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APP Rationale Form

For the educational purchase of ipod/ipad apps... (Please complete and submit this form to the technology office, through Heather Hunt.)

Teacher Name: Dan Waugaman, Ruth Wahl &	Building: Middle School/ High School
Gary Gilbert	
Grade Level and Content Area: Grades 8-9	
Name and Cost of App: Name – iSeismometer Cost - Free	
URL of App, if available: Apple Store – Search iSeismometer	
Brief description of the App: App turns your ipad into a functioning seismograph that detects vibrations through a solid in three dimensions just like a real seismograph used to analyze earthquakes.	
Plans for classroom use of the App: The earth science team is developing a new laboratory investigation that incorporates the app into our earthquakes unit.	
Connection to NYSED P-12 Common Learning Standards: (see http://engageny.org/teachers/) This app could be linked to the descriptive modeling standards in the common core for high school mathematics. The app also directly relates to standard 4 in the earth science core curricula.	
Evidence that this App has worthwhile classroom value (include specific students groups who would use it, of access to a demo or tutorial on the App, etc) This app would be used for 8 th and 9 th grade earth	ther contents areas where it could be used,

applications to physics and graphing in math.