

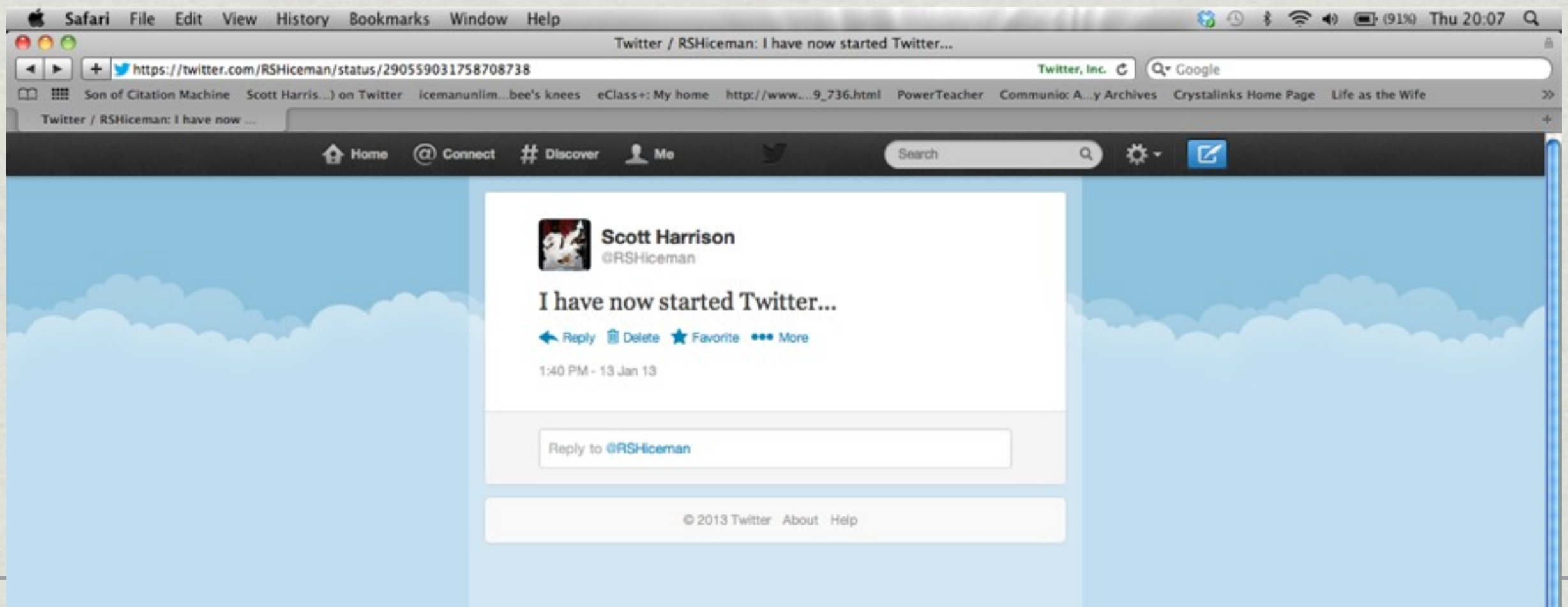
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**PLN... Personal Learning Network Reflection**  
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# My PLN

## In the beginning



# Digital Prisons?



**OR NECESSARY BOUNDARIES FOR STUDENTS AND I TO LEARN.  
SOME PEOPLE FEEL THEIR PLN HAS IMPRISONED THEM IN THE SHORT  
AMOUNT OF TIME THEY HAVE BEEN WORKING WITH IT. I THINK THE OPPOSITE  
MAINLY BECAUSE IT SIMPLIFIES MY COMMUNICATION TOOLS BEYOND THE  
EXPECTATIONS I INITIALLY HAD FOR TWITTER.**

# My PLN progress

I HAVE ADDED MANY DIFFERENT PEOPLE TO MY PLN OVER THE LAST FEW WEEKS. MY MOST IMPORTANT CONNECTIONS ARE THE ONES WITHIN MY SCHOOL AT BISHOP GRANDIN. IT HELPS ME LINK UP WITH THE OTHER DEPARTMENTS AND HELPS US CONNECT ON POSSIBLE CROSS CURRICULAR PROJECTS IN A TIMELY FASHION. MEDIA I MET ICE CARVING, LOCAL POLITICIANS THAT VISIT MY CLASSROOM, EVEN THE EDUCATION MINISTER HAS REPLIED TO ME ON TWITTER NOW WITH SOME COMMUNICATION ABOUT WHERE WE NEED TO HEAD FOR FUTURE GROWTH... HAS REALLY OPENED MY CIRCLE AND GIVEN IT A NEW VOICE THAT CAN START CHANGE NOT JUST TALK ABOUT IT. I HAD THREE MINISTERS COME FOR AN EVENT A COUPLE MONTHS AGO, AND THEY HAD NOTHING BUT PRAISE FOR OUR SCHOOLS INITIATIVES AND PROJECTS TOWARDS TECHNOLOGY AND DIVERSITY, WHAT WOULD THEY THINK NOW? IT ACTUALLY HELPS ME MANAGE MY TIME WITH COMMUNICATION BETTER BY ALLOWING MULTIPLE COMMUNICATION POINTS BETWEEN WORK AND PERSONAL LIFE. TWO BIRDS ONE STONE, SO TO SPEAK.



Where I am now.

THE FACT THAT I CAN DO PROFESSIONAL AND PERSONAL GROWTH IN ONE TECHNOLOGY HELPS ME IN MY DAY TO DAY ORGANIZATION. MY 3 FEATURED CONTACTS WOULD BE, IN NO PARTICULAR ORDER.

- EDUCATION BASED PEOPLE / ORGANIZATIONS FOR PD AND CONTACTS PROFESSIONALLY.
- POLITICALLY BASED FOR FUTURE DEVELOPMENT AND STAYING ON TOP OF THE NOW IN AB/ CANADA.
- STROMBO AND RICK MERCER PERSONAL SELF DEVELOPMENT AND MY OWN EDUCATION.



# Some questions I have.



**CUTE LITTLE BIRDS...  
ANGRY BIRDS OR  
EVEN ZOMBIE BIRDS  
WHICH ONE DOES YOUR PLN MAKE  
YOU FEEL MOST LIKE?**

**ARE YOU A FOLLOWER?  
IS IT A BAD THING OR THAT NECESSARY  
ENGAGEMENT BY THE CONSTANT  
CONNECTION WITH SOCIAL MEDIA.  
ARE YOU REALLY A SOCIAL BIRD??????**

# Your students are!!!!

Before they fly the coupe be a Tech savvy teacher



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