K-12 DIGITAL EQUITY outreach month
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Join the movement today!

A nationwide effort by school districts in every state to connect with families and understand their home digital access needs.

Connecting students who lack home Internet is critical to delivering an equitable educational experience. Without connectivity for ALL students, remote/distance education will exacerbate inequity and deepen divides, particularly for the most at-risk students. Connectivity is an essential element in enabling effective distance education at-school and particularly at-home during COVID. These resources can support your work:

IDENTIFYING EQUITY GAPS

EducationSuperHighway has created a <u>Home Access Needs Assessment Playbook</u> with tools and resources to help school districts identify and address digital equity gaps.

COLLECTING DATA

Project Tomorrow's <u>E-Learning from Home Experience</u> report provides findings from its extensive Speak Up Research dataset on home connectivity and remote learning and data collection tools to help school leaders understand the readiness and impact of at-home e-learning on their students, parents, and families.

CLOSING THE HOMEWORK GAP

CoSN offers a free, robust <u>Digital Equity Toolkit</u> which includes strategies for addressing the Homework Gap. In addition the organization offers resources for <u>Smart Education Network Design</u>.

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