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I. District LEA Information

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1. What is the name of the district administrator responsible for entering the Instructional Technology Plan data?

Dr. Maureen A. Long

2. What is the title of the district administrator responsible for entering the Instructional Technology Plan data?

Superintendent

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II. Strategic Technology Planning

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1. What is the overall district mission?

The Menands School District, in partnership with students, teachers, parents and community, is committed to excellence. We prepare students to excel in all areas of learning encourage them to respect cultural diversity, and expect them to become valued members of society. We strive to develop life-long learning within a safe, nurturing and supportive environment. By creating innovative, well-balanced programs that challenge the unique abilities of all students, we are able to nurture each child's potential. We are educating the leaders of tomorrow and believe that children come first.

2. What is the vision statement that guides instructional technology use in the district?

The Menands School will continue to build a top performing learning community where students discover and reach their individual potential through robust and challenging programs that maximize the personal connections that can be achieved in a small school environment.

3. Summarize the planning process used to develop answers to the Instructional Technology Plan questions and/or your district comprehensive Instructional Technology Plan. Please include the stakeholder groups participating and the outcomes of the instructional technology plan development meetings.

The development of the Technology Plan and responses to the questions were achieved through a collaborative process that incorporated all relevant stakeholders through a variety and series of meetings and conversations. As a small district with limited resources, we share are technology services and oversight with a neighboring school district, South Colonie. As such their team, inclusive of their Technology Director, System Administrator, and Network Administrator have been integral in the understanding of our needs and development of our plan. District administration meets at a minimum monthly, to plan and strategize around both short term and long term technology needs of the district, inclusive of equipment and instructional needs and professional development that will be required for staff to implement. Also, at present the district is in the process of conducting a full and comprehensive review of all Board Policies, under the guidance and direction of the New York School Boards Association, this has included a thorough review and update to all technology policies, in accordance with current requirements and regulations meeting two times monthly. The necessary protocols have been put in place and actions taken to be able to comply with the updated policies. We conduct full faculty meetings twice monthly, a portion, if not the entirety of each meeting is dedicated to technology, providing dedicated time to discuss and plan or to provide needed professional development; in essence our faculty is a technology committee of the whole. Lastly the development of this plan was influenced by a recent audit by the Office of the State Comptroller, with a focus on technology, and what we learned through that process and have and will continue to implement as a result of it.

4. How does the district's Instructional Technology Plan build upon, continue the work of, and improve upon the previous three-year plan?

Our previous plan was focused on the develop of a technology infrastructure that would support enhanced and authentic opportunities for students, and educating students around their responsibilities as good stewards and digital citizenship. While we have made significant strides in developing that infrastructure, we must know be cognizant of the need to maintain it, inclusive of needed upgrades and improvements. Certainly, as with many aspects of education, we have learned much through the past two years and the COVID pandemic; the use and value of technology as an instructional tool is at the forefront of that greater understanding. Thus our prior plan will serve as a solid basis for this plan, with a continued dedication to assuring we have the necessary infrastructure and are maximizing it's use and capacity and as a tool to engage parents.

5. How does the district Instructional Technology Plan reflect experiences during the COVID pandemic?

The plan will compensate for the continued work toward prior goals that were negatively impacted by the COVID-19 Pandemic. At the same time the need for the results of the goals has been further solidified by needs that became very apparent as a result of the pandemic inclusive of the need to have technology in the hands of and available to all students and staff wether in person or remote, and to have mechanisms in place to educate students remotely and communicate with parents and families accordingly.

6. Is your district currently fully 1:1?

Yes

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7. Please describe the professional development plan for building the capacity of educators and administrators in the attainment of the instructional technology vision as stated in response to question 2.

One of four overarching district goals is student achievement and success, and the commitment to providing the necessary resources to faculty and staff (professional development) to achieve that. We have in recent years implemented a position of embedded staff developer. This positions supports staff and administration in identifying needs (technology and otherwise) and coordinating and facilitating required professional development. Individual staff members, are encouraged and supported in becoming experts n particular areas (ie Google classroom) and serve as turnkey trainers for their fellow staff members. The district participates annually as a member of the Model Schools program offered through our BOCES, providing year long access to technology related PD, for both individuals and groups. A portion if not all of each faculty meeting is dedicated to providing instruction on identified technology instruction.

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III. Goal Attainment

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Overview: In this new section, the District is asked to outline the extent to which they have achieved, at the local level, goals put forth in the 2010 Statewide Learning Technology Plan.

 Digital Content – The District uses standards-based, accessible digital content that supports all curricula for all learners. The district has met this goal:

Moderately

2. Digital Use – The District's learners, teachers, and administrators are proficient in the use of technology for learning. The district has met this goal:

Significantly

3. Digital Capacity and Access – The District's technology infrastructure supports learning and teaching in all of the District's environments. The district has met this goal:

Significantly

4. Leadership – The District Instructional Technology Plan is in alignment with the Statewide Learning Technology Plan vision. The district has met this goal:

Significantly

Accountability – District-level information is posted on the District website, is easy to access, and is
easily understood. Information provided includes the results achieved by the District in their efforts to enable
students to build knowledge, master skills, and grasp opportunities for a better life. The district has met this goal:

Significantly

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The district will replace, maintain and keep up to date key classroom technologies to allow students in all classrooms access to current technology to enhance instruction

2. Select the NYSED goal that best aligns with this district goal.

Provide technology-enhanced, culturally- and linguistically-responsive learning environments to support improved teaching and learning

3. Target Student Population(s). Check all that apply.

☑ All students	☐ Economically disadvantaged students
☐ Early Learning (Pre-K -3)	☐ Students between the ages of 18-21
□ Elementary/intermediate	☐ Students who are targeted for dropout prevention or
☐ Middle School	credit recovery programs
☐ High School	☐ Students who do not have adequate access to
☐ Students with Disabilities	computing devices and/or high-speed internet at their
☐ English Language Learners	places of residence
☐ Students who are migratory or seasonal farmworkers,	☐ Students who do not have internet access at their place
or children of such workers	of residence
☐ Students experiencing homelessness and/or housing	□ Students in foster care
insecurity	☐ Students in juvenile justice system settings
	□ Vulnerable populations/vulnerable students
	☐ Other (please identify in Question 3a, below)

4. Additional Target Population(s). Check all that apply.

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✓	Teachers/Teacher Aides
	Administrators
✓	Parents/Guardians/Families/School Community
	Technology Integration Specialists
	Other

5. How will this instructional technology goal be measured and evaluated during and after implementation? Be sure to include any tools and/or metrics that are part of this evaluation process. Examples might be formative data, local, state, and/or national LEA benchmarks, metrics from instructional software, other technology evaluation programs, etc.

The district will develop a mechanism to identify currently available technology and access, that will monitor capacity and usefulness (end of life) and also a projected thoughtful replacement plan that will ensure most current equipment and devices in classrooms and in the hands of students. This planning will account for damage and loss.

6. List the action steps that correspond to Goal #1 from your answer to Question 1, above. All cells in the table must be populated. If you have less than four action steps for this goal, you must enter N/A into columns two, three, four, five, and seven, and choose June 30, 2021 in the date column for all unneeded rows in the table.

		Action Step	Action Step - Description	Responsible Stakeholder:	Stakeholder	Anticipa ted date of complet ion	Anticipated Cost
Ac	ction Step 1	Collaboratio n	Identify the protocol to be utilized and initially populate to refelct current equipment and anticipated needs over	Director of Technology	N/A	06/30/2 023	3750

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IV. Action Plan - Goal 1

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	Action Step	Action Step - Description	Responsible Stakeholder:	'Other' Responsible Stakeholder	Anticipa ted date of complet ion	Anticipated Cost
		the duration of the plan				
Action Step 2	Budgeting	Implement a purchase plan to maintain one to one devices for all students district wide	Business Official	N/A	06/30/2 025	0
Action Step 3	Budgeting	Implement a purchase/replacement plan so that each learning space is equipped with a smart board.	Business Official	N/A	04/19/2 023	0
Action Step 4	Purchasing	Upgrade staff computers to maximize effectiveness	Business Official	N/A	04/11/2 025	27000

7. This question is optional. If more action steps are needed, continue to list the action steps that correspond to Goal #1 from your answer to Question 1, above.

	Action Step	Action Step - Description	Responsible Stakeholder:	"Other" Responsible Stakeholder	Anticipa ted date of complet ion	Anticipated Cost
Action Step 5	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Respo nse)	(No Response)
Action Step 6	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Respo nse)	(No Response)
Action Step 7	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Respo nse)	(No Response)
Action Step 8	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Respo nse)	(No Response)

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1. Enter Goal 2 below:

Fully utilize technology as a tool to enhance and maximize educational opportunities for students, including opportunities for more authentic and applied learning experiences, and to provide opportunities that meet the varied group and individual needs of students including addressing both weaknesses and strengths.

2. Select the NYSED goal that best aligns with this district goal.

Provide technology-enhanced, culturally- and linguistically-responsive learning environments to support improved teaching and learning

3.	Target Student	Population(s)	. Check all	that apply.
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☑ All students	☐ Economically disadvantaged students
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☐ Students with Disabilities	computing devices and/or high-speed internet at their
☐ English Language Learners	places of residence
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or children of such workers	of residence
☐ Students experiencing homelessness and/or housing	□ Students in foster care
insecurity	☐ Students in juvenile justice system settings
	□ Vulnerable populations/vulnerable students
	□ Other (please identify in Question 3a, below)

Additional Target Population(s). Check all that apply.

$\overline{\mathbf{Z}}$	Teachers/Teacher Aides
	Administrators

- ☑ Parents/Guardians/Families/School Community
- ☐ Technology Integration Specialists
- □ Other

5. How will this instructional technology goal be measured and evaluated during and after implementation? Be sure to include any tools and/or metrics that are part of this evaluation process. Examples might be formative data, local, state, and/or national LEA benchmarks, metrics from instructional software, other technology evaluation programs, etc.

Student progress across all areas will be measured, and compared to prior performance. This will include but not be limited to local and state assessment data, inclusive of metrics built into programs being utilized in classrooms. This information has and will contniue to be compiled and reported annually to the board of education, and will serve as the basis for faculty and staff to plan and proceed accordingly.

6. List the action steps that correspond to Goal #2 from your answer to Question 1, above. All cells in the table must be populated. If you have less than four action steps for this goal, you must enter N/A into columns two, three, four, five, and seven, and choose June 30, 2021 in the date column for all unneeded rows in the table.

	Action Step	Action Step - Description		"Other" Responsible Stakeholder	Anticipa ted date of complet ion	Anticipated Cost
Action Step 1	Implementat ion	Collect relevant student data annually to assess perormance, identify needs, and	Building Principal	N/A	06/30/2 025	0

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IV. Action Plan - Goal 2

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	Action Step	Action Step - Description	Responsible Stakeholder:	"Other" Responsible Stakeholder	Anticipa ted date of complet ion	Anticipated Cost
		implement needed steps.				
Action Step 2	Collaboratio n	Continue to collaborate with South Colonie CSD through an inter municipal agreement for a shared Technology serices inclusive of technology instruction.	Superintend ent	N/A	06/30/2 025	271500
Action Step 3	Professional Developme nt	Implement individual and small group opportunities for staff outside of the school day to participated in targeted technology PD.	Superintend ent	N/A	06/30/2 025	45000
Action Step 4	Professional Developme nt	Allow staff to participate in outside of district opportunities to enhance their ability to implement authentic project based experiences for students.	Business Official	N/A	04/19/2 023	30000

7. This question is optional. If more action steps are needed, continue to list the action steps that correspond to Goal #2 from your answer to Question 1, above.

	Action Step	Action Step - Description	Responsible Stakeholder:	"Other" Responsible Stakeholder	Anticipa ted date of complet ion	Anticipated Cost
Action Step 5	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Respo nse)	(No Response)
Action Step 6	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Respo nse)	(No Response)
Action Step 7	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Respo nse)	(No Response)
Action Step 8	(No	(No Response)	(No	(No Response)	(No	(No Response)

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The district will review all current technology platforms and programs to assess usefulness and effectiveness in meeting other goals in this plan and of the district in general, including staff development, student performce, and parent involvement and engagement.

2. Select the NYSED goal that best aligns with this district goal.

Provide technology-enhanced, culturally- and linguistically-responsive learning environments to support improved teaching and learning

3. Target Student Population(s). Check all that apply.

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☐ Students experiencing homelessness and/or housing	☐ Students in foster care
insecurity	☐ Students in juvenile justice system settings
	□ Vulnerable populations/vulnerable students
	☐ Other (please identify in Question 3a, below)

4. Additional Target Population(s). Check all that apply.

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₹	Teachers/Teacher Aides
✓	Administrators
✓	Parents/Guardians/Families/School Community
	Technology Integration Specialists
	Other

5. How will this instructional technology goal be measured and evaluated during and after implementation? Be sure to include any tools and/or metrics that are part of this evaluation process. Examples might be formative data, local, state, and/or national LEA benchmarks, metrics from instructional software, other technology evaluation programs, etc.

A comprehensive list of current paltforms and programs will be generated, which include an assessment of effectiveness and plan for review, upgardes and replacements. Data will be collected to measure the useage of platforms listed, surveys may be conducted as well to generate feedbak form stydyents users, parents and families and staff. Additionally student performance on local and state assessments will be utilized to assess effectiveness. At a minimum ther will be no decline in student achievemnt, nd ideally an increase in proficiency levels oon the whole.

6. List the action steps that correspond to Goal #3 from your answer to Question 1, above. All cells in the table must be populated. If you have less than four action steps for this goal, you must enter N/A into columns two, three, four, five, and seven, and choose June 30, 2021 in the date column for all unneeded rows in the table.

	Action Step	Action Step - Description	Responsible Stakeholder:	"Other" Responsible Stakeholder	Anticipa ted date of complet ion	Anticipated Cost
Action Step 1	Evaluation	Conduct a comprehensive review of all current programs and platforms and	Director of Technology	N/A	06/30/2	3750

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IV. Action Plan - Goal 3

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	Action Step	Action Step - Description	Responsible Stakeholder:	"Other" Responsible Stakeholder	Anticipa ted date of complet ion	Anticipated Cost
		their effectiveness				
Action Step 2	Research	Upon completion of the review assess opportunities to adress needs or shortcomings of current platforms or programs	Director of Technology	N/A	01/01/2 024	3750
Action Step 3	Budgeting	Identify purchases needed to address the results of the review and subsequent identified neeeds	Business Official	N/A	05/01/2 024	0
Action Step 4	Purchasing	Make purchases for items identified in budgeting step	Business Official	N/A	06/26/2 025	75000

7. This question is optional. If more action steps are needed, continue to list the action steps that correspond to Goal #3 from your answer to Question 1, above.

	Action Step	Action Step - Description	Responsible Stakeholder:	"Other" Responsible Stakeholder	Anticipa ted date of complet ion	Anticipated Cost
Action Step 5	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Respo nse)	(No Response)
Action Step 6	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Respo nse)	(No Response)
Action Step 7	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Respo nse)	(No Response)
Action Step 8	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Respo nse)	(No Response)

8. Would you like to list a fourth goal?

No

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1. Explain how the district use of instructional technology will serve as a part of a comprehensive and sustained effort to support rigorous academic standards attainment and performance improvement for students.

The districts use of instructional technology will be integral in helping the district achieve it's overarching goal related to studemt achievemment and success, specifically: We will provide the necessary support and opportunities for students to be successful and the resources for faculty and staff to develop curriculum and deliver instruction that meets the unique needs of our learners. Speifically the plan will allow us to continue to provide, maintain and update needed technology hardware and software to meet both student and staff needs inclusive of in depth understanding of skills and concepts and providing multiple pathways for students to participate in learning.

Explain the strategies the district plans to implement to address the need to provide equitable learning
"everywhere, all the time" (National Technology Plan). Include both short and long-term solutions, such as device
access, internet access, human capacity, infrastructure, partnerships, etc.

The district has committed to making not only devices, but access available to all students, boith in school and at home. The plan allows for continued ongoing support by addressing updates and replacement. We have dedicated staff members to monitor and assure this is the case for all students, and in partenership wit outside agencies, particularly for those students living in transitional housing or experienceing homelessness.

3. Students with disabilities may be served through the use of instructional technology as well as assistive technology devices and services to ensure access to and participation in the general education curriculum. Describe how instruction using technology is differentiated to support the individual learning needs of students with disabilities.

In addition to the overall committment described in the prior question, each student with a disability is assigned a case manager, who would identify particaulr needs of the students on their case load, inclusive of technology needs, these individuals would then share those needs with the administration and the technology department to implement any additional instructional technology inclusive of assistive technology devices to provide the necessary differentiation and supports to students. In addition, the district currently has a 1:1 chromebook program, however, for our special education students (inclusive of nonverbal students) we have also implemented the use of ipads, given particual proprietary software availbe that best meets needs around language and communication.

- 4. How does the district utilize technology to address the needs of students with disabilities to ensure equitable access to instruction, materials, and assessments? Please check all that apply from the provided options and/or check 'Other' for options not available on the list.
 - ☐ Class lesson plans, materials, and assignment instructions are available to students and families for "anytime, anywhere" access (such as through a class website or learning management system).
 - □ Direct instruction is recorded and provided for students to access asynchronously (such as through a learning management system or private online video channel).
 - ☑ Technology is used to provide additional ways to access key content, such as providing videos or other visuals to supplement verbal or written instruction or content.
 - 🗷 Text to speech and/or speech to text software is utilized to provide increased support for comprehension of written or verbal language.
 - ☑ Assistive technology is utilized.
 - $f ext{$\square$}$ Technology is used to increase options for students to demonstrate knowledge and skill.
 - oxdot Learning games and other interactive software are used to supplement instruction.
 - ☐ Other (please identify in Question 4a, below)

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5.	Please select the professional development that will be offered to teachers of students with disabilities that will
	enable them to differentiate learning and to increase student language and content learning through the use
	of technology. Please check all that apply from the provided options and/or check 'Other' for options not available
	on the list

ゼ	Technology to support writers in the elementary classroom	☑	Using technology as a way for students with disabilities to demonstrate their knowledge and skills
☑	Technology to support writers in the secondary classroom		Multiple ways of assessing student learning through technology
⊌	Research, writing and technology in a digital world	₹	Electronic communication and collaboration
	Enhancing children's vocabulary development with technology		Promotion of model digital citizenship and responsibility
	Reading strategies through technology for students with disabilities	⊌	Integrating technology and curriculum across core content areas
	Choosing assistive technology for instructional purposes in the special education classroom		Helping students with disabilities to connect with the world
	Using technology to differentiate instruction in the special education classroom		Other (please identify in Question 5a, below)

6. How does the district utilize technology to address the needs of English Language Learners to ensure equitable access to instruction, materials, and assessments? Please check all that apply from the provided options and/or check 'Other' for options not available on the list.

☑	Class lesson plans, materials, and assignment instructions are available to students and families for "anytime, anywhere" access (such as through
	class website or learning management system).
	Direct instruction is recorded and provided for students to access asynchronously (such as through a learning management system or private
	online video channel).
☑	Technology is used to provide additional ways to access key content, such as providing videos or other visuals to supplement verbal or written
	instruction or content.
	Text to speech and/or speech to text software is utilized to provide increased support for comprehension of written or verbal language.
☑	Home language dictionaries and translation programs are provided through technology.
☑	Hardware that supports ELL student learning, such as home-language keyboards, translation pens, and/or interactive whiteboards, is utilized.
☑	Technology is used to increase options for students to demonstrate knowledge and skill, such as through the creation of a product or recording of
	an oral response.
✓	Learning games and other interactive software are used to supplement instruction.
п	Other (Please identify in Question 6a helow)

7. The district's Instructional Technology Plan addresses the needs of English Language Learners to ensure equitable access to instruction, materials, and assessments in multiple languages.

Yes

7a. If Yes, check one below:

In the 15 languages most commonly spoken in the district

7b. If 'Other' was selected in 7a, above, please explain here.

(No Response)

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8. Please select the professional development that will be offered to teachers of English Language Learners that will enable them to differentiate learning and to increase their student language development and content learning with the use of technology. Please check all that apply from the provided options and/or check 'Other' for options not available on the list.

☑ Technology to support writers in the elementary ☑ Multiple ways of assessing student learning through ☑ Electronic communication and collaboration ☑ Technology to support writers in the secondary ☑ Promotion of model digital citizenship and ☑ Research, writing and technology in a digital world responsibility ☑ Writing and technology workshop for teachers ☑ Integrating technology and curriculum across core ☑ Enhancing children's vocabulary development with content areas technology ☐ Web authoring tools ☑ Helping students connect with the world ☑ Writer's workshop in the Bilingual classroom ☑ Reading strategies for English Language Learners ☑ The interactive whiteboard and language learning ✓ Moving from learning letters to learning to read ☑ Use camera for documentation oxdot The power of technology to support language ☐ Other (please identify in Question 8a, below) acquisition ☑ Using technology to differentiate instruction in the language classroom

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9. How does the district utilize technology to address the needs of students experiencing homelessness and/or housing insecurity to ensure equitable access to instruction and learning? Please check all that apply from the provided options and/or check 'Other' for options not available on the list.

☑ McKinney-Vento information is ☑ Provide students a way to protect ☑ Conduct regular educational checkins with all students experiencing prominently located on individual and charge any devices they are school websites, as well as the provided/with/by the district. homelessness and/or housing district website. ☑ Replace devices that are damaged insecurity and secure any help ☑ If available, online/enrollment is or stolen/as needed. needed to keep up with course easily accessible, written in an ☐ Assess readiness-to-use work. understandable manner, available technology/skills/before ☑ Adjust assignments/to be in multiple languages and completed successfully disseminating devices to students accessible from a phone. experiencing homelessness and/or using/only/the/resources students ☑ Offer/phone/enrollment as an housing insecurity. have available./ alternative to/in-☑ Create individualized plans for ☑ Provide online mentoring person/enrollment. providing access to technology programs. ☑ Set enrollment forms to and internet on a case-by-case ☑ Create in-person and web-based automatically provide the basis for any student experiencing tutoring/programs/spaces/and/or McKinney-Vento liaison with homelessness and/or housing live chats/to assist with contact information for students assignments and technology/issues. insecurity. who indicate possible ☑ Have/resources/available ☐ Offer a technology/support hotline homelessness and/or housing to/get/families and students stepduring flexible hours. ☐ Make sure technology/support is insecurity by-step instructions on how to/set-☐ Create a survey to obtain up and/use/their districts Learning offered in multiple languages. information/about students' living Management System or website. ☐ Other (Please identify in Question situations./contact ☐ Class lesson plans, materials, and 9a, below) information,/access to internet and assignment instructions are devices for/all/students available to students and families in/the/enrollment processes/so the district can/communicate ☐ Direct instruction is recorded and effectively and/evaluate their provided for students to access needs. asynchronously (such as through a ☐ Create simple videos in multiple learning management system, languages, and with subtitles, that DVD,/ or private online video explain McKinney-Vento rights channel)./ and services, identify the ☑ Technology is used to provide McKinney-Vento liaison, and additional ways to access key clarify enrollment instructions. content, such as providing videos ☐ Create mobile enrollment stations or other visuals to supplement by equipping buses with laptops, verbal or written instruction or internet, and staff at peak content. enrollment periods. ☑ Provide/students/experiencing

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homelessness/and/or housing insecurity with tablets or laptops, mobile hotspots, prepaid cell phones, and other devices and

connectivity.

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☐ Other (please identify in Question 10a, below)

V. NYSED Initiatives Alignment

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10. How does the district use instructional technology to facilitate culturally responsive instruction and learning environments? Please check all that apply from the provided options and/or check 'Other' for options not available on the list.

☑	The district uses instructional technology to strengthen relationships and connections with families to assist in building a culturally responsive
	learning environment to enhance student learning.
	The district uses instructional technology to facilitate classroom projects that involve the community.
☑	The district uses instructional technology to develop and organize coherent and relevant units, lessons, and learning tasks that build upon
	students' cultural backgrounds and experiences.
☑	The district uses instructional technology to assist in varying teaching approaches to accommodate diverse learning styles and language
	proficiencies.
	The district uses instructional technology to enable students to communicate and collaborate with students in different schools or districts in New
	York State, the United States, or with different countries.
	The district uses instructional technology to facilitate collaborative classroom projects among beterogeneous student groups

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1. Staff Plan Provide the Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) count, as of plan submission date, of all staff whose primary responsibility is delivering technology integration training and support and/or technical support.

	Full-time Equivalent (FTE)
District Technology Leadership	0.05
Instructional Support	0.20
Technical Support	0.40
Totals:	0.65

2. Investment Plan Provide a three-year investment plan to support the vision and goals. All costs must be calculated for the entire three year-period, not annualized. For example, if a cost occurs annually, the estimated cost should include the annual cost times three. Provide a three-year investment plan to support the vision in Section II and goals in Section IV. A chart with drop-down choices is provided in order for NYSED to obtain consistent responses to this question. All cells in the table must be populated. If you have less than four items in your plan, you must choose N/A for columns one, two, four, five and six, and put zero in column three (estimated cost) for each unneeded row.

	Anticipated Item or Service	"Other" Anticipated Item or Service	Estimated Cost	Is Cost One-time, Annual, or Both?	Potential Funding Source	"Other" Funding Source
1	Staffing	N/A	87,500	Annual	□ BOCES Co- Ser purchase □ District Operating Budget □ District Public Bond □ E-Rate □ Grants □ Instructional Materials Aid □ Instructional Resources Aid □ Smart Schools Bond Act □ Other (please identify in next column, to the right) □ N/A	NA
2	End User Computing Devices	N/A	50,000	Both	 ☑ BOCES Co- Ser purchase ☑ District Operating Budget □ District Public Bond □ E-Rate 	NA

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	Anticipated Item or Service	"Other" Anticipated Item or Service	Estimated Cost	Is Cost One-time, Annual, or Both?	Potential Funding Source	"Other" Funding Source
	Service	Helli of Service		Allinda, of Bolin:	☑ Grants ☐ Instructional Materials Aid ☐ Instructional Resources Aid ☑ Smart Schools Bond Act ☐ Other (please identify in next column, to the right) ☐ N/A	Source
3	Instructional and Administrative Software	N/A	25,000	Annual	BOCES Co- Ser purchase District Operating Budget District Public Bond E-Rate Grants Instructional Materials Aid Instructional Resources Aid Smart Schools Bond Act Other (please identify in next column, to the right) N/A	NA
4	Professional Development	N/A	25,000	Annual	 ☑ BOCES Co- Ser purchase ☑ District Operating Budget □ District Public Bond □ E-Rate ☑ Grants □ Instructional Materials Aid □ Instructional Resources 	NA

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	Anticipated Item or Service	"Other" Anticipated Item or Service	Estimated Cost	Is Cost One-time, Annual, or Both?	Potential Funding Source	"Other" Funding Source
					Aid Smart Schools Bond Act Other (please identify in next column, to the right) N/A	
Totals:			187,500			

3. Has the school district provided for the loan of instructional computer hardware to students legally attending nonpublic schools pursuant to Education Law, section 754?

Not Applicable

4. Districts are required to post either the responses to this survey or a more comprehensive technology plan that includes all of the elements in this survey. Please provide the URL here. The URL must link to a public website where the survey or plan can be easily accessed by the community.

www.menands.org/academics

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VII. Sharing Innovative Educational Technology Programs

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1. Please choose one or more topics that reflect an innovative/educational technology program that has been implemented for at least two years at a building or district level. Use 'Other' to share a topic that is not on the list.

☑ 1:1 Device Program	☑ Engaging School Community	☑ Policy, Planning, and Leadership
☐ Active Learning	through Technology	✓ Professional Development /
Spaces/Makerspaces	☐ English Language Learner	Professional Learning
☑ Blended and/or Flipped	☐ Instruction and Learning with	☐ Special Education Instruction and
Classrooms	Technology	Learning with Technology
☐ Culturally Responsive Instruction	☐ Infrastructure	☐ Technology Support
with Technology	☐ OER and Digital Content	□ Other Topic A
☑ Data Privacy and Security	☐ Online Learning	☐ Other Topic B
☑ Digital Equity Initiatives	☐ Personalized Learning	☐ Other Topic C
□ Digital Fluency Standards		

2. Provide the name, title, and e-mail of the person to be contacted in order to obtain more information about the innovative program(s) at your district.

	Name of Contact Person	Title	Email Address	Innovative Programs	
Please complete all columns	MAUREEN LONG	Superintendent	mlong@menands.org		1:1 Device
					Program
					Active Learning
					Spaces/Makers
					paces Blended and/or
					Flipped Classrooms
					Responsive
					Instruction with
					Technology
					Data Privacy
					and Security
					Digital Equity
					Initiatives
					Digital Fluency
					Standards
				⊌	
					School
					Community
					through
					Technology
					English
					Language
					Learner
					Instruction and
					Learning with
					Technology
					Infrastructure
					OER and Digital
					Content
					Online Learning
					Personalized

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Name of Contact Person	Title	Email Address	Inno	ovative Programs
				Learning
			⊌	Policy, Planning,
				and Leadership
			⊌	Professional
				Development /
				Professional
				Learning
				Special
				Education
				Instruction and
				Learning with
				Technology
				Technology
				Support
				Other Topic A
				Other Topic B
				Other Topic C

If you want to list multiple contact points for the innovative programs above, please provide the names, titles, and
e-mail addresses of the people to be contacted to obtain more information about the innovative program(s) at your
district.

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	Name of Contact Person	Title	Email Address	Innovative Programs
				Learning with Technology Infrastructure OER and Digital Content Online Learning Personalized Learning Policy, Planning, and Leadership Professional Development / Professional Learning Special Education Instruction and Learning with Technology Technology Support Other Topic A Other Topic C
Please complete all columns	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	□ 1:1 Device Program □ Active Learning Spaces/Makers paces □ Blended and/or Flipped Classrooms □ Culturally Responsive Instruction with Technology □ Data Privacy and Security □ Digital Equity Initiatives □ Digital Fluency Standards □ Engaging School Community through Technology □ English Language Learner □ Instruction and

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	Name of Contact Person	Title	Email Address	Innovative Programs
				Learning with Technology Infrastructure OER and Digital Content Online Learning Personalized Learning Policy, Planning, and Leadership Professional Development / Professional Learning Special Education Instruction and Learning with Technology Technology Support Other Topic A Other Topic C
Please complete all columns	(No Response)	(No Response)	(No Response)	□ 1:1 Device Program □ Active Learning Spaces/Makers paces □ Blended and/or Flipped Classrooms □ Culturally Responsive Instruction with Technology □ Data Privacy and Security □ Digital Equity Initiatives □ Digital Fluency Standards □ Engaging School Community through Technology □ English Language Learner □ Instruction and

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Name of Contact Person	Title	Email Address	Innovative Programs	
				Learning with Technology Infrastructure OER and Digital Content
				Online Learning
				Personalized Learning
				Policy, Planning,
				and Leadership
				Professional
				Development /
				Professional
				Learning
				Special
				Education
				Instruction and
				Learning with
				Technology
				Technology
				Support
				Other Topic A
				Other Topic B
				Other Topic C

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