

## Fourth Grade Teacher Uses Lumens Visual Presenter Alongside Integrated Whiteboard



Vicki Cohen, with her interactive whiteboard, laptop and Lumens DC160 visual presenter

### Subject:

Vicki Cohen,  
Fourth Grade Teacher,  
St. Isidore School,  
Danville, CA

### Technologies:

Lumens DC160 portable  
visual presenter and  
Promethean ACTIVboard

### Usage:

Math lessons straight  
out of textbook, social  
studies, mapping

Vicki Cohen had been using an integrated whiteboard in her fourth grade classroom since last spring, and a few months ago, began using Lumens' DC160 portable visual presenter with it. "Getting the document camera was a nice addition," said the eight-year veteran of St. Isidore School in Danville, California.

Cohen uses her visual presenter with Promethean's ACTIVboard, to bring more multimedia lessons into her classroom. With the tools, she is able to conduct math lessons directly from a textbook, without having to make transparencies. She said using the visual presenter allows her to be more present with her students at the time of the lesson, and allows her to be more prepared.

"If the children aren't getting a concept, we can do it all together," said Ms. Cohen, referring to the fact that all the students can see an image being taken by the visual presenter at the same time, in large scale. "It allows you to be on-the-fly more and as a teacher you need to be like that."

"With students these days, their lives are more multimedia and so in the classroom we need to be more multimedia," said Ms. Cohen. "I can address various learning styles with the document camera and whiteboard: visual, kinesthetic and auditory, and I can hit all three in one lesson."

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