ISBE Instructional Technology Update
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PARCC Technology Update:

PARCC Technology Bulletin:
The January 27, 2015 version of the PARCC Technology Bulletin can be found at
http://www.isbe.net/ed-technology/html/assessment-tech.htm under the Resources and Documents
section.

PARCC TestNav Technical Bulletin:
The TestNav Technical Bulletin concerning Google disabling NPAPI for the Chrome browser can be
found at http://www.isbe.net/ed-technology/html/assessment-tech.htm under the Resources and Documents
section.

Updated PARCC Technology Guidelines:
PARCC has updated their Technology Guidelines for PARCC Assessments. The latest update can be
found at http://www.parcconline.org/technology.

Updates included in this version:
- Proctor caching language was changed from “required” to “strongly recommended”,
- Firefox browser version requirements updated to versions 28-35,
- Chrome browser version requirements updated to versions 35-39,
- References to Microphone requirement removed (no longer required for 2016-2017),
- Details for headphones requirement added,
- Firewalls, content, and spam filters information updated,
- Support for Linux and Android added,
- Support for MAC OS 10.10 and Safari 8.0 added,
- SystemCheck information for iPads and Chromebooks updated,
- Accessibility features and accommodations table updated.

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