

List of Acronyms

ACOT	—Apple Classroom of Tomorrow	K	—kilobyte
AI	—artificial intelligence	LAN	—local area network
ASCII	—American Standard Code for Information Interchange	LD	—learning disabled
ASSET	—Arizona School Services Through Educational Technology Project	LRDC	—Learning Research and Development Center
AT&T	—American Telephone and Telegraph	MBLs	—microcomputer-based laboratories
CAD	—computer-aided design	MECC	—Minnesota Educational Computing Corp.
CAI	—computer-assisted instruction	METN	—Maryland Education Technology Network
C-AIM	—computer-assisted instructional management	NCTI	—National Computer Training Institute
CAM	—computer-aided manufacture	NIE	—National Institute of Education
CCC	—Computer Curriculum Corp.	OCA	—Office of Computing Activities
CCSSO	—Council of Chief State School Officers	OECC	—Oregon Educational Computer Consortium
CD-I	—compact disc interactive	OERI	—Office of Educational Research and Improvement
CD-ROM	—compact disc-read only memory	OSR	—Operation School Renewal
CD-V	—compact disc video	PHEAA	—Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency
CDC	—Computer Data Corp.	PROM	—programmable read only memory
CMI	—computer-managed instruction	PTA	—Parent-Teacher Association
CTBS	—Canadian Test of Basic Skills	PTO	—Parent-Teacher Organization
DISE	—Development in Science Education	R&D	—research and development
DVI	—digital video interactive	RAM	—random access memory
ECIA	—Education Consolidation and Improvement Act	RCRC	—Regional Computer Resource Centers
EESA	—Education for Economic Security Act	RISE	—Research in Science Education
EPIE	—Educational Products Information Exchange	ROM	—read only memory
ERIC	—Educational Resources Information Center	SAGE	—Semi-Automatic Ground Environment for Air Defense System
ESAA	—Emergency School Aid Act	SBIR	—Small Business Innovation Research
ESC	—Education Service Center	SDE	—State Department of Education
ESC	—Education Systems Corp.	SEE	—Science and Engineering Education
ESOL	—English for Speakers of Other Languages	SEED	—Software Evaluation Exchange Dissemination Project
fax	—facsimile transmission	SES	—socioeconomic status
HOTS	—Higher Order Thinking Skills Program	TEC	—Technology Education Center
ICAI	—intelligent computer-assisted instruction	TEC	—Teacher Education and Computer Center
ILS	—integrated learning system	TERC.	—Technical Education Research Centers
IMPAC	—Instructional Microcomputer Project for Arkansas Classrooms	TIC	—Technology in the Curriculum Projects
ISDN	—Integrated Services Digital Network	VCR	—videocassette recorder
ITV	—instructional television	WAN	—wide area network
JTPA	—Job Training Partnership Act		