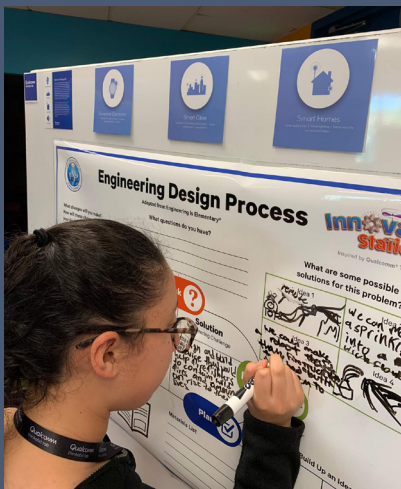# Qualcomm
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Innovation Station

Chula Vista Elementary
School District
Chula Vista, CA

6th Grade Students
17,000+ Students Served

"We want to empower [students] to not just be consumers of technology, but to be in the forefront, creating new applications of technology that can positively impact the world around them."

Michael Bruder, Instructional Services Coordinator, Innovation and Instruction Chula Vista Elementary School District

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Qualcomm, the Chula Vista Elementary School District and the City of Chula Vista teamed up to create the lively 21st century learning environment known as the Innovation Station. Located in the Chula Vista Public Library, the Innovation Station offers programs that appeal to multi-generational families and transcend language barriers to serve a diverse community near the United States-Mexico border.

The Chula Vista Elementary School District serves a high-needs population of students who don't normally have this level of access to learning in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics). Every year, the Innovation Station exposes the district's nearly 4,400 sixth-grade students to the Qualcomm® Thinkabit Lab™ program for hands-on STEM and career activities. Teachers accompany the students to support their learning.

In the Qualcomm® World of Work area, students explore their unique talents and strengths, and how they connect to potential tech careers. In the engineering space, students think critically, work collaboratively and engage in computer science, engineering, and arts and crafts to create exciting robotic projects.

After school and on weekends, the library shares the Innovation Station with the community, offering drop-in, signature maker programs and exciting coding activities that get kids buzzing.

About Thinkabit Lab

As a company of inventors, Qualcomm cares deeply about STEM. Through the Thinkabit Lab program, students can explore engineering and non-engineering careers and engage in fun and unique hands-on STEM activities. The goal is to:

- Show students from all cultural and socioeconomic backgrounds that they can be part of inventing the wireless world of the future, and
- Encourage them to embrace the opportunity to tackle global challenges and make a difference as the workforce of tomorrow.

The Thinkabit Lab program is facilitated by Qualcomm's Corporate Responsibility team, Qualcomm for Good.