The E-Rate’s investment in Category 2 WI-Fi and internal connections funding is extremely valuable and could not be replaced by school, district or state funds. Clinton City Schools has already used some of its E-Rate Category 2 allotment for upgraded network switches and wireless access points for coverage in existing classrooms in 1:1 projects. Clinton City Schools plans to use the rest of its allotment by 2020 for “Managed Internet Broadband Service (MIBS)”, and replacement of network switches that are ending their warranty period.  We anticipate that the connectivity provided by these Category 2 items will improve our school or district’s educational experience by allowing us to have a robust network for future 1:1 initiatives and on-line testing in the future.

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