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## Ranzenhofer Announces \$637,540 For Churchville-Chili School District

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Smart Schools Bond Act

New York State Senator Michael H. Ranzenhofer has announced today the approval of Churchville-Chili School District's Smart School Investment Plan, including \$637,540 for classroom technology.

The funding is part of the Smart Schools Bond Act.

"Our children have unlimited potential to succeed, but only if our school districts get their fair share of state dollars," said Ranzenhofer. "This investment will turn that potential into reality by ensuring Churchville-Chili School District gets the best resources to foster student success in a global economy."

Schools can invest these funds in classroom technology, school connectivity and high-tech security upgrades to better prepare students for success in the 21st century.

"We are so grateful for the opportunity to receive funding from the Smart Schools Bond Act. These funds are providing Chromebooks for students in grades 2-12, as well as opportunities to enhance network and wireless infrastructure and place interactive flat panels in all of our classrooms. This provides equitable access and engaging learning experiences while preparing our students to become resourceful citizens in an interconnected global society," said Churchville-Chili School District Superintendent Lori Orologio.

The Smart Schools Review Board is responsible for approval of the plan. In 2014, voters approved the \$2 billion statewide school investment to finance educational technology and infrastructure.

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