Agenda

- Program Overview
- Implementation
- Program Components
- Partnership
- Request for Limited Waiver
1. **Graduate Profile**
   The SFUSD Graduate Profile will define the knowledge, skills, dispositions, and behaviors we expect our graduates to possess so they are prepared to thrive in life and career.

2. **Personalized Pathways**
   All students will have personalized learning and development pathways.

3. **Reimagined Space and Time**
   We will reimagine the school day, keeping learning standards constant while we explore new ways to use space and time.

4. **Motivation and Mastery**
   We will embrace engaging new ways to demonstrate mastery while motivating and inspiring ever-greater levels of learning.

5. **Real-Life Tasks**
   We will integrate rich and meaningful real-life tasks into all levels of the curriculum.

6. **Cultural Competence and Multilingualism**
   Students will be globally aware, multilingual, and culturally competent, and fluent in a range of "second languages" including sign language and computer coding. Our graduates will see diversity in its many forms as an asset.

7. **Blended Learning**
   All our schools will be equipped with technologies that support blended learning and increase personalization.

8. **Talent and Collaboration**
   We will attract and grow top talent to fuel our students’ success and to embody a culture of boundless aspiration, innovation, and collaboration.

9. **Innovative System**
   SFUSD will be a center of innovation and a leader in creating an engaging new learning ecosystem in the Bay Area—and beyond.

10. **Aligned Investments**
    Funding and other forms of investment from public, private, and philanthropic sources will be more tightly aligned to our vision.
Our Challenge: Close the Digital Learning Gap

Always Available Access
Do all of our learners have access to powerful tools?

Digital Literacy and Responsibility
Do all of our learners know how to use them?

Powerful Use
Are we leveraging them to create powerful learning environments?
Vision 2025 & Digital Promise

- A strategic partnership to support efforts to realize the 10 big shifts of Vision 2025
- Grounded in goals and strategies of *Transform Learning. Transform Lives.* and SFUSD’s digital district plan, *Building a Digital District*
- Part of *Digital Promise League of Innovative Schools*, a national network of districts and leaders to develop innovative approaches to improving student outcomes through the powerful leveraging of learning technologies
- Access to opportunities and grants to further achieve our district goals
1:1 Learning - Verizon Innovative Learning Schools (VILS)

Program Overview

- Bridge the digital learning gap by developing 1:1 innovative learning models that leverage technology for students
- Competitive grant application only available to League districts for middle schools
- Part of its 3rd cohort of schools (46 schools total), program provides technology, professional learning, implementation design & support to transform middle schools into 1:1 learning environment
- A public-private partnership through President Obama’s ConnectEd initiative
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Program Implementation

- A district collaboration between 3 middle schools, LEAD and the Departments of Technology, Curriculum & Instruction, and SFCSD
- “3 schools, 1 team”: Denman, Hoover, Roosevelt
- SFUSD’s core curriculum and dimensions of teaching and learning are foundational to program design
- Partnership is a prototype for a scalable model of engaging & innovative learning environments that leverage technology to transform student learning
- District launched a 1:1 Learning Academy for all current 1:1 middle schools
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Program Components

● Professional learning for educators
● Digital citizenship (school-wide certification in partnership with CommonSense)
● Student technology leadership teams
● Additional common planning time for PD/planning on leveraging technology to enhance learning outcomes and for cross-school collaboration
● Monthly STEM/STEAM challenges and activities
● Research & evaluation
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Program Implementation

- Devices go home and have free Internet/data from Verizon (filtered by SFUSD), providing for out-of-school learning
- Student iPads have arrived and are being configured and tested
- Teacher PD is already under way: joint launch and early release days
- Rollout events for students to receive iPads are scheduled for September/October. You will receive invitations!
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This partnership provides more than $3 million over two years in technology, professional learning, implementation support, including:

- An iPad device (~3,000) with always-accessible Internet access for every student and teacher
- $25,000 per school/year to support a full-time instructional technology Learning Coach to build capacity among educators to embed technology into the student learning experience
- $20,000/year for a local storyteller to document schools’ learning journeys and develop a model to scale in SFUSD
- Ongoing project planning and implementation support in developing a 2-year Professional Learning Plan for schools with support of a dedicated Digital Promise Professional Learning Manager
- Professional learning for all teachers involved, including opportunities for personalized learning
- Membership in a national community of 46 schools across the country working to leverage technology and innovative instructional approaches to transform learning for students.
Verizon-SFUSD Partnership

- Department of Technology has communicated importance and rationale of SFUSD’s Board Policy regarding corporate branding
- Understanding SFUSD Board Policy, Verizon reduced the footprint of the logo and designed a logo specific to this partnership for the back of the iPad case (right)
- DoT is requesting approval of a limited waiver of BP 1325 to allow the reduced-size logo on cases, tote bags, and event signage
Questions?