

What is an eMINTS Classroom

In the fall of 2007, Monett Schools were the proud recipients of an eMINTS (Enhancing Missouri's Instructional Networked Teaching Strategies) grant that enabled the district to provide technology tools such as SmartBoards, projectors, laptop computers, digital cameras, and software programs for classrooms. In addition, the grant provided training for 14 Monett educators. Educators were not only trained in the use of technology tools and software, but in classroom teaching strategies.

Students and teachers build learning communities where pupils collaborate on learning tasks that have real-world connections. Educators integrate grade-level expectations and objectives in these Constructivists learning units.

Our goal is to prepare Monett students for real-world success, by teaching them to think and solve problems, by teaching them to use real-world tools, and by teaching them to collaborate with others on a task.

For more information about eMINTS go to <http://www.emints.org/about/index.shtml>