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**TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE MEETING, February 8, 2018**

The Technology Committee met this past Thursday morning. Various topics were discussed. Following is a brief description of them:

1. SLATE Conference: Members of the committee attended the workshop. Feedback was positive. Some members will be trying implementing some of the ideas in their classes and making them available to other staff members.
2. Staff Training: Staff training on various computer applications was provided by members at the last in-service day. Response was generally favorable; some felt that more time could have been given to fewer topics would have been more beneficial. Consensus was to do it again at a future in-service.
3. Technology Plan: 2018 is the year for revision of the District technology plan. The committee will start working on this at its March meeting.
4. Personalized Learning: A contingent of staff members visited Harrisburg to observe their district's "personalized learning" program and found it to be a positive educational approach. Mr. Fugate headed the group. Mr. Fugate and Mr. Robinson can give you additional on this topic.

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