

Flipped Classroom Blog -Addition with Regrouping

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This week I started my "flip". The students were given surveys and informational packets to take home to their parents two weeks prior. Our concept is Addition with Regrouping. On Monday, I gave my class a tutorial on how to log on to Google Drive. We also looked at a practice video lesson and took notes. My hope was that they would ask questions during the video and make connections, just as I want them to do as we go through our "flipped" experiences.

Monday's assignment was to watch a short PowerPoint on Addition. This also included a hyperlink to a game on Regrouping. They were given a sheet asking them to write down any questions or thoughts on Regrouping as well as any connections they made about the regrouping process or connections to other skills.

The next day was challenging. Many students told me that they could not access the assignment. Others told me that they didn't have time to do it. In talking with the students, it seems to be that those unable to access the assignment was due to misunderstandings with their user name. I did share the PowerPoint and game with them in class on Tuesday.

The assignment for Tuesday night was to watch a video lesson I had created and write the steps of the regrouping process on a plus sign made from construction paper. My fingers are crossed that when I enter class tomorrow that the majority of the students were able to access this lesson without difficulties.

Looking back on what has been done to prepare for this "flipped" week, it is evident that there must be a home-school connection for success. Out of 19 surveys, I received 2 back. I had to send them out again. Now I have about half

of the class. There needs to be support of the families and the technology available for this to work. I am hopeful that being this is a new concept to the parents; we will just need time to work on some glitches and provide them with some clarity.

I am excited to see the results will be in the next few weeks!

Author of flipchart: Sasha Wieth, from Promethean Planet.

Double Digit Addition flipped video:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B0LaR3MVs1RPZWntLXVZZVE2ckU/edit?usp=sharing>

Rounding Review flipped video:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B0LaR3MVs1RPMW1RQW5UY3BOTkU/edit?usp=sharing>