

# MLTI 7-12

- Unprecedented opportunity to provide access to all students to digital resources
- Maine students to be the most prepared for the Twenty-first century workforce
- Opportunity to diversify learning
- Opportunity to reach not only our students but adults who will also be provided their own resources (partnership with DOL and Adult Education)

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- Why Now?
  - ARRA expectations to raise student achievement
  - Enhanced opportunity to provide professional development 24/7
  - Providing students with resources at the point of learning
  - Responding to our students who are digital natives
  - Reducing our dependency on textbooks – digital content

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- EPS Allocation for Targeted Technology Funds \$281 (97% of this amount) \$273
- \$242 of this allocation will need to be committed to participate in this unprecedented opportunity
- MS & All Teachers, Administrators, and current staff who have 1:1 are covered under existing resources

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- EDU 279 defines Technology allocation:
  - Example
    - Auburn FY 09 Technology Allocation \$307,000 (100% of EPS)
    - 97% = \$297,000 (Local share \$130,000, state share \$167,000)
    - DOE executes a contract on behalf of all participating SAUs and adjusts monthly subsidy check to reflect state and local share of costs

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- Enrollment numbers on the 279 reflect annual obligation of the contract for 1:1
- What happens with 9-12 tuition students
  - Public HS – sending community must commit funds allocated for 9-12 Targeted funds to the receiving HS
  - Private Academies – Targeted Funds are factored into the tuition rate, if the Academy chooses to participate the \$242 would be committed as defined in the shared allocation slide

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- Program will include new wireless environment for all high schools (Cisco)
- Professional Development for 7-12 teachers
- Same replacement support currently in effect for MS
- Technical support from DOE and Apple Team
- Each SAU must sign a contract committing to students taking device home

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- SAU's that choose not to participate in the 1:1 deployment of HS students will not continue to receive laptops from state
- MS program continues even if an SAU does not participate in HS program
- Each district must commit to the contract beginning in FY 10

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- Governor's proposal allows the state to expand the current contract to facilitate 1:1 for all HS students in addition to the MS program
- The only approval needed by the legislature is the ability for DOE to increase the amount of the contract for those who wish to participate