Blazier Elementary School (4-6)



Educational Suitability and Facility Condition Assessments - 2021



Facility Summary

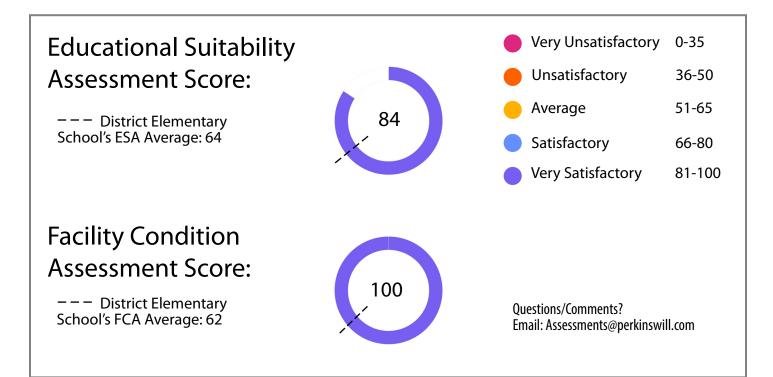
Blazier Elementary School, serving an enrollment of approximately 1,055 students, is in southeast Austin. The campus consists of two buildings: a primary school and an intermediate school. The original school opened in 2007 and a second building opened in 2020 as part of the 2017 bond program. The intermediate school was added to relieve overcrowding at the original campus and provide the first phase of a strategic plan to grow the school into a pre-K through eighth grade campus. The original school, now the primary building, supports kindergarten through third grades, and the new facility, known as the intermediate school, supports fourth through sixth grades.

Building Address: 8601/8801 Vertex Blvd Austin, TX 78744

Building Square Footage:	131,700 SF
Site Acreage:	15 Acres
Date of First Construction:	2007

Student Demographics:

Demographic	Percentage
African American	6.3%
Hispanic	75.5%
White	11.3%
American Indian	0.0%
Asian	2.7%
Pacific Islander	0.2%
Two or More Races	4.1%
Economically Disadvantaged	63.9%
English Language Learners	30.6%
Special Education	16.1%
Enrollment	1054



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The ESA evaluates how well a facility supports teaching and learning using the district's Educational Specifications as the standard. It includes items such as the exterior, general building, security, controllability of lighting, furniture, academic and administrative spaces, and technology.

The FCA evaluates the physical condition of a facility to measure what systems are broken, aging, etc. This includes items such as roofing, heating and air conditioning, plumbing, electrical, site drainage, and parking.

Both assessments incorporate data, staff interviews, facility walk-throughs, cost-estimating, and analysis.

