

Spotlight District

myON

SOUTH BERWYN SCHOOL DISTRICT LEVERAGES MYON THROUGH 1:1 IMPLEMENTATION

Illinois's South Berwyn School District has experienced incredible success reading on myON since October 2013. After a four-year transition, South Berwyn School District now proudly boasts 1:1 implementation. Every student K-8—4,000 students across six elementary schools and two middle schools—has either an iPad or a MacBook to use both in school and at home.

South Berwyn is unique not only in its 1:1 implementation, but in its demographics. The district is 78% Hispanic and 74% Low-Income. Thus, the decision to provide every student with a device was made in the effort to level the playing field for each student to succeed beyond K-12 education.

Now, with access to both devices and myON, this district is launching themselves toward undeniable success. Jeremy Majeski, Principal of Komensky Elementary School and Literacy Director for the district, looks at myON as a tool to increase the love of reading and motivation for reading.

With only 50% of students reading on grade level, one of Majeski's goals as Literacy Director is to increase independent reading time throughout the day. Using myON, this allows students to practice at their specific reading level and within their interests, thereby allowing them to feel comfortable with and engaged in reading. In turn, the possibility to provide differentiated instruction through myON allows teachers to reach every individual student to move them toward personal success.

3,847

students enrolled
in the program

32,245

hours , 50 minutes

127,984

Books read

Outcomes from the myON implementation in South Berwyn School District thus far confirm that the web-based, personalized literacy environment is helping students learn to read and read to learn.



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