

## **Italy Independent School District**

**Department Board Report** 

**Meeting Date\_5-19\_2025** 

MISSION: The mission of Italy ISD is to maintain a safe and caring environment by partnering with families and the community to inspire lifelong learning for intellectual and personal success for all students.

VISION: Italy ISD will be a district that sees every child and creates a diverse learning environment to prepare them for an ever-changing world.

Department: Technology

Executive Director of Technology: Michael Steinmetz

Date: 5/14/2025

Celebrations: Testing Season is Done!

Upcoming events/activities:

**Subject:** Summer Preparations

## **Dear Esteemed School Board Members,**

I hope this message finds you well and energized as we navigate the latter half of the school year. I want to take a moment to extend my heartfelt thanks for your unwavering support and visionary leadership.

Because of your commitment, our digital education initiatives are not just functioning—they're flourishing. Your steadfast backing empowers us to deliver innovative, dependable, and forward-thinking technology solutions that elevate learning across our campuses. It's no exaggeration to say that your influence is felt in every classroom, where students and staff are equipped to thrive in a connected, tech-forward world. With this in mind we will be purchasing new laptops for more than half of our Teachers as well as purchasing more security cameras to upgrade our degrading system along with getting a head of Tariffs, by purchasing chromebooks to save us money on the long run.

With careful preparation, thoughtful implementation, and a touch of levity, we're creating the kind of supportive environment where students can shine and succeed.

Thank you once again for your continued advocacy and dedication to the success of every student in our district. It's a privilege to work alongside such a forward-thinking and student-centered board.

Warmest regards,
Michael Steinmetz
Executive Director, Technology Department