Wiki Comparison Table

	On-Premise Solutions		Cloud-Based Solutions	
OPTIONS	MEDIAWIKI	FOSWIKI	PBWORKS	WIKISPACES
PRICE	Open source (Free)	Open source (Free)	Free/user account – $799/year per school	Free for one class – $1000/year per 100
RICH TEXT EDITING	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
WIKI STORAGE	Adjustable – server size dependent	Adjustable – server size dependent	2 GB storage – 40 GB storage	5 GB storage – 1 TB storage
EMBED MEDIA	Extension required	Extension required	Yes	Yes
ATTACH DOCUMENTS	(Flexible) – Starts at 2 MB	(Flexible) – Starts at 100 MB	50 MB – 1 GB	50 MB – 100 MB
CUSTOM BRANDING	Yes	Yes	Must pay	Yes
CUSTOMIZE PAGE ACCESS	Yes	Yes	Must pay	Yes
SMART NOTIFICATIONS	Extension required	Extension required	Yes	Yes
Conclusion	Will need support from IT. Difficult to setup initially, easy to use afterwards.	Will need support from IT. Difficult to setup initially, easy to use afterwards.	Relatively costly as a campus wide solution. Great for small classroom instruction	Most costly as a campus wide solution. Great for small classroom instruction

Resources:

MediaWiki   https://www.mediawiki.org/wiki/MediaWiki

Foswiki   http://foswiki.org/

PBworks   https://plans.pbworks.com/academic

Wikispaces   https://www.wikispaces.com/

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