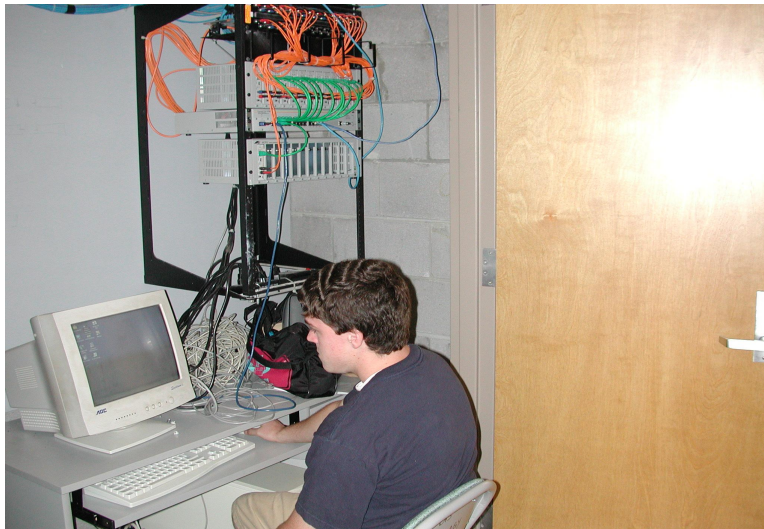


Crenshaw County Schools

E-rate funding is very valuable to the Crenshaw County School System. We have used E-rate funding to enhance the level of technology available to our students and teachers in the following ways:

- Implementing and maintaining up-to-date technology labs in each school;
- Providing Internet access to each classroom;
- Installing T1 lines;
- Hiring full-time and part-time computer technicians;
- Training student technology leaders;
- Providing phones and phone lines to each classroom.

The loss of E-rate funding would greatly affect the educational programs at our local schools. Our system could not afford to maintain all of the existing hardware/software and continue to implement new state-of-the-art technological programs without E-rate funding. It would most greatly affect the system's ability to have highly trained technicians in place to implement, maintain, and manage all of our technology programs.



Student technology leader installing network server.



Students using up-to-date technology resources in computer lab.