



Dear Principal:

Congratulations! You have received a Reso A award to augment your school-wide technology program from your respected Borough President or your City Council member.

In order to build on this opportunity, DIIT and the Office of Instructional Technology (OIT) are coming together on an initiative to help schools maximize their Reso A technology awards. Schools interested in becoming part of this initiative will receive FREE assistance in three main areas: 1) taking stock of the existing infrastructure and equipment on a school walkthrough from a DIIT manager; 2) looking at the existing instructional goals to integrate into core content areas; and 3) strategizing the best way to spend the Reso A award based on the assessment and plans.

Our aim is to help interested schools take stock of where they are in terms of technology—this includes professional development plans, integration into the curriculum, teaching standards, current inventory and tech support—and align the Reso A award with the overall vision for learning at your school. If you are interested in being part of this initiative, please make sure you complete the below survey and select the School Technology Consultation located on the ONLINE RESO A OPTION FORM.

School Technology Planning Survey Form:

<http://portal.nycboe.net/sites/FinanceAdmin/CFO/Lists/RESOA%20Walkthrough%20Form/overview.aspx>

RESO A Online Option Selection Form:

<http://portal.nycboe.net/sites/FinanceAdmin/CFO/Lists/RESO%20A/NewForm.aspx>

(Please only submit Option form once)

Part of the services offered this year via DIIT and OIT are:

- Free School Technology Consultations designed to support your Comprehensive Education Plan—leveraging this award to grow your onsite technology. It is highly recommended that schools choose to have staff from the office of the Borough Instructional Technology Director included in the walkthroughs in order to plan for successful implementation of purchases for use in the educational environment.
- OIT Professional Development Opportunities for your staff.

Technology Meetings are being set up for additional assistance and resources for schools who wish to know more on how their RESO A awards can address their core instructional needs. **All RESO A awarded schools are welcome!**

Borough Technology Liaison Meetings are scheduled as follows:

FY2009 First Tech Liaison Meeting Information				
Borough Director	Borough	Date	Duration	Location
Crystal Lindsay	Bronx	9/16 & 9/25	8:30am - 3pm	PS 111X Seton Falls School
Barbara Feaster	Brooklyn North	10/28	8:30am - 2:30pm	PS 38- 450 Pacific Street Brooklyn, 11217
Barbara Feaster	Brooklyn North	10/29	8:30am - 2:30pm	K493 Brooklyn Collegiate- 2021 Bergen Street Brooklyn, 11233
Celine Azoulay	South Brooklyn / Staten Island	10/2	8:30am - 3pm	415 89th street, 4th floor conference room
Winnie Bracco	Queens	9/22 & 9/23	8:30am - 3pm	8201 Rockaway Blvd, Rm 302, Ozone Park, NY 11416
Teresa Bader	Manhattan	10/16 & 10/17	8:30am - 3pm	Harlem Renaissance Technology Center, 425 W. 123rd Street, 6th Fl, New York, NY 10027

For additional information on technology-related projects, contact Graham Gordon at (212) 374-4934. You can also send any questions about Resolution 'A' funding to ResoA@schools.nyc.gov