# Utilizing ARPA Funds for Higher Education

With \$40B in ARPA (American Rescue Plan Act) federal funding allocated through the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund, there is no better time than now to improve your campus experience.

SCHOOLS MUST USE THEIR FUNDS WITHIN ONE YEAR FROM THE DATE THEY WERE RECEIVED.

Modernized IT powering the school experience

## **Experiences matter**

By combining touchpoints with technologies, we provide a unique, intuitive approach to delivering transformational experiences resulting in empowered students and a safe learning environment. The Meraki platform helps institutions get back to doing what they do best: connecting faculty, staff, and students. From distance learning to on-campus connectivity, we deliver a higher degree of IT performance.





# Cisco Meraki helps transform the campus experience

#### **Smart spaces**

Evolve the student experience by converting every corner of the campus into a smart space that enables learning and teaching in multiple environments.

- Secure, next-gen Wi-Fi 6 ensures a quickand-easy connection everywhere on campus
- Get complete visibility and control over the network without increasing budget or staff.
- Scale and adapt the network by quickly deploying additional hardware as needed
- Move people safely and comfortably through your space with the help of video analytics

### Safe environments

Integrate Cisco Meraki endpoint, network, and physical security to create safe environments that empower students and professors both on and off-campus.

- Keep devices protected, data encrypted, and students safe via an intuitive dashboard
- The Meraki platform provides wayfinding plus real-time and historical contact tracing
- Build safe environments free from overoccupancy or intruders with real-time monitoring
- Integrate powerful third-party applications to easily build scalable, safe environments



# ARPA funding can help you:

- Campus wireless and connectivity
- Secure distance learning
- Safe return to school
- Network, endpoint, and web security
- Identity and access control
- Research and education networking



#### Enable your best experiences today!

Cisco Meraki experts can help identify state and federal funding to support your project, review your current grant proposals, and deliver custom Meraki packages to meet your needs.

#### Get support now $\rightarrow$

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