Birmingham, Alabama Deployment



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OLPC Learning Workshop

Team Birmingham (OLPC side)

- Julian Daily (Core Team Development)
 - community partnerships, stakeholder coordination
- Shaundra B. Daily (Learning)
 - o summer camp, professional development
- Regina Daily (Learning)
 - o summer camp, professional development
- Anna Schoolfield (Technical)
 - o image, school servers, software
- Johnathan Austin (Technical)
 - hardware
- Arthur Crenshaw (Video)
 - documentation

Overview

- History
- Goals
- Summer Camps
- Professional Development
- XO eXpO

Birmingham City Scene



Mayor's Office

BCS Consultant Birmingham City Schools

Summer Goals

- Core Team Development
- Teacher Professional Development
- Supporting the Pilot School Enrichment Camp
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Pilot School Enrichment Camp

- 2 teachers & 10 -15 students per class
- Enrichment activities
- Technology component
 - "technology time"
 - o enrichment integration



XO Hospital

- Birmingham Public Library
- Monday and Friday sessions



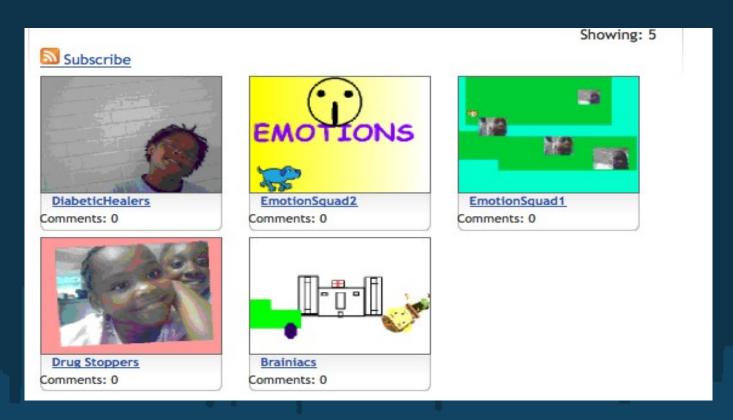
Summer Camp

- Community Building
- Activity Stations
- Spotlight Activities
 - Turtle Art
 - Scratch
- Choice Assignments
- Repeated questions presented to whole group
- Project-based work



Project-Based Work

- Broad Theme: Educating our community about healthcare issues
- Scratch focus



http://scratch.mit.edu/users/xo_lover



Professional Development

- Instructional Technology Department (3 people)
- 80 Math teachers
- Math Curriculum Support Teachers
- PE Curriculum Staff
- Music Curriculum Staff

- 2 hour introduction to the laptop
- Preliminary PD plan for the entire district
 - Just in Time Learning (all teachers)
 - 5-7 Core teachers per school

XO eXpO



"I knew that One Laptop Per Child was going to create miraculous opportunities for our children. The partnering of OLPC's technology and G84's engaging teaching style has absolutely unlocked the creative and intellectual potential of our students. We see the eager learners we have always known them to be; just now they have the proper tool to express themselves." - Mayor Larry Langford

Thank You



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