April 2025 Technology Report

As we approach the end of the 2024-2025 school year, here are some of the things that have been going on in IC Technology during the second semester.

- 1. Chromebook Distribution: The district used grant money to purchase Chromebooks to replace some of our older devices. I have been working throughout the year to get these devices set up and in the hands of our students. This is a difficult task at times with the other day to day things that need addressed. I am making progress and hope to have Illini Central in a good place regarding Chromebooks by the start of the 2025–2026 school year.
- 2. Upgrades to the Wifi Network: Over Spring Break, QNS installed a number of Wifi access points into rooms that previously did not have one. This will allow the district to have better coverage overall for our students & teachers. All of the access points are either new or have been replaced in the past two years.
- 3. Fine Arts & Steam Fair for the K-12 will take place on Wednesday, April 30th from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. The Class IV, Mr. Bunner & I are looking forward to giving students an opportunity to see some of the things that we do in The Class. We will also be combining some of the things The Illini Central Sports Network does into our experience for the students in attendance. This event will be a great way to showcase a few of the things the technology department. The Class & The Illini Central Sports Network are able to provide for Illini Central. I am hoping to inspire some future members of The Class & Sportsnetwork.