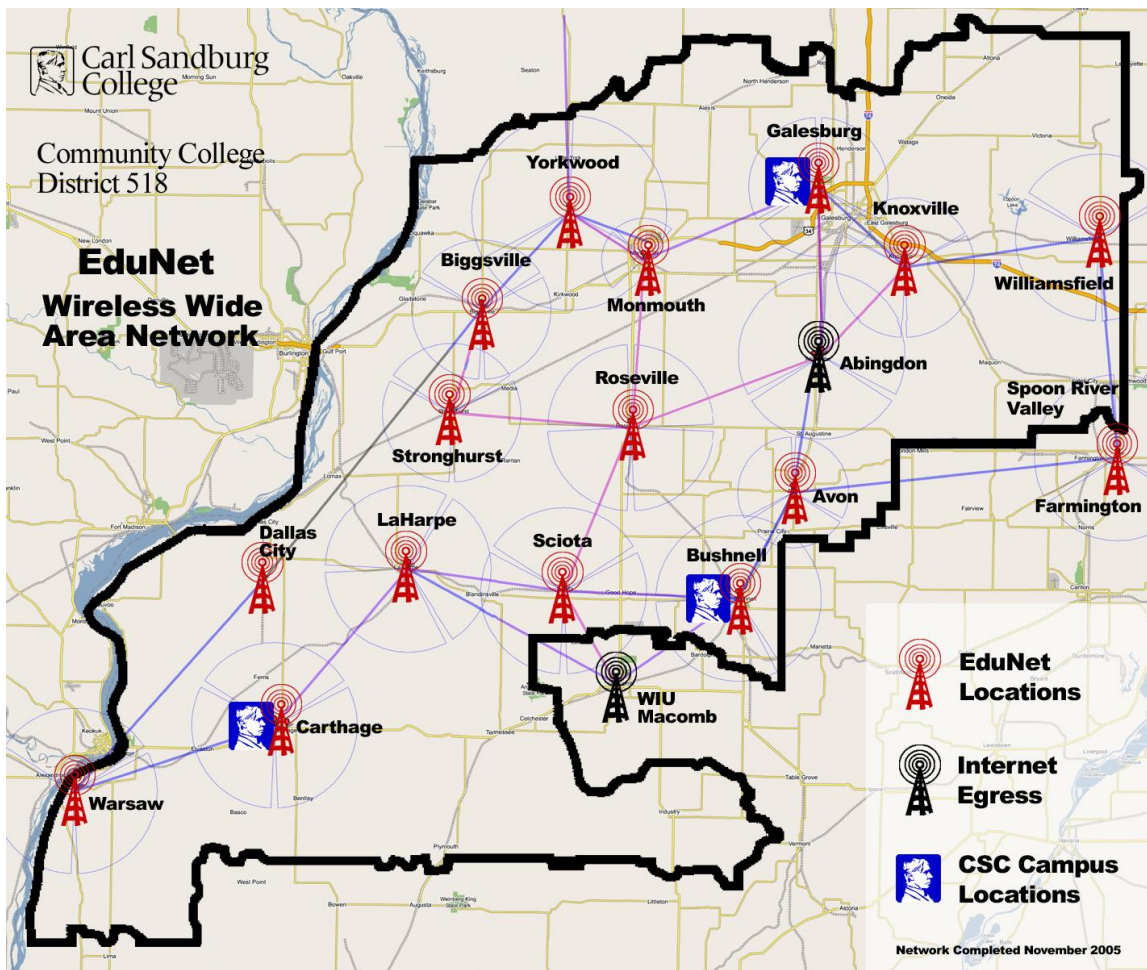




EduNet is a broadband wireless wide area communication network designed for the purpose of transmitting/receiving data, Internet, audio, and video traffic. EduNet is owned and operated by Carl Sandburg College in partnership with the twenty-one K-12 school districts within the CSC district.

The network covers the three thousand square mile Carl Sandburg College District bringing unprecedented and expanded access to rich, diverse and high quality learning opportunities to students and residents of West Central Illinois. The network was completed in Nov 2005.

For more information visit: www.cscedunet.net



Mission Statement

“To provide accessible, quality education in a caring environment by keeping the learner’s needs at the center of decision making and by working in partnership with communities of the College district”

**EduNet Highlights –
First of Its Kind in the Country!
Winner of the ICCCA Innovation Award – 2005**

DerbyTech Proposal Points of Interest

- Use of existing infrastructures – water towers, tall buildings, grain elevators, silos, etc. – reduced construction costs
- Partnership Vision – reducing operating costs
- Redundant network equipment and paths – reliability
- Rural broadband access
- Highly scalable and replicable

EduNet Services

- High speed Internet access
- IP based private distance learning
- WebCT
- Educational Cable TV – 24-hour programming

Potential Additional Services

- Voice over IP
- Data bureau
- Disaster recovery
- E-mail and web hosting
- Tech support
- The possibilities are endless!

EduNet Benefits for School Districts, Higher Education and Communities – Bringing the Teacher to the Students

- Bandwidth on demand
- Superior technology
- Video conferencing
- Workshops and seminars
- Course sharing between districts
- Dual credit classes
- Delivering higher level courses to K-12 schools and communities
- Graduate classes
- GED and other adult education classes – job training
- Reduced driving

Partners

- Fifteen K-12 School Districts have joined EduNet – for a complete list, please visit www.cscedunet.net
- Western Illinois University has joined EduNet for the delivery of junior and senior level courses, masters and doctoral programs to EduNet delivery locations
- The University of Illinois Extension Center, Knox County has joined EduNet for program delivery through Channel 22