

# New features for 2013 - 2014

## GenYES 3.0

Student Leaders provide technology integration support to peers, teachers, administrators, IT Staff, and other **adults**.

### GENYES STUDENTS

- Provide Tech Support
- Run Genius Bars in Libraries
- Assist teachers
- Help with workshops
- Support 1:1 and BYOD
- Community technology outreach
- Assist in classrooms
- Learn creative thinking and problem-solving

### GENYES STUDENTS MAKE TECHNOLOGY VISION A REALITY.

### GENYES FEATURES

- Research-based curriculum prepares a team of Student Technology Leaders (STLs) to support teachers and staff integrate technology
- Online environment where students complete Technology Assistance Projects (TAPs) for their teachers and IT staff
- Comprehensive reports allow teachers to evaluate STL progress

### Your Cumulative ISTE NETS Score 15/24

Creativity				Comm & Collab				Research				Critical Thinking				Dig. Citizenship				Tech Concepts			
1a	1b	1c	1d	2a	2b	2c	2d	3a	3b	3c	3d	4a	4b	4c	4d	5a	5b	5c	5d	6a	6b	6c	6d

## TechYES 3.0

Student Leaders provide their **peers** technical and assessment support in completing projects aligned to Academic and ISTE NETS Standards.

TechYES is the only product designed to align PBL to Common Core and Next Generation Science Standards.

### TECHYES FEATURES

- Research-based curriculum prepares Student Technology Leaders (STLs) to support peers and teachers as students create projects showing mastery of both academic and technology standards
- Lesson plan, assignment, and assessment rubric creation resource
- ISTE NETS score generation and Technology Literacy Certification

# GenYES - TechYES Comparisons

FEATURE/RESOURCE	GEN YES	TECH YES
Student Technology Leaders support teachers as they integrate technology to improve student learning	X	
Students in every classroom and subject area produce projects aligned to Common Core and NGSS		X
Comprehensive curriculum and resources to prepare STLs and facilitators to support PBL and tech integration	X	X
Internal messaging system and forum connecting all GenYES and TechYES schools	X	X
Comprehensive STL database allowing teachers to search for students with specific technology expertise	X	X
ePortfolio for student projects	X	X
Teacher PBL lesson plan and assignment creator. Exemplary lesson plans shared with all TechYES schools		X
Projects assessed based on customized rubrics aligned to CCSS, NGSS, and other academic standards.		X
Projects assessed based on alignment to the 24 ISTE NETS Performance Indicators.		X
National Technology Literacy Certification based on meeting minimum number ISTE NETS score.		X
Exemplary projects available in national Showcase and searchable by Common Core & NETS standards		X
Multiple reports showing number of students and projects that have met each academic and NETS standard		X
Teachers get just-in-time support for classroom technology needs from STLs	X	
STLs collaborate with IT and academic staff to maintain technology infrastructure	X	
Comprehensive reports provide information on TAPs and the amount of time each student and teacher gave and received support respectively	X	

# Generation YES Pillars

## Student Technology Leaders STLs



## Project-Based Learning PBL



All Generation YES programs have two things in common: teams of well-prepared **Student Technology Leaders** helping both teachers and students create **projects** aligned to their learning.

GenYES began in 1996 and TechYES in 2004. Dozens of major external evaluations of both programs has shown that STLs are the most critical component of successful PBL implementation.

## TechYES Based Programs

Some schools utilize special “flavors” of TechYES that emphasize PBL in a field or subject. Each have all the features of TechYES but with added resources related to the program’s emphasis.



**STEM Projects**



**College & Career Readiness Projects**



**Internet & Child Safety Projects**



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