

## **CoSN (Consortium for School Networking) Announces New Report: Hot Technologies for K-12 Schools**

CoSN is pleased to announce a new report out of the Emerging Technologies Committee: *Hot Technologies for K-12 Schools*. Emerging Technologies committee members from the public and private sectors identified the “must-have” leading technologies that have and will continue to transform the instructional process, improve assessment and evaluation, address diverse learning styles and student needs, build community in the school environment, and improve the efficiency of school administration. We believe that this is the best available report on emerging technologies for K-12 schools.

The technologies identified in the guide include active highly portable large storage devices, datacasting, digital assessments, intelligent essay graders, intelligent pattern analysis performance projections, sound-field amplification, multisensory, customized learning tools, programmable phone systems, student information systems, learning management systems, blogs, and radio frequency identification data (RFID).

This is the third report out of the ETC. The first, *A Guide to Wireless LANs in K-12 Schools*, was released in the spring and is currently being updated. *A Guide to Handheld Computing in K-12 Schools* was released over the summer. All three reports are available for purchase for \$19.95 for CoSN members and \$24.95 for non-members at [www.cosn.org/catalog/](http://www.cosn.org/catalog/).