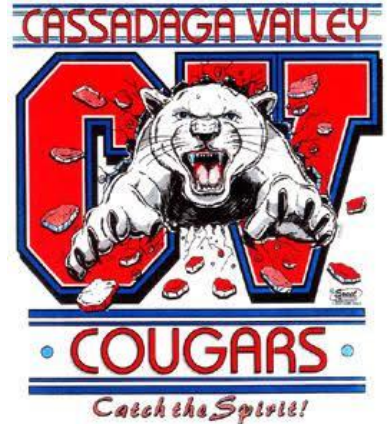


Smart Schools Investment Plan

Cassadaga Valley
Central School
April 17, 2023



Smart School Bond Act 2014

The Smart School Bond Act of 2014 was passed in 2014-2015 Enacted New York State Budget and approved in a statewide referendum held during the 2014 General Election. The Smart Schools Bond Act authorized the issuance of \$2 billion of general obligation bonds to finance improved educational technology infrastructure to improve learning and opportunity for students throughout New York State. Cassadaga Valley Central School was allocated **\$1,333,520**.

The following plan was developed to align with our district's goals and technological needs in the coming years. Areas of focus for the District fall under the Smart Schools Bond Act categories of Classroom Learning Technologies.

More information about the Smart Schools Bond Act can be found on the NYSED website:

http://www.p12.nysed.gov/mgtserv/smart_schools/

2023 Plan Summary

HS/MS	22	Hallway/stair Double Doors, Gym and Cafe Double Doors, All other Double Doors with Access	
	118	All Classroom Doors (mortise and cylindrical locks, ALL storage room, janitor closets, lounges and office door that require access	
SES	4	Gym and Cafe Double Doors, All other Double Doors with Access	
	48	All Classroom Doors (mortise and cylindrical locks, ALL storage room, janitor closets, lounges and office door that require access	
		Door Access Project Total	\$295,000.00
	90	Windows 11 Laptops(\$930/each)	\$83,700.00
			\$378,700

Spending Summary

Original Allocation		\$1,333,520
Smart Schools 2019	Teacher Laptops- Received	\$139,850
Smart Schools 2020	Student Chromebooks and Tablets	\$244,000
Smart Schools 2023 Proposed	Door Access Project & Laptops	\$378,700
	AMOUNT REMAINING	\$570,970

Plan Details

Cassadaga Valley Central School understand the expanding role of technology as a vehicle to improve student learning in school. Technology can foster differentiation, critical thinking and allow for more effective communication and collaboration. Our District is committed to continuing to expand device access in all classrooms for staff. This plan will allow us to continue a replacement cycle for teacher laptops that will be essential given the shift in education over the last few years.

Additionally, technology plays a critical role in student safety. When keys are not required for securing school entry points it is less likely these doors will be left unlocked or propped open. Wireless Aperio hardware connected wireless to hub will allow administrators or first responders to activate the lock's lockdown feature by pushing one button, saving valuable time when compared to searching for, fumbling over, and trying to use keys from the outside of the room to secure the door in the event of an emergency.

Data was collected throughout both the elementary and middle-high school buildings in order to determine necessity of technology. Data was also collected through a needs assessment.

Additionally, the District selected devices that would prepare students for college and career readiness. The web-based platform provides the flexibility to support all digital resources.

Opportunity to Comment

Feedback:

Comments will be open until May 18, 2023.

Written questions, comments or suggestions related to this item should be sent to ssip@cvcougars.org. Please enter “Smart Schools Investment Plan” in the subject line.