

Aug Technology Board Report

Over the summer, we have been working on updating many of our management systems, specifically those we use to manage our iPads, Macs, Windows, and Chrome devices.

Preparations for Next Year:

Hiring and on ramp for the new year:

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Windows and Chromebooks:

We feel good about how Panel(our windows and chromebook device management system) is coming along. It has a steep learning curve and has caused us to update some things that were long overdue. We are confident we can be done with our servers when our licenses expire.

Secretaries' iMacs:

We have replaced all desktop iMacs. The old ones were from 2015-2017.

Network:

I have spent significant time updating the firmware on all our switches. We had one switch fail at Bullshoe Elementary, which we were able to replace under warranty. Through this process, we have made our system more robust and simplified our network traffic. Bullshoe Elementary has had a few cameras go down and we are in the midst of going through the warranty process with them.