

Technology Report

September 2021 Board Report

Middle School Cameras

We are still awaiting the finalization of the low voltage network installation (Ethernet cabling, etc) to connect the cameras. The work will be done by Systems Northwest, the same company that installed the main network cabling in the building. The cameras are already here to install once the cabling is run..

Network upgrades

The rewiring of the Vina building is now complete with all rooms and locations now installed with wireless and from a tech standpoint, properly labeled and wire run correctly. The standard of cable used was Cat 6e which will future proof our network installation for the next 12-15 years when new standards and more data being used to upgrade our network in the distant future.

Next up will be the KW building whose wiring is some of the oldest in the district and is the next building in need of rewiring. This will be followed by Browning Elementary and finally Napi.

Macbook replacements

Over the summer months a lot of effort went into replacing the older MacBooks being used by teachers with updated MacBooks. We now have around 95% of our teachers MacBooks replaced with a few stragglers yet to be swapped out. A huge shout out to Julie Hayes for her assistance in the project during my needed absence over the summer months.