



**SUCCESS STORY**

# 12,000 STUDENT DEVICES SECURED AND CHARGED

*School district's technology investment is protected and charged with Bretford charging carts*

### THE CHALLENGE

"With 9,000 new Chromebooks coming into our schools on top of the 3,000 devices we already had, managing the condition and safety of these computers became a primary concern," said Bill Klopping, Director of Technology for VESD. "We needed to evenly and effectively charge them when they weren't in use and we needed to safely and securely store them." He emphasized the importance of keeping the Chromebooks in top condition so students were motivated to use them.

### THE SOLUTION

VESD selected Bretford's Pulse M Charging Cart, a 36-unit charging cart with a power manager that concentrates on the devices that need power most. This technique provide cool-down time, extending battery life. In addition, a cable management channel guides cables to each device. The necessary power adapters are easily installed using removable plates and Velcro straps to keep all components neat and organized. Each Pulse M cart is secured to the wall and locked at the end of the school day to protect the district's investment.

"We have not had any reports of lost, stolen or damaged Chromebooks since incorporating the Bretford carts," Klopping explained.

### THE CLIENT

Victor Elementary School District

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| <b>LOCATION</b> | <b>STUDENTS</b>     |
| Victorville, CA | 12,000+             |
| <b>SCHOOLS</b>  | <b>GRADE LEVELS</b> |
| 17              | K-6                 |

### WHY BRETTFORD?

"[The carts] keep devices secure when not in use and charged and ready for our students each morning. Bretford has worked diligently with us throughout this project so that we could be successful in every way. We look forward to continuing to work with Bretford on future endeavors as our school district grows."