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<u>Evaluation Items</u>	<u>Answers</u>	<u>Number of Answers</u>
The two pre-class reading assignments helped set the stage for the first day.	Agree	18
	I didn't read them.	1
	Strongly Agree	2
The opening activities are something I will use in my classroom.	Agree	14
	Disagree	3
	Strongly Agree	4
Please rate the following activities:		
<i>Nameplate/Nametag</i>	All Right	1
	Good	7
	Great	13
<i>Candy Bar Wrapper</i>	All Right	3
	Good	7
	Great	5
<i>Coaster</i>	All Right	4
	Good	5
	Great	6
<i>Cube</i>	All Right	4
	Good	6
	Great	5
<i>Mouse pad</i>	All Right	2
	Good	5
	Great	11
I found the CPS videoconferencing overview activity meaningful.	Agree	11
	Strongly Agree	10
Modeling and doing the different videoconferencing scenario activities provided me with a solid understanding of videoconferencing.	Agree	5
	Stongly Agree	16
Please rate the following videoconferencing scenario activities:		
<i>Math Marvels</i>	Good	2
	Great	19
<i>MysteryQuest</i>	Good	6
	Great	15

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<i>Exchange Projects</i>	Good	5
	Great	16
The video clips helped further my understanding of how videoconferencing works.	Agree	11
	Disagree	1
	Strongly Agree	9

Please rate the following videoconferencing video clips:

<i>The Videoconferencing Zone</i>	All Right	2
	Good	9
	Great	10
<i>Science Seekers</i>	All Right	1
	Good	9
	Great	11
<i>MysteryQuest</i>	All Right	1
	Good	4
	Great	16
<i>ASK</i>	All Right	1
	Good	3
	Great	17
<i>Pearl Harbor Remembered</i>	All Right	2
	Good	3
	Great	16
The afternoon presentations provided me with some valuable information.	Agree	9
	Strongly Agree	11

Please rate the following afternoon presentations:

<i>Janine Lim – “Participating in Collaborative Connections”</i>	All Right	2
	Good	5
	Great	14
<i>Joe Cataline – “Liden Public Schools, New Jersey – Expanding and Enriching Curriculum Through Videoconferencing”</i>	All Right	1
	Good	5
	Great	15
<i>ASK process with the Vietnam Veteran</i>	All Right	1
	Good	4
	Great	16
<i>“Pick Our Brains” Virtual Field Trip session</i>	All Right	2
	Good	9

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	Great	10
I enjoyed working with people from a distance on our class project.	Agree	5
	N/A	1
	Strongly Agree	15
I felt comfortable meeting with my class project group over chat.	Agree	7
	Disagree	4
	N/A	2
	Strongly Agree	8
I felt comfortable meeting with my class project group through videoconferencing.	Agree	3
	N/A	1
	Strongly Agree	17
Using the blog was a good way to reflect about our experiences in the class.	Agree	10
	Strongly Agree	11
I plan on signing up with at least one of the videoconferencing listservs that we discussed.	I already did!	8
	I'm not sure.	1
	Yes	12
Moodle was a great way to host and deliver the class information.	Agree	5
	Strongly Agree	16
I see the benefit of using videoconferencing with my students.	Agree	1
	Strongly Agree	20
The length of the course was...	Good...although I would like to have had a little less time.	6
	Good...although I would like to have had a little more time.	15
Please evaluate the overall knowledge of the facilitators.	Somewhat knowledgeable	1
	Very knowledgeable	20
I found the content of the training session to be...	Relevant to my job	5
	Somewhat relevant to my job	1
	Very relevant to my job	15
Would you recommend the 123VC course to others?	Yes	21
Overall, I found the 123VC course to be...	Helpful	2
	Very helpful	19
If you could modify one thing about 123VC what would it be, and how would you do it?	A little longer	1
	All sites would need to have laptops in the conference room.	1

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	Allow more time for the various activities.	1
	An entire week is a VERY LONG TIME!!!	1
	Have more options available for technology glitches.	1
	I really can't think of anything I would change. Maybe if the groups could be more closely linked, but I know that's not always possible depending on the makeup of the class.	1
	I would have enjoyed having more time to work on the group projects and less time introducing the VC scenarios and debriefing them.	1
	It would be nice to have a more centered group, like K-5 etc.	1
	It would have fit my schedule better at the end of June. Otherwise I liked everything the way it was.	1
	Make sure everyone had a laptop the whole time.	1
	Might add some readings to it	1
	No chat rooms for the project! Do them though VC!	1
	None	1
	The first morning, I was wondering how I was going to sit through all of the lecture. Although the rest of the week was wonderful, I think starting with a VC experience rather than lecture would have made me more excited about the week.	1
	more lower level people to exchange ideas with	1
	more time to prepare VC projects	1
Please describe the most valuable experience you feel that you had while participating in the 123VC course.	Actual hands-on with equipment and walking through the various activities, Math Quest, etc. Reading about it is okay, but experiencing is better.	1
	Actually participating in vc to get an idea of how the students would feel	1
	Actually using the VC equipment	1
	As tech coordinator for my campus, I like having a pool of projects that spans all curriculum areas.	1
	Creating a program that I can use! I'm excited about getting started!	1
	Excellent ideas!!!! Ones I will definitely use!!!!!!!!!!!!	1
	I liked all the hands on group activities. I never really got bored. I think planning the big final project was a helpful experience.	1
	I liked the chat room activity. I had never done that before.	1
	I liked the experiences of the MysteryQuest, Read Across America, and the ASK program. That was what I was really interested in experiencing.	1

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	I really enjoyed participating in the videoconferences. It helped me to become familiar with different projects, and I developed an interest in all of them.	1
	Inspiration	1
	It gave me a chance to learn about videoconferencing in a relaxed environment with people with like abilities. I thoroughly enjoyed the workshop.	1
	Seeing vc's that were not content provided. I will be more apt to try it now.	1
	The models that were given.	1
	The most valuable experience I had while participating was actually being able to participate in the VC scenarios. This allowed us to see how it actually works instead of having to just visualize how it would work.	1
	collaborating with colleagues	1
	see my blog	1
	the most valuable experience I feel that I had while participating in the 123VC course was the actual hands-on participation with other participants.	1
	the most valuable experience i've had is now I have a comfort level with vc. enough of a comfort level that i would encourage my teachers to use vc.	1
Please share anything else you would like. We value your feedback!	A BIG Thank you to Ken, Bennie, Linda, and Janine. Thank you all for putting together this workshop. I know it was a huge undertaking. I enjoyed it!	1
	Awesome	1
	Everyone was so helpful to one another.	1
	Excellent job Janine, Ken, Benny, and Linda. I can not imagine all of the "behind the scenes" work you all put into it.	1
	Great job!!! I really enjoyed myself.	1
	Great job. I could tell you had planned very well.	1
	I feel this was one of the best classes I have taken. There are definately things I can take back and use in my class.	1
	It was too much of the extra stuff. Focus on vc. The cps and moodle were nice but we had too much going on.	1
	LOVED my group!!!!	1
	Much more productive than last year's. I want to do this!	1

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The end has come to a very interesting week! Linda Snapp was a wonderful facilitator, and Bennie did a great job of keeping us up and running. Thanks! I've learned alot about videoconferencing, and now it's time to put it to use. Enjoy the rest of your summer!	1
This was a neat experience. I am glad that I took this class. It will help me promote videoconferencing with the schools this fall.	1
i like moodle much more than blackboard.	1