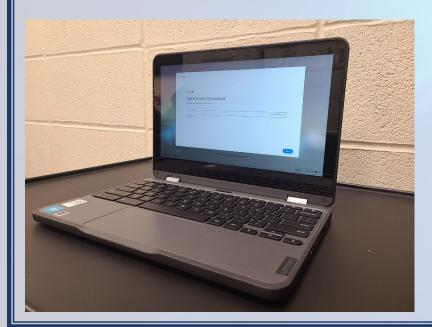


# 2024-2025 Technology Budget Presentation

February 05, 2024

## **Technology Goals**

- Support Districtwide instructional and administrative initiatives
- Ensure that technology is up-to-date and reliable
- Ensure that the District network is secure and protected from internal and external threats
- Investment in instructional tools and applications to support learning





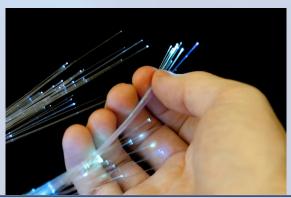




### Points of Pride 2023-2024

- Upgraded Chromebooks for students in Grade 3/5/9
- Refreshed 7+ year-old desktops
- Installed dedicated Fiber at all buildings for additional network protection and allowing for future projects to create survivability in the network
- Continued progress towards further securing the network
- Completed implementation of NAC
- Replaced District Phone System
- Began refresh of Laptops for Administrators and Clerical Staff
- New Staff and Student On-Boarding Process
- Translation of Student Online-Registration Application into 3 additional languages
- Revise and update content on the POB website, incorporating current information and enhancing the overall look and feel.

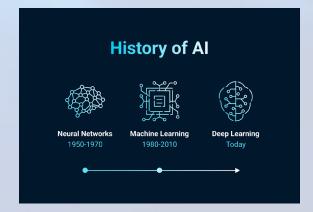




#### Planned Initiatives 2024-2025

- Wireless Network Upgrade and Replacement
- Continuation of Chromebook refresh plan for grades 3/5/9 and staff
- Additional Cybersecurity investments in hardware, software, and services
- Investing in AI tools and protocols with Dr. Ben Wiley
- Continued refresh of laptops for staff
- Further integration and automation of systems





### **Budget Drivers 2024-2025**

Budget Code	Description	2023 - 2024 Budget	2024 - 2025 Proposed Budget	Dollar Difference	% Difference
 A-2630-490-00-41-00	BOCES Technology Services	\$3,575,537	\$4,037,124	\$461,587	13%
A-2630-460	DW Instructional Software	\$219,899	\$223,910	\$4,011	2%
2630-200 (all buildings)	Technology Equipment	\$417,714	\$408,000	(\$9,714)	(-2%)

BOCES Budget Drivers				
Chromebook Refresh Year 4	\$315,000			
Wireless Project	\$130,000			
Software/Licensing Increases	Costs of All Software and Licenses are expected to rise at least 3% and some vendors are notifying us of larger increases			

# Technology Budget Historical Perspective 2024-2025

2023-2024: \$4,431,750

2024-2025: \$4,890,774

#### Year-to-Year Change: \$459,024 or 10%

Technology Budget Total Summary	Year-to-Year Change
Without Chromebook Refresh	\$4,575,774 or 3 % increase
Without Chromebook Refresh and Wireless Project from BOCES codes	\$4,445,774 or 0% increase

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 Tuesday, May 21, 2024

 6:00am-9:00pm

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