FRANKLIN-SIMPSON HIGH SCHOOL

Course Name: Intro to Computing Unit Name: Unit 2 – Computer Maintenance

Objectives:

• Identify problems that can occur if hardware is not properly maintained.

• Identify routine maintenance that can be performed by users.

• Identify maintenance that should be performed by experienced professionals

Purpose of the Unit:

Troubleshooting maintenance (hardware and software)

Prerequisites:

Basic Computing Skills

Daily Lesson Guide

Day	Lesson Content and Daily	Tasks/Procedures		Engagement	Assessment and/or
	Focus Questions	Knowledge or	Critical Thinking		Accommodations
		Comprehension	(High Yield / Literacy		
		Activities	/LTF/etc.)		
1	Identify problems that	Vocabulary –	Students will analyze the	http://www.ehow.com/how	Students will create a
	can occur if hardware	Fragmentation, sectors,	condition of their computer.	4474155 defrag-pc.html	to show how
	is not properly	seek time, cookie,			important a "clean"
	maintained. What are	defragmentation,	What possible risk does	Student will "defrag" their	computer is the
	primary preventative	recycle bin	defragmenting pose to your	computer.	speed and efficiency

	steps?		computer?		of their work.
2	What are the primary common maintenance issues? What are health maintenance issues?	Vocabulary - Corona wire, maintenance, ergonomics keyboard	http://ergonomics.org/	Analyze pictures and determine why each section is create to meet the standards	List four parts of a computer system that need continued preventative maintenance.
3	Now that I understand the maintenance issues, how to I perform the maintenance?		Students will analyze their cabling at the computer and determine the best way to manage their cables.	Clean cookies, temp files clean keyboard, cable management, clean ink jet printer, clean laser printer	What should you not clean in a laser printer?
4	Computer Maintenance test	Teamwork project	Create checklist	You work at a video store. Computers are used by many different clerks. You need to create daily maintenance checklist to ensure that the terminals are in good working order	
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