

# Project Q & A

<b>Project Owner:</b>	Delton Kellogg Schools
<b>Project Name:</b>	Classroom Multimedia Systems
<b>Issue Date:</b>	October 29, 2024

## Project Questions and Answers:

*This document provides answers to questions asked by bidders who have reviewed the Technology Request for Bid for the above referenced project.*

<b>Q1</b>	In looking at the pictures that I took at the pre-bid, some of my associates had a concern about some of the materials on the ceiling and walls. Can you confirm whether the materials shown in the attached picture contain asbestos? If so, what is the proposed plan to affix conduits to the ceilings and walls where these materials are located?
<b>A1</b>	An installation in 2019 showed no asbestos in those locations.
<b>Q2</b>	Raceway at display locations, who is responsible for moving power to these locations?
<b>A2</b>	The Multimedia Contractor or a subcontractor of the Multimedia Contractor.
<b>Q3</b>	Does the district want the PC modules to be unactivated or activated?
<b>A3</b>	Unactivated for the base price. Include the option for an activated PC module and any associated licensing.
<b>Q4</b>	What brand and model are the current extenders in place for HDMI and USB?
<b>A4</b>	Crestron HD-DA2-4KZ-E - 1:2 HDMI® Distribution Amplifier w/4K60 4:4:4 & HDR Support Monoprice 4K SlimRun AV High Speed HDMI Cable 50ft - AOC 18Gbps Metal Black
<b>Q5</b>	Would a 15ft or 20ft USB & HDMI cable be acceptable at the teacher's station in place of 18ft cables; being that 18ft is not a standard size?
<b>A5</b>	15ft would be acceptable.

<b>Q6</b>	Each interactive display package includes a sturdy wall mount at no additional cost. Are Chief OB1U wall mounts required for all 28 displays designated for wall mounting?
<b>A6</b>	Reference Appendix B
<b>Q7</b>	Should items like raceways, surge protectors, and related accessories be listed as separate line items, or should they be included with the overall installation cost?
<b>A7</b>	Yes.
<b>Q8</b>	In addition to on-site training, would the school benefit from 24/5 Free LIVE Support and Unlimited Training tailored for instructors and technical personnel?
<b>A8</b>	Please reference specifications for training. If the contractor would like to propose additional training please state that in your executive summary and voluntary alternate and any associated cost.
<b>Q9</b>	Are there existing mounting points in classrooms, or will new mounting points need to be established and reinforced as part of the installation?
<b>A9</b>	Please see Specifications MULTIMEDIA SYSTEMS 27 41 16 - 41PART 3 - EXECUTION 3.01 PREPARATION
<b>Q10</b>	Will there be designated time windows for installation?
<b>A10</b>	All work will be 2nd shift after normal school hours unless noted otherwise by the Owner. 3.06 SCHEDULE, MEETINGS AND PLANS A. Schedule 1. Final Vendor Presentations: November 28, 2024 2. Contractor Chosen: Week of December 16, 2024 3. Work Commences: December 2024 4. Substantial Completion of Project: April 30, 2025 5. Project Close-out: May 15, 2025
<b>Q11</b>	What will be the required dimensions (width and length) for each raceway installed in classrooms, and will measurements vary based on room layouts?
<b>A11</b>	Measurements will vary based on teacher station location and Teaching wall.IFP mounting location. Average Ceiling Height: 11ft. Average distance from Teacher Station to Center of IFP: 15ft. Average distance from Ceiling to top of board: 4ft
<b>Q12</b>	What type of cables are required for the Lightspeed Amplifier?

<b>A12</b>	See Specifications 2.07 AUDIO SPEAKERS
<b>Q13</b>	Should the cost of allowances be added on top of the base bid? Will this affect the price competitiveness of our bid during evaluation?
<b>A13</b>	Allowance is to be included as part of the base. All proposals are to include allowance as part of the proposed Base amount.
<b>Q14</b>	For out-of-state bidders, is a bid bond accepted as bid security, or will only a certified check be allowed?
<b>A14</b>	If the bonding company is certified to do business in Michigan a bid bond can be provided.

**END OF QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS #1**