



## Overview

### INDUSTRY

Education, K-12

### PROFILE

The Broadalbin-Perth Central School District spans three counties in the state of New York - Fulton, Montgomery, and Saratoga. The District contains 4 schools and 300 staff members serving approximately 1,800 students.

### CHALLENGE

BPCSD was implementing a 1:1 faculty laptop initiative and needed a single interface for accessing district provided apps and resources.

### SOLUTION

In 2014, BPCSD chose ClassLink to deliver their digital resources. ClassLink offers single sign-on access to apps and files, and runs on virtually any device.



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## Faculty Now Have Instant Access to All Their Resources from Anywhere

### The Challenge

The Broadalbin-Perth Central School District was rolling out a faculty laptop program—with a twist: The laptops would not be added to the school network. That way, new devices could be deployed out of the box without any configuration.

To accomplish this, the district needed a common interface for accessing web apps and files in the cloud. The ideal solution would also support single sign-on to free teachers from the burden of entering dozens of passwords.

### Choosing ClassLink

ClassLink's web-based architecture made it an early favorite. Since faculty could access ClassLink in their web browser, the district could forego installing software on hundreds of laptops. And unlike self-hosted solutions, ClassLink wouldn't require costly investments in servers.

But what truly made ClassLink a clear winner was how it integrated with the district's network. ClassLink made each school's shared drives available on faculty laptops so they could edit files from anywhere.

### The Outcome

The Broadalbin-Perth Central School District chose ClassLink as their single sign-on solution. The ClassLink team completed setup for the entire district in less than one hour.

Now all faculty have single sign-on access to school-provided applications and network drives. Thanks to the success of ClassLink, the district is considering expanding the laptop program to students in the future.

***“ClassLink offers the desktop and single sign on options that we will need as we try to bring consistency and ease of use into the technology implementation process.”***

**Marco Zumbolo, Broadalbin-Perth Central Schools**