Goal 1 Action Plan Year 3 Priorities – 2019-2020

Goal 1:
All learning environments will foster engagement by integrating personalized learning experiences.

Specific Result:

1.2 Design innovative physical and virtual spaces that safely engage learners.

Summary Report:
The Technology Department has worked closely with Facilities and Planning to identify and design physical spaces for students and staff that incorporate technology that supports engaged learning throughout all Katy ISD schools. The learning spaces provide for flexible grouping, while encouraging collaboration among students and staff through interactive displays and Wi-Fi accessibility. Wi-Fi accessibility is also extended outside the building so online learning can be facilitated outdoors. Likewise, USB charging ports are readily available throughout school facilities, allowing for devices to be utilized as needed.

The development of new user access methods is an important component of this work. Access to digital resources through MyKaty Cloud using ID badges or QR codes are currently being tested for use among grade levels K-2. Also, a secured self-service password portal for staff, students (excluding grades K-5) and guardians was implemented this past year. All users are now able to create, change or recover their password by way of text, email or by answering security questions.