Moorhead Area Public Schools Chooses Naiku's Next-Gen Assessment Software

District adopts Naiku to increase immediacy of information and ease-of-use for teachers with formative and district created benchmark assessments

(BLOOMINGTON, MN) July 10, 2015 – Naiku, provider of award-winning, next-generation classroom assessment software, announced today that Moorhead Area Public Schools has chosen Naiku's next-gen assessment software for district-wide implementation.

Based in Moorhead, MN, the district serves approximately 6,000 students and has developed their own benchmark assessments in reading and math. The district was looking for a solution for district-wide benchmark assessments to replace their existing online solution, as well as provide a formative assessment solution for teachers. An important criteria for the district was ease-of-use for teachers and staff. As an official PowerSchool ISV partner, Naiku provides a secure, direct connection to PowerSchool for automatic sync/update of class rosters, single sign-on, and transport of scores to the gradebook.

"It was important for us to find a solution that worked well with PowerSchool" said Dan Markert, Executive Director of Information Systems and Instructional Support, Moorhead Area Public Schools. "Plus, the fact that we are able to use our existing Schoolnet assessments in Naiku as well is great for us." The district found that Naiku met their needs for delivery, scoring, and reporting of common benchmark assessments and could be comprehensively used for formative assessment as well – as individual teachers, in PLC teams, as well as across the district.

Naiku's cloud-based software is used by schools and districts to quickly measure and track each student's proficiency of standards in any subject and grade, and is used by individual teachers as well as by groups of teachers with common assessments. Naiku can be used to deliver existing assessments in a wide variety of formats, including Word, PDF, ExamView®, TestGen, Moodle, QTI, Schoolnet, and more. Additionally, teachers and district staff can create and share their own questions and tests with the platform's built-in test generator.

For more information about Naiku, visit www.naiku.net.

About Naiku:
Naiku is devoted to improving K-12 learning by providing next generation classroom assessment solutions on an open, SaaS based platform. Naiku provides educators the ability to readily measure and monitor student progress using any web enabled device and engage students more deeply through unique teacher-student interactive feedback tools. Naiku allows educators to create, share, import and deliver standards aligned quizzes and tests in any subject area. With automated scoring and built-in reports, teachers can inform and differentiate their instruction and data can be shared across the school and district to enhance best practices. With Naiku, Better Assessment leads to Better Learning. For more information, visit www.naiku.net.

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