

VAHS IS IN THE NEWS - NBC 15 NEWS

The segment on Flipped Learning will air on NBC 15 within the upcoming month. We will send out the link once it is available. Above Nicholas Phillips is being interviewed by Barclay Pollack, from NBC 15 News.

Earlier this year, we mentioned in a newsletter that VAHS was awarded an innovative grant to pursue Flipped Learning at VAHS. Flipped learning is a concept whereby students watch instructional videos that the teacher has made, uploaded to YouTube, Edmodo, Moodle or another video hosting site. The flipped part is that the students generally watch these at home as homework, then, when they are in class, they spend time on concepts that require more critical thinking and problem solving. In fact, in class is where they can do work on problems together, engaging more in depth discussions, get more one-on-one help, and participate in hands on labs and more. The success has been incredible this year, and both students and staff have approved. There are approximately ten teachers at VAHS that have been exploring this to some degree. Ms. Ann Moffat has experienced great success in her AP

PHOTOS BELOW: (1) Sarah Domres and Rita Mortenson with the NBC 15 Crew. (2) Ms. Moffat's AP Chemistry class. (3) Ms. Moffat being video taped for the upcoming news segment. Chemistry Class and was the class that NBC 15 came to watch. After watching the lesson, they had a chance to interview some students and staff.



Tatum Teskey shows how she accesses content on her mobile device. She enjoys the ability to watch lectures and videos when it fits into her schedule, and the ability to rewatch a lesson is a big plus. Tatum is in AP Chemistry and said she prefers to watch the videos at home so in when she is in class, she can ask questions.





