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Technology "boost"

Since I'm using technology throughout the day and answering questions about using Word, GoogleDocs, databases, Chromebooks, and the Internet, I learn something new every day. My teaching and assistance is usually informal and on an as-needed basis.

For my formal teaching periods, I use a Powerpoint program. This semester, after improving the content and flow of my slides to my satisfaction, I embedded a link to OPAC in the Powerpoint, integrating that instruction and allowing me to seamlessly demonstrate search strategies. I was able to perform some sample searches and show students how to interpret a results list and change search terms, if necessary. Students followed up on their own the next day, using OPAC from their work stations.