## Specialized Face-to-Face Workshops Available at the Tech Sandbox

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<td><strong>SMART Board</strong></td>
<td>Interactive whiteboards are steadily replacing classroom dry-erase boards, and SMART is at the forefront. In this hands-on workshop, you will learn the basic functions of a SMART Board and its accompanying software SMART Notebook. We will create interactive lessons as well as explore SMART Exchange for ready-to-use, teacher-made activities.</td>
<td>10-15 participants</td>
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<td><strong>Promethean ActivBoard</strong></td>
<td>Come learn the basics of another major interactive whiteboard brand in our Promethean workshop! If you are interning in the Leon County School District, you will find Promethean ActivBoards in practically every Tallahassee classroom. Time to learn now!</td>
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<td><strong>iPad</strong></td>
<td>iPads have become common in K-12 and university classrooms. In our iPad workshop, learn the basics of operation and customization, as well as grade-level or subject-specific usage. We will also discuss popular applications for both teachers and students. Bring your own device or use one of ours!</td>
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<td><strong>Google Glass</strong></td>
<td>Google Glass aims to give the user access to information anywhere, anytime! Google’s latest device has educators discovering countless potential uses for Glass in the classroom. In this workshop, you will be able to explore the world through Google Glass while uncovering its educational possibilities.</td>
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<td>The Oculus Rift is a virtual reality headset that transports the users to a new world where they can explore in a contextual environment. In this workshop, you will experience full immersion of several different environments through Sightline, the virtual reality application of the Oculus Rift, which can be applied to multiple disciplines in education.</td>
<td><strong>Workshop capacity:</strong> 3-4 participants</td>
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<td>Make your computer hands-free! In this workshop you will learn the basic operation of the voice-recognition software Dragon NaturallySpeaking Professional Edition 12.5. Workshop topics include text dictation and voiced computer commands. Discover the benefits of Dragon for instructors and students alike.</td>
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*Also available as an online workshop*

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<td>Come and learn how our devices can be made accessible and used with all students. In this workshop, we focus on the accessibility features of our interactive whiteboards, SMART Table, XBOX Kinect, iPad, and more. We encourage all, but especially COE prospective ESE teachers, to visit the Tech Sandbox and discover new ways of engaging their exceptional students!</td>
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Counseling Enhanced with Technology
Explore the uses of technology in counseling at the Tech Sandbox! In this workshop, we will focus on various technologies including but not limited to videoconferencing, Second Life, and XBOX Kinect that help facilitate a comfortable and engaging counseling session.

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Specialized Self-Paced Workshops Available Online
Tech Sandbox Blackboard Site: COE Tech Resources
Available 24/7 from any computer with Internet!

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<td>Learn the basics of screencasting via a screencast! This online workshop discusses the benefits of screencasting, different screencasting software, tips and tricks, and more. This workshop focuses on Kaltura for demonstration purposes, since FSU provides this screencasting program to students, faculty, and staff through Blackboard.</td>
<td>Learn how to create Khan Academy-style handwritten screencasts! In this online workshop, we explain the hardware and software required to make these videos and discuss some helpful tips and tricks to get you started. We demonstrate the process on Kaltura and the iPad app Educreations.</td>
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