



## **Moon Area School District**

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### **MASD Wins Statewide Technology Award**

Moon Area School District is one of only five school districts from across Pennsylvania to be honored with a 2010 Pennsylvania School Boards Association Schools of Excellence in Technology award.

Previous winners completed a peer review process to evaluate Moon Area's technology efforts. Judges found Moon's Area initiatives aligned with district educational goals and improved student achievement, while positively impacting the district's instructional and administrative practices and increasing parent involvement and community support.

A total of 20 applications were submitted from school districts statewide and Seneca Valley, Allegheny Valley, DuBois Area and Rose Tree Media school districts also were selected as winners. Moon Area submitted a video of an ActivClassroom in use at Allard Elementary featuring learner response systems, interactive whiteboards, laptop computers and other instructional technology components and a written narrative detailing our technology efforts. [View the narrative here.](#)

As a contest winner, Moon Area will be presented with public award proclamation at an upcoming Board of Education meeting and district representatives will be part of the Public Education Excellence Fair at the Pennsylvania School Boards Association (PSBA) and Pennsylvania Association of School Administrators (PASA) School Leadership in Hershey in October.

Once in the new Moon Area High School in early 2010, Moon Area School District also will hold a showcase of our technology program to interact with teachers, students and administrators from across the state, who strive to emulate the district's program.