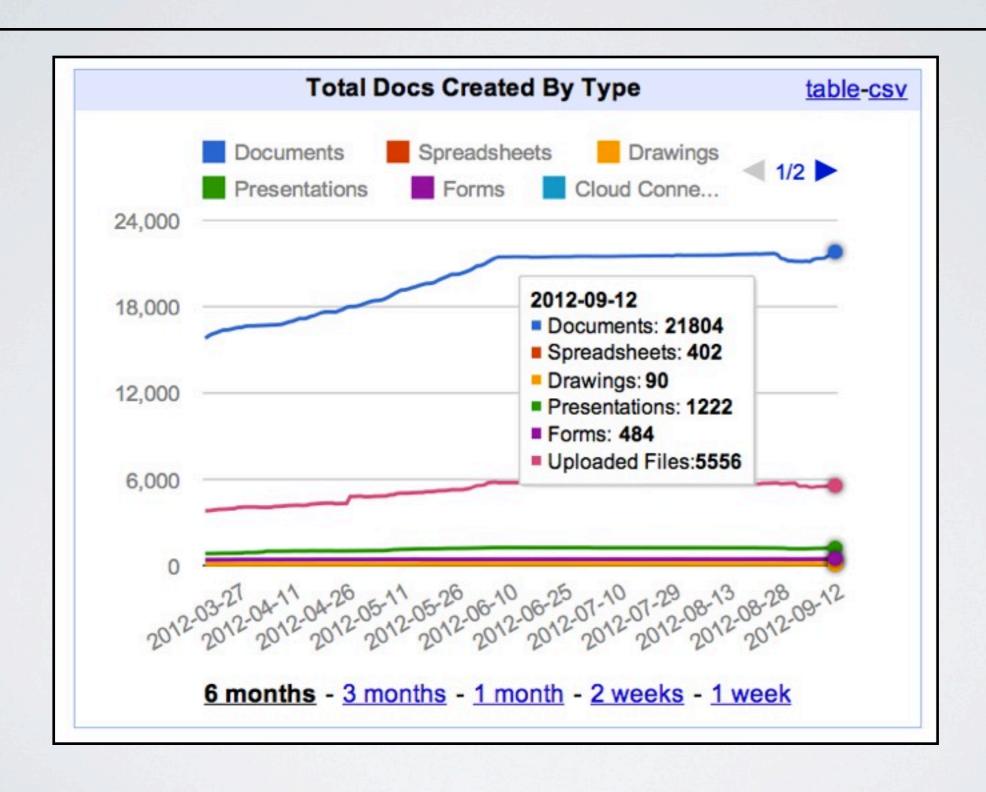
- 88% of the students used iPads outside of school for educational purposes
- Students averaged 14 hours per week using the iPad for educational purposes
- Most Popular Uses: Internet, Calendar, Notes

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GOOGLE USAGE



ENTERTAINMENT ENGINEERING

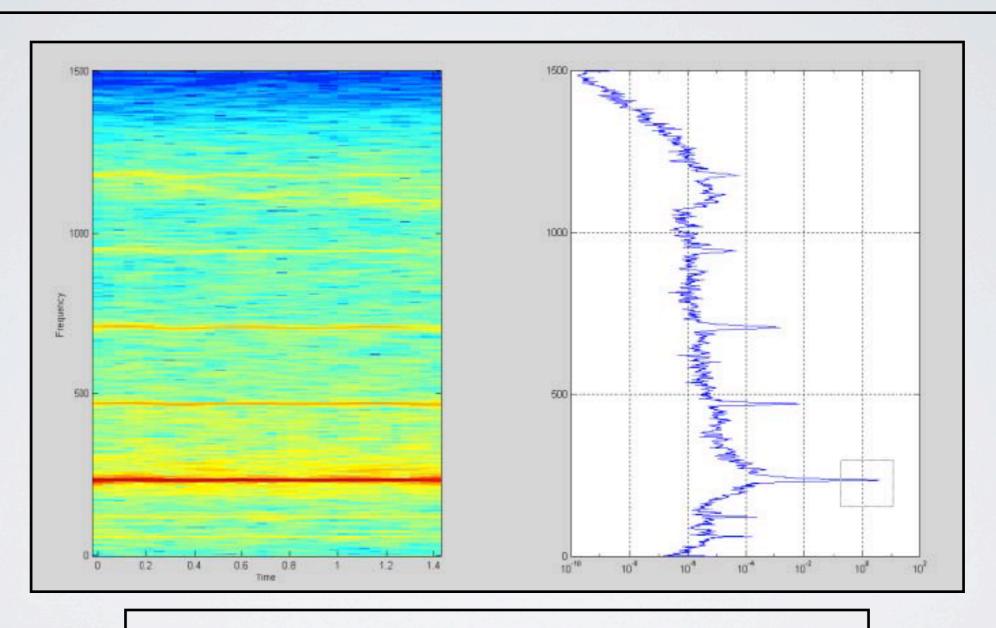
HISTORY OF THE GUITAR PROJECT





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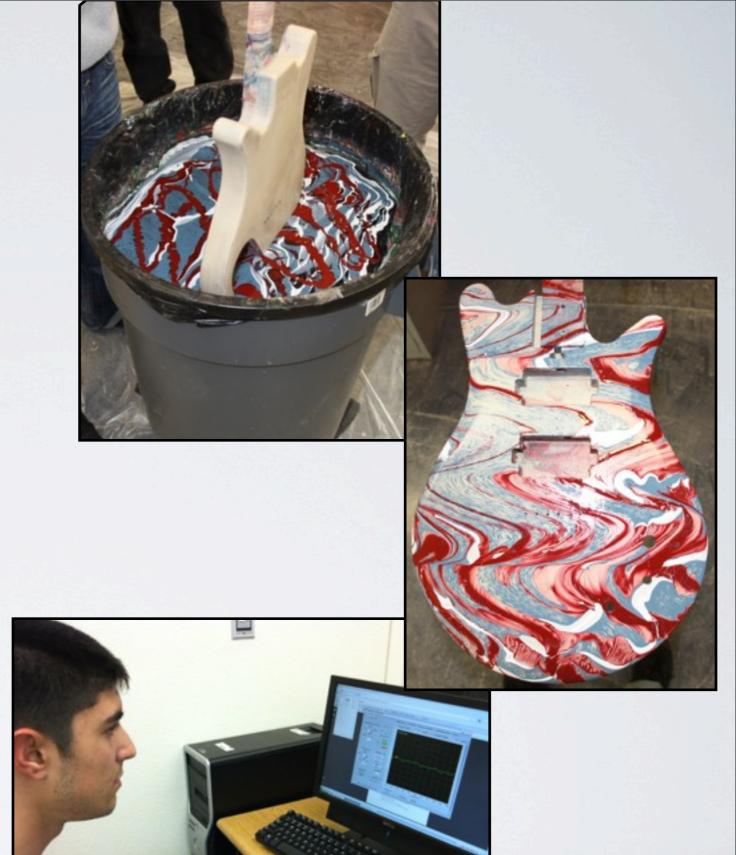
SCIENCE



ANALYZING FREQUENCIES OF A GUITAR STRING

SCIENCE COMPONENTS:

- The Decibel Scale
- Introductory Wave Behavior
- Determining String Tension
 Using Measured Frequencies
- Standing Waves on a Guitar
 String
- Density and Buoyancy in the Swirl Dipping Process



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16 GUITAR NECKS BEING CUT ON A SHOPBOT CNC MILL

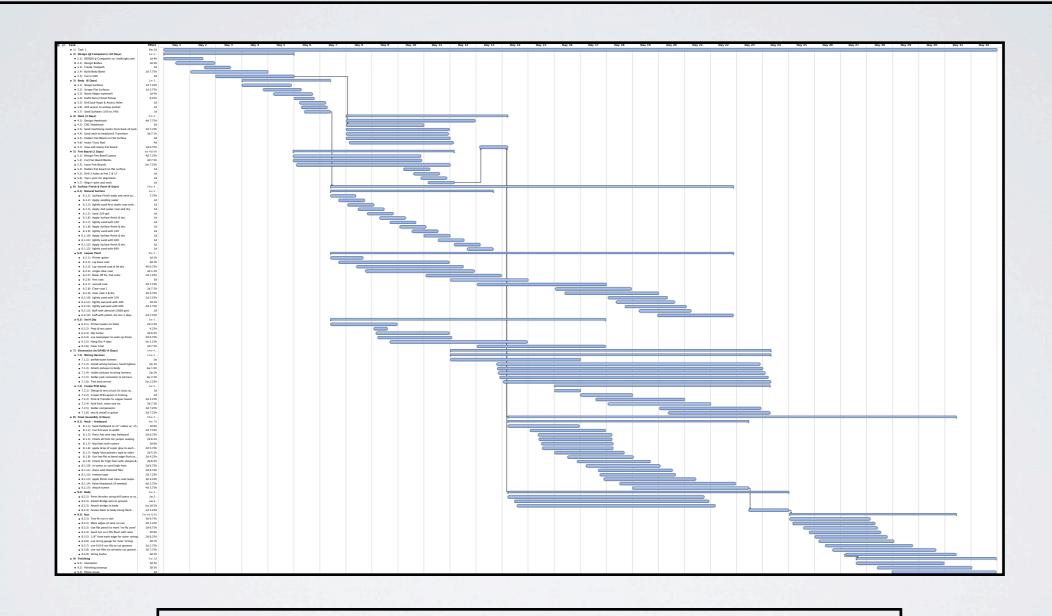
TECHNOLOGY COMPONENTS:

- 2D/3D CAD Drafting to Create the Guitar Shape
- Power Tool Safety and Operations
- Setup and Operation of a CNC Machine
- Cutting Fret Boards Using a Laser Engraver
- Paints, Finishes and Paint Booth Operations



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ENGINEERING



THE STEM GUITAR PROJECT GANTT CHART

ENGINEERING COMPONENTS:

 The Engineering Design Process

 Gantt Charts and Project Timelines

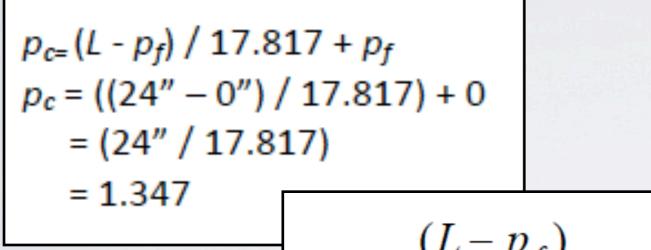
Tracking Cost and Efficiency

 Innovating Creativity into Existing Designs

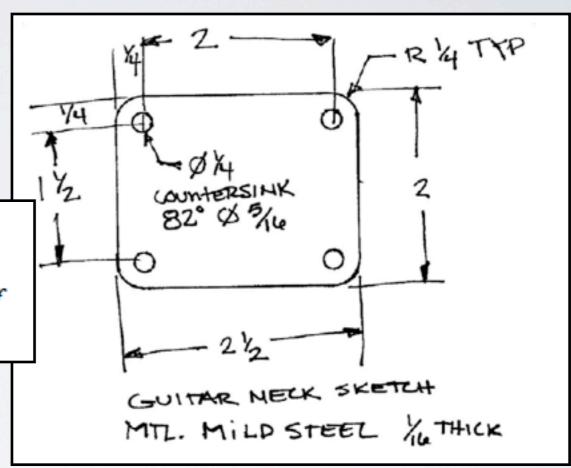


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MATHEMATICS



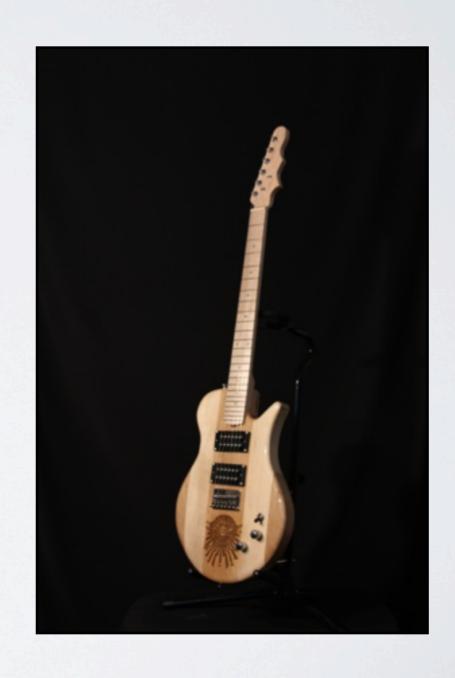
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ANALYZING FREQUENCIES OF A GUITAR STRING

SCALABILITY

- Project Length
 - 2 Months to
 I School Year
- Grade Levels
 - After-school Club through College Elective



ACHIEVEMENT DATA

I I th Grade AYP Proficiency Exams	2011	2012	CCSD Goal
Science	90.83%	91.46%	N/A
Math	93.51%	93.6%	81.51%
ELA	95.78%	96.04%	76.92%

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