Rachel Holt Mini Lesson Integrating Technology

Let's Make a Whole!

Grade Level: First

Curriculum Topic: Math - Fractions: parts of a whole

Tools: Smartboard and IXL

Synopsis: After being introduced to fractions, students will complete this activity as a class. I

will log on to IXL on my computer and project the screen onto the Smartboard. For this

particular lesson, we will be using skill X.2 found under the first-grade math section. This

skill asks questions pertaining to halves, thirds, and fourths that make up a whole. Once this

skill is displayed on the screen, students will take turns going up to the board and answering

the questions. They will choose one of the Smartboard pens to write or type in their answer.

Only one student will go up at a time to answer, but we will all work together to complete the

problems. This activity with help the students gain teamworking skills, an increase in

knowledge regarding parts of a whole, and experience with interactive technological tools.