



Hallsville ISD Technology - Departmental Report

Information and Updates for Aug 2026, Volume 117

News & Notes

- ❖ Updated the district Video Surveillance System and all clients who use it.
- ❖ Organized and cleaned the gameday video room in Bobcat Stadium Pressbox.
- ❖ Completed summer projects just in time for back to school.
- ❖ Onboarded and configured GoGuardian Beacon
 - To detect online activity indicating suicide risk, self-harm, or potential violence.
- ❖ Ongoing process of adding backup batteries to door panels district-wide.
- ❖ Continuing efforts to update all end-of-life Windows 10 computers.
- ❖ Continued the integration of the network printers into PaperCut.
 - Every computer that can print had to be reconfigured.
- ❖ Organized and cleaned several network data closets throughout the district.
- ❖ Resolved various gate, door, and lock issues.
- ❖ Numerous security camera installations, replacements, and repairs throughout the district.

E-Rate Update

- ❖ Hallsville ISD has received our letter of funding from USAC.
 - A \$346,939.01 commitment from USAC to upgrade Network Equipment.

Technology Roadmap

- ❖ Replacement of “end-of-life” network equipment utilizing E-Rate.
- ❖ Replacement of the existing Telephone System with an industry-standard VOIP system.
- ❖ Update the current paging system district-wide.
- ❖ Continued door security assessment and replacement at select locations.
- ❖ Streamlining daily operational processes and procedures.
- ❖ Continue training in our new district platforms, including FMX, ParentSquare, and CrisisGo.

Long-term Projects/Goals

- ❖ Replacement and upgrade of the 2nd district-wide hypervisor.
 - ❖ Upgrade of the District Network Operations Center, including data center cooling solutions.
 - ❖ Proactively replace legacy buried and aerial fiber optic cabling connecting multiple campuses to ensure continued network reliability and performance.
 - ❖ Junior High Auditorium audio equipment replacement, remodel, and stage upgrades.
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