

PILLAR #7 - TECHNOLOGY

As the world continues to evolve into an always-online and technological-based society, the Sandusky City Schools Technology Department will progress to meet demands for the rapid, ever-changing landscape of educational technology.

We have started the planning phase of our transition into the new school buildings. Working closely with the consultants, the technology department has shown them ways to reduce costs and still keep the same level of next generation network infrastructure that the district deserves. Sandusky High School and Sandusky Middle School have received cutting-edge science labs and are one of the few locations in Ohio to host a state-of-the-art planetarium.

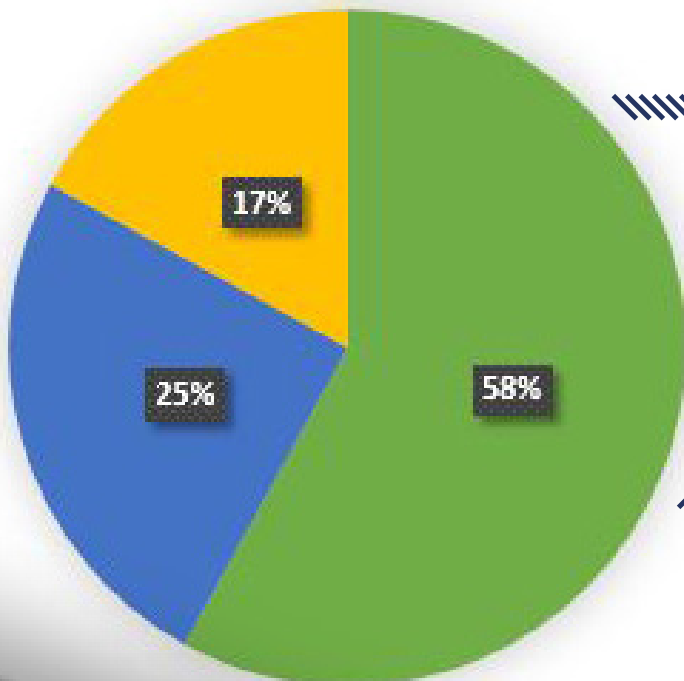
We have updated student/teacher devices and continue to provide teacher support for a successful launch of the NWEA MAP testing season. The technology department will continue this process throughout the rest of the school year for the remaining online testing requirements for NWEA MAP, Ohio's State Tests, CogAT and the ACT.

As a department, we are committed to providing a supportive role to our district academic goals focusing on the implementation of new and current online curricular/curriculum software. This year, we have managed online access for students and teachers in numerous programs/software throughout the district including the new Science and Math textbook series at the middle and high school levels. Our team will provide ongoing technical assistance for our teachers and students to ensure a seamless implementation for the 2018-2019 school year.

PILLAR #7 - TECHNOLOGY

HIGHLIGHTS:

- 540 laptops deployed to SHS/SMS science labs and Hancock & Mills Elementary
- Nine science labs outfitted with the latest technology
- State-of-the-art planetarium completed at SHS
- Successful launch of NWEA MAP testing season
- Districtwide implementation of PaperCut printing infrastructure
- Completion of over 500 Help Desk tickets
- New file backup system has greatly reduced our operating costs



GOAL STATUS:

21/36	Completed	58%
9/36	In Progress	25%
6/36	Not Started	17%

**Please note: Most technology goals are ongoing goals that have a starting and completion point each school year. All goals currently in progress are on track to be completed on schedule at the end of this school year.