

# Geoffrey Runyon

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## Professional Summary

Award-winning Professional Educator with over 20 years of experience and a Master of Arts in Educational Technology Leadership. Holds a Postgraduate Professional Teaching license in Virginia, exceeding the core educational requirements for instructional technology leadership. Highly skilled in curriculum development, differentiated instruction, and modeling technology use to restore teacher confidence in digital tools. Proven track record of evaluating and deploying new hardware—including piloting tablets for the school division—and conducting in-service training to empower faculty.

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## Core Competencies & Technical Skills

### *Instructional Leadership*

### *Technical & Software Proficiency*

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**Technology Integration & Coaching:** Modeling and mentoring technology use for staff.

**Device & OS Mastery:** Piloted iPads for Chesapeake Public Schools; ChromeOS, Windows, Linux

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**Professional Development:** Leading faculty development workshops.

**Software Suites:** Google Docs, Google Video, Gemini, WeVideo Interactive, Canvas, Linewise, E-Hallpass

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**Curriculum Development:** Developing instructional materials and state-aligned projects.

**Distance Learning:** Applications for synchronous and asynchronous virtual learning. Ensuring ADA compliance in LMS resources.

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**Digital Citizenship:** Developing student-centered internet safety resources.

**Media Production:** Audio/Video production, photography, and Adobe Certified Associate. Video Captioning for ADA Compliance

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## Professional Experience

**Western Branch Middle School** | Chesapeake, VA

*Computer Science Educator* | 2023–Present

- Continues to implement effective teaching strategies and support technology education initiatives at the middle school level.

**Greenbrier Middle School** | Chesapeake, VA

*Computer Science & Technology Educator* | 2016–2023

- Co-authored the 7th-grade curriculum and developed comprehensive instructional materials for a new computer science program across three grade levels.
- Introduced updated curriculum and re-aligned project deliverables to successfully meet state competencies.
- Oversaw the school's pandemic shift, seamlessly transitioning students from hands-on instruction to virtual distance learning.

**Great Bridge High School** | Chesapeake, VA

*Technology Integration Specialist & Technology Teacher* | 2005–2016

- Served as Technology Integration Specialist (2012–2016), directly overseeing the deployment of new technology resources.
- Piloted the use of iPads for Chesapeake Public Schools, demonstrating advanced knowledge of tablet integration.
- Restored teacher confidence in instructional technology and reprioritized technology resources for optimal classroom use.
- Designed and led faculty development workshops on electronic Jeopardy games, Windows Movie Maker, and Microsoft Photostory to increase staff software proficiency.
- Promoted digital citizenship by developing student-centered internet safety videos.
- Served as the Technology Committee Chairman and the School Improvement Action Plan Team Leader for the Technology strand.
- Honored as Teacher of the Year for the 2012–2013 academic year.

**Hugo Owens Middle School** | Chesapeake, VA

*Technology Teacher & Summer Integration Specialist* | 2001–2005

Instructed courses including Inventions and Innovations, Technical Systems, and Introduction to Technology.

- Acted as the Summer School Technology Integration Specialist in 2005.
  - Implemented Technology Education Lab upgrades
  - Modernized Technology Education program
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## Education & Credentials

**Master of Arts, Educational Technology Leadership** (GPA: 3.81)

*The George Washington University, Washington, D.C.*

**Bachelor of Science, Occupational and Technical Studies** (Cum Laude)

*Old Dominion University, Norfolk, VA*

- Minor in Studio Arts

## Licenses, Certifications & Endorsements:

- Postgraduate Professional Teaching License, Virginia Department of Education
  - Endorsements: Technology Education, Business and Information Technology
  - Certifications: Adobe Certified Associate, James Madison University NETS\*T
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**Professional Affiliations & Memberships:** Virginia Society for Technology in Education, International Society for Technology in Education, Virginia State Literacy Association.

Lifetime Member of the Scratch Foundation

Member of The Planetary Society

Member of The Society of Amateur Radio Astronomers

Member of the Radio Amateur Satellite Corporation