

Questions about E-Rate 23 RFP (switches and wireless)

Switches

We mentioned in the RFP that the switches will be for various campuses

Question: Can we provide a list of campuses?

Answer: The switches will be mainly at the High School and Jr. High School.

Question: how many switches per campus?

Answer: They will be divided as follows:

High School: **1** - 16-port 10G Switch, **31** – 48 ports Switches

Jr. High School: **1** - 16-port 10G Switch, **20** – 48 ports Switches

Question: Do we need any Optics (1 gig? 10 gig?)?

Answer: We currently have **10G** connections connecting all of our switches, unless the old optics won't be compatible with the new equipment the answer would be yes.

Question: If so – how many and what type?

Answer: We would need a total of **14** (13)10G SR and (1)10G LRM for the High School.

For the Jr. High School, we would need a total of **10** (8) 10G SR and (2) 10G LRM

Wireless

Question: Would we need all 201 licenses to go to one controller?

Answer: No. All we need is 84 new licenses to be installed in 1 WLC. We need a total of 201 Access points including the 4 High capacity AP.

Question: Would we need the 4 High Capacity Access Points to have External Antennas?

Answer: If the technology for the access points don't require antennas to accommodate a high load the answer is no. However, if it does require to cover the areas we need please include them in your proposal. We didn't include the part numbers in our RFP.

Question: Are all 4 Access Points to be installed in the same location?

Answer: Yes. They will be installed at our Jr. High School.

Any Questions about the RFP please refer them to ERate@laferiasd.org.

All responses will be posted with an addendum.