Today’s college students head off to campus with a plethora of digital devices and sky-high expectations of connecting whenever, wherever and with whomever they choose. To recruit and retain students, and support strong academic outcomes, higher education institutions need to invest in robust infrastructure and innovative technologies that transform dorm rooms, common areas, classrooms and beyond into 24/7 learning and collaboration spaces.

### SOCIAL TIME

Over dinner in the campus dining hall, she and her roommate decide to host an impromptu movie and popcorn night, so they each text several friends the details of the plan to gather later in the common area at their dorm to stream the movie on the big high-resolution monitor there.

### BEHIND THE SCENES

State-of-the-art 802.11ac Wave 2 access points, cloud-managed network solutions and network optimization tools deliver reliable on-demand Wi-Fi access to every corner of the campus, promoting anywhere, anytime collaboration, communication and creativity.

Hyperconverged infrastructure boosts computing power, networking, storage and virtualization capacity, while Infrastructure as a Service (IaaS) helps reduce costs, stretches available resources, and supports accessibility and connectivity for the fast-expanding volume of devices and data.

Firewalls, encryption, anti-virus and anti-malware software, and enterprise mobility management all play key roles in safeguarding devices and data for students, faculty and administrators.

### TAKE A DEEPER DIVE

Take a deeper dive into technology-enabled campus learning and living spaces. Contact your account manager at 800.808.4239 or visit CDWG.com/HiEd.

### My Digital Day: Life on a Connected Campus

Follow Nicole, a college sophomore, on a typical day to see why seamless, ubiquitous connectivity is so critical.