

COOPERATIVE PROGRAMS

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Contract Spotlight

Amazon Business for Schools

- Federally procured and compliant
- Access to millions of products at competitive prices
- No extra bidding or paperwork required—ready to use now!

UPCOMING EVENTS

- * **IASBO Foundation Gold Outing**
September 5, 2025
The Annual Foundation Golf Outing is our only active fundraiser each year, and the net proceeds go toward funding the scholarships
- * **Region 2 Meeting**
September 17, 2025
Location: School City of Mishawaka
- * **Region 1 Meeting**
September 25, 2025
Location : Lake Central School Corp
- * **Region 5 Meeting**
September 26, 2025
Location : Martino's



ESC Procurement Contracts: Saving Your District Time and Money

As a member of your Indiana Educational Service Center, you have access to a wide variety of contracts that have already been competitively bid and awarded on your behalf. These contracts are designed to give your district peace of mind by ensuring compliance with state and federal procurement regulations while also providing cost savings and efficiency. Our Cooperative Purchasing team works year-round to research, solicit, and evaluate proposals from trusted vendors. By leveraging the collective buying power of ESC members across the state, we are able to secure the best pricing, terms, and

service for your district—without requiring your staff to spend valuable time conducting the bidding process themselves.

The best part? There is no additional work or paperwork required from your district to begin using these contracts. Once awarded, they are available for your district to utilize immediately, giving you the flexibility to purchase confidently and focus on supporting students and staff.

If you would like more information on available contracts or guidance on how to take advantage of them, please reach out to our team—we're here to help!

Message from Jessica

As we navigate the upcoming changes over the next few months, please don't hesitate to reach out with any questions, comments, or concerns. My goal is to provide support and guidance to you and your school in every way possible. I am here to help make this transition smooth and successful.



Musical Instruments

Sweetwater is one of the nation’s leading providers of musical instruments, audio equipment, and technology solutions for schools. With competitive pricing, reliable customer service, and a wide selection of products, Sweetwater helps support music education programs of all sizes. Whether your district needs band instruments, classroom sound systems, or recording equipment, Sweetwater offers trusted solutions to keep your programs performing at their best.

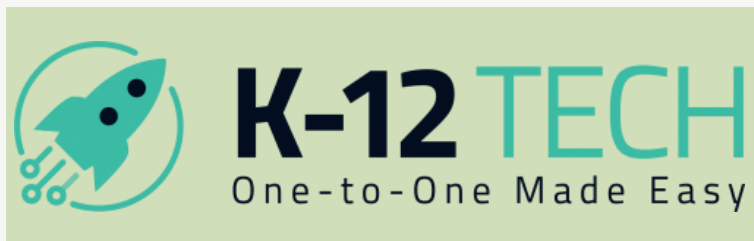


Chromebook Refresh



We partner with K-12 districts to successfully plan, implement, and maintain their 1:1 iPad, MacBook, and Chromebook programs through simple and unique solutions customized to individual district needs.

Secured Tech is there to support your school district by offering comprehensive solutions for all your 1:1 device needs. Whether you need repairs on your existing devices, accessories like cases or carts to protect them, or you are ready to retire your devices and make a new investment, Secured Tech can help.



12+ Years Learning How to Serve You Best

Our comprehensive suite of services encompasses all of the services designed to provide a seamless end-to-end solution. This holistic approach guarantees that schools can maximize the lifespan and utility of their electronic devices while aligning with their educational objectives.



How am I able to utilize contracts from my ESC?

Any contract procured by an Educational Service Center (ESC) in the State of Indiana is available for use by any school that is a member of an ESC. To take advantage of a contract, simply reach out to the representative for that vendor and let them know you are part of an Indiana ESC and wish to be placed on the contract—it’s that simple! If you need assistance with this process, please contact Jessica Wright. I will be happy to walk you through each step and ensure your district is connected to the contracts that best meet your needs.

Cooperative purchasing is the power of partnership in action: many voices, one solution.

Get In The Know!

- 📞 Reach out to your ESC – Your ESC team is always here to answer questions and provide support.
- 📰 Read the Cooperative Purchasing Newsletter – Stay up to date on contracts, savings, and new opportunities.
- ✉️ Join the Email List – Get timely updates delivered straight to your inbox.