

## BVSD CORE Software Compatibility Analysis v<sup>22.0</sup>

The district provides a core portfolio of learning software throughout all grade levels. Core software will be replaced over time based on funding, availability, and priority. Current status of all BVSD core software (except some T.I.D.E core titles) is indicated in the tables below. **This update will be current through August, 2010.** Color legend:



**GREEN** = completely meets requirements of new 3A and server environment; Go!  
**YELLOW** = meets requirements only if specific patches, fixes, or workarounds are first applied; requires reapplication if computers are reimaged; requires more tier 1 tech time than normally expected; Proceed with caution! Stop and look!

### Elementary School Core Software (new information in blue)

Software	Category	Licenses	Replacement Status
Microsoft Office & Publisher 2007	Productivity	per computer	Purchased new with each 3A computer; Home use permitted with employee purchase
LanDesk (antivirus)	Utility	per computer	Purchased new with each 3A computer
EarthPoint Maps and Data	Social Studies /all subjects	Unlimited Grades 4-12	Free home access for teachers and students
Pixie II	Graphics/Math	Student/teacher/lab machines	
PhotoStory	Presentation	unlimited	PC only
ComicLife	Writing	Labs and Intermediate Classrooms only	NO home use permitted; update coming this year
Math Companion 3 vol2	Math	unlimited	
InfoCentre/Spectrum	Library	unlimited	Web delivered
Key Skills	Primary Math	unlimited	Replaces Number Heroes
Numbers Recovered	Math	unlimited	Replaces Math Shop
Investigations	Math	unlimited	Textbook software for all schools using Investigations. No home use rights
Type to Learn 3	Keyboarding	unlimited	Licenses recently moved to the elem level from middle school

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### Special Education Core Software (new information in blue)

Software	Category	Licenses	Replacement Status
WYNN	Reading and Writing Support	100 Reader;10 Wizard district wide network	PC only; expanded
MathPad	Math	Specific qty	See Assistive Tech Team; program specific
ComicLife	Writing	Specific qty	NO home use permitted; update coming this year
2009 Attainment Bundle	Multiple: Skills	Specific qty	New core software
Sketch Up 7 Pro	Special Ed	specific qty	400 concurrent PC licenses district-wide; 200 concurrent Mac per Google 12/09
CoWriter	Word prediction	Specific qty; expanded	See Assistive Tech Team; program specific
Write OutLoud	Talking word processor	Specific qty; expanded	See Assistive Tech Team; program specific
Boardmaker	Communication	Specific qty; expanded	See Assistive Tech Team; program specific

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**Middle School Core Software (new information in blue)**

Software	Category	Licenses	Replacement Status
Microsoft Office & Publisher 2007	Productivity	per computer	Purchased new with each 3A computer; Home use permitted with employee purchase
LanDesk (antivirus)	Utility	per computer	Purchased new with each 3A computer
EarthPoint Maps and Data	Social Studies /all subjects	Unlimited Grades 4-12	Free home access for teachers and students
Image Blender 2.6	Graphics	specific qty	Hybrid
Web Blender	Web Design	specific qty	Hybrid
PhotoStory	Presentation	unlimited	PC only
ComicLife	Writing	unlimited	NO home use permitted; update coming this year
Time Liner 5.0	All disciplines	unlimited	Sunsetting. Will not be replaced. Web options recommended
Math Type 5.0	Math	specific qty	Replaces Math Check
Geometer's Sketchpad v5	Math	Approx 50 per school	New updates version 5 summer 2010
TinkerPlots	Math	50 license	
Kaleidomania	Math	30	
AgentSheets 3.0	CompEd	CE lab only	New core software/game design update
Mixcraft 4 Podcasting	CompEd	CE lab only	New core software/podcasting
Animation Master	TIDE	3 per school	
InfoCentre/Spectrum	Library	unlimited	Web delivered
Synchroneyes	All	Main labs & library	Under evaluation for replacement or updating
DreamWeaver Suite	Comp Ed	unlimited	(6 titles)
Sketch Up 7 Pro	TIDE	specific qty	400 concurrent PC licenses district-wide; 200 concurrent Mac per Google 12/09
Adobe Creative Suite (CS3)	All disciplines	500	Funded by Fine Arts program and transferred to Middle Schools based on program and proposals: Aspen Creek, Monarch K-8, Angevine, Manhattan, Casey, and Centennial (CS4); 50 take home teacher licenses
Clicker software	All disciplines	unlimited	Hybrid
Green Globes	Math	unlimited	Replaced with PC version
SolidWorks	TIDE	TIDE labs	PC only; 12 per MS, lab per funded HS (BHS, MHS, CHS); on hold for replacement
Image Processing	TIDE	specific qty	Replaced with PC version in all schools
MapMaker's Toolkit	CompEd/SS	unlimited	Sunsetting. Replaced with Comic Works.
Type to Learn 4.0	Keyboarding	unlimited	New Core addition: No Home Use.

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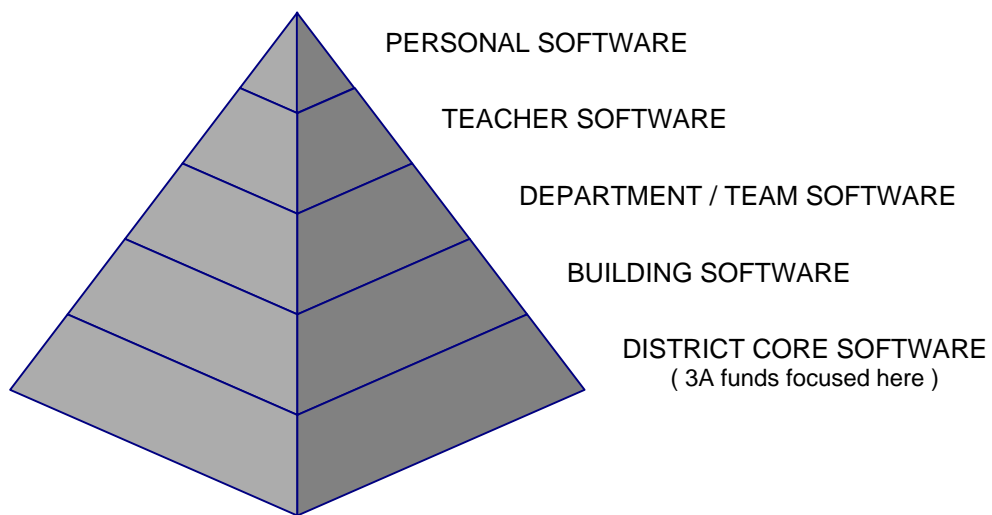
High School Core Software (new information in blue)

Software	Category	Licenses	Replacement Status
Microsoft Office & Publisher 2007	Productivity	per computer	Purchased new with each 3A computer; Home use permitted with employee purchase
LanDesk (antivirus)	Utility	per computer	Purchased new with each 3A computer
EarthPoint Maps and Data	Social Studies /all subjects	Unlimited Grades 4-12	Free home access for teachers and students
Image Blender 2.6	Graphics	specific qty	Hybrid
Web Blender	Web Design	specific qty	Hybrid
PhotoStory	Presentation	unlimited	PC only
ComicLife	Writing	30 ESL/SPED 70 other	No home use permitted; Update coming this year
Carnegie Math	Math	unlimited	Hybrid; sunsetting end of this year, not to be replaced
Geometer's Sketchpad v5	Math	Approx 50 per school	New updates version 5 summer 2010
Fathom	Math	specific qty	Replaces Stats.
MathType 5	Math	Per math teacher	Replaces Math Check
Proeware software	Science	specific qty	Replaced Summer 2010
InfoCentre/Spectrum	Library	Unlimited	Web delivered
Synchroneyes	All	Main labs & library	Under evaluation for replacement or updating
DreamWeaver Suite	Comp Ed	unlimited	(6 titles)
Adobe Creative Suite Design Premium (CS4)	All disciplines	500	Funded by CTE and Inst Tech; usable by all disciplines; New Vista and Halcyon not covered; Home use permitted up to 50 teachers per school only.
Sketch Up 7 Pro	TIDE	specific qty	400 concurrent PC licenses district-wide; 200 concurrent Mac per Google 12/09
Clicker software	All disciplines	unlimited	Hybrid
Green Globes	Math	unlimited	Replaced with PC version
Code Warrior	CompSci	specific qty	Hybrid
SolidWorks	TIDE	specific qty	PC only; 12 per MS, lab per funded HS (BHS, MHS, CHS); on hold for replacement
Descartes' Cove	Math	unlimited	Replaces Measurement in Motion; 6 cd set

## Special Software Advisories

### What categories of software exist in BVSD?

There are five categories of BVSD software (see pyramid chart below).



The district will be concentrating 3A funds on addressing core software needs. Schools will need to concentrate their efforts on the next four tiers of the software pyramid.

If you have questions, call Len Scrogan for assistance at (720)561-5103.