Isidore Newman School is a technology-rich environment. Used in all divisions and in every department, technology has become an integral part of the day-to-day workings of the School. Wireless internet and network access is available across campus. Laptops are now ubiquitous. Digital projection technology can be found in every classroom in each division. Most importantly, teachers, students, and staff regularly find new uses and applications for the devices at their disposal. In short, the School has taken the necessary steps in the last several years to ensure that students at all levels are exposed to the tools they will need to become 21st century learners, citizens, and leaders.

Technology plays an important role in the Newman educational experience. With unprecedented access to information via the internet, it is now easier than ever for students and teachers to access the content they need to be successful in every subject area. Most importantly, technology has the potential to transform the learning experience at its most fundamental level. It allows students to transition from simple consumers of information to producers of digital content synthesized from several different ideas and subject areas that can be shared with anyone, anywhere.

This is one of the most important skills that Newman students take with them when they graduate, a skill that they will rely on for the rest of their lives. Creativity and critical thinking, skills necessary in today’s work force, are important components of this digital production process.

Newman students are exposed to iPads as early as pre-kindergarten. Our Technology Coordinator works closely with teachers and students to support classroom instruction and differentiated learning. Students develop essential skills by sharing and working together in a variety of ways. Creating multimedia presentations, programming, and digital media integration are all a part of Newman’s technology experience. Newman’s 1-to-1 laptop program begins in the third grade and continues through twelfth grade. The School provides first-level support for all student laptops, manages service with the vendor, if necessary, installs additional software as needed for specific academic purposes, and continually updates anti-virus software.

Technology at Newman is just one of the many ways Newman continues to provide its students with excellence in education, just as it has since 1903.