

2019 Facility Master Plan Update - Departmental Plans

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Overarching Recommendations

- Equity and access - make available every program to every student (this can be accomplished through students traveling to other schools or teacher sharing)
- Student agency/student voice – determine program offerings based on student feedback
- Flexibility and adaptability – create spaces that work now and into the future
- Partnerships – expand relationships to provide curriculum and facility sharing
- Synergies – bridge programs (more cross-collaboration and fewer silos)
- Vertical alignment of programs – create consistent and early exposure from ES through HS
- Facility improvements – bring buildings up to Ed Specs

Departmental Recommendations

Athletics and Wellness

CAMPUS FACILITIES

Athletic Fields

- Construct one turf field with lights and seating on each HS campus to host sub-varsity football/soccer

Gymnasiums

- Construct two competition gyms at each HS campus to host basketball and volleyball tournaments

Wellness

- Provide one multi-purpose room/wellness center at all campuses for fitness and wellness programs for students seeking social, emotional, or physical support

CENTRAL FACILITIES

Burger Activity Center

- Baseball fields: improve spectator seating; add synthetic turf, lighting, and modernize other facilities
- Arena: expand to a multi-purpose space, including a gymnasium, professional development, athletics offices, and an auditorium if needed
- Stadium: modernize facility

House Park

- Consider three proposed options to either repair or replace

Nelson Fields

- Stadium: modernize facility
- Baseball fields: remove baseball fields and relocate program to Noack; build a new multi-purpose space, including a gymnasium and community room

Noack Sports Complex

- Fields: build a multi-purpose football/soccer and baseball field; improve spectator seating; add synthetic turf and lighting
- Complex: build fieldhouse and press box; add bus parking

Delco Arena

- Close or re-purpose for other functions as appropriate

Natatoriums

- Continue partnerships for swim facilities; re-evaluate at next major FMP Update

Special Olympics

- Upgrade centralized facilities to meet accessibility standards

Fine Arts and Creative Learning

PROGRAMS

- Expand elementary fine arts programming for earlier exposure
- Provide access to all foundational Fine Arts programs at all secondary campuses
- Provide access to all specialty Fine Arts programs through regional offerings by rotating teachers and staff

CAMPUS FACILITIES

Auditoriums at HS campuses

- Provide a variety of house (seating) capacities, regionally located and right-sized for specific types of performances and audiences
- Accommodate elementary and middle school functions at HS

Fine Arts on display

- Highlight fine arts programming through intentional building design

CENTRAL FACILITIES

Performing Arts Center

- Integrate more daily educational opportunities by reducing non-Fine Arts functions

South auditorium

- Provide an auditorium at proposed Burger multi-purpose center, if needed

Career and Technical Education and Career-Connected Learning

PROGRAMS AND POLICIES

Program distribution

- Focus MS courses to prepare for advanced HS course work (aligns with HB3, advanced CTE coursework)
- Provide access to every cluster at HS campuses based on student demand
- Concentrate endorsement level classes regionally at HS (supported by HB3, transportation reimbursements)

Policies and practices

- Align with new TEA recommended CTE group re-clustering, and addition of energy cluster
- Expand student sharing – open campuses

CENTRAL FACILITIES

Clifton School

- Renovate and expand facility
- Allow for middle school participation
- Expand Agricultural and Culinary programs
- Serve as a regional cluster focus site for all HS students

Implementation

Phase 1

- Improve:
 - HS fields
 - 4 HS campus gyms
 - 4 HS auditoriums
- Begin CTE cluster regionalization
- Construct multi-purpose center at Burger
- Increase Fine Arts availability at the PAC

Future Phases

- Fund turf maintenance
- Improve:
 - Remaining HS campus gyms
 - Remaining HS auditoriums
 - Renovate remaining central facilities
- Expand Clifton CDS
- Construct natatorium, if needed