VISION 20/20 GRANT HIGHLIGHTS

The Vision 20/20 Grant is a competitive grant administered by TEA to be utilized for technology emersion, similar to the TIP grant. The district completed the application, which allowed us to apply for \$500,000, and we are now awaiting word as to if we have been funded.

The following items were included in the grant application:

Technology

- 350 netbooks for grades 5, 6, 9-12
- 50 laptops for hs & elem teachers & principals
- 8 projectors should allow all hs & jh teachers to have 1 & 1 per grades in 2-5 & 1 for primary
- 6 elmos availability for all
- 10 multimedia carts

Prof. Dev / Training

- Subs for teachers to allow for training & planning: 4-12 grade teachers 1 day each 6 wks to
 plan how to integrate technology into lesson plans, 1 day each semester for technology training,
 1 day per year to allow for travel to other districts to observe technology integration
- Up to 7 people each year to attend vision 2020 conference
- e-power from reg. 7 which allows for online classes to be taken
- 2 ½ day workshops during summer for representatives of Study Island to come & train on their product

Network Infrastructure

Approx \$104,00. Budgeted to get our network up to date & ready to handle extra workload & added wireless access.