Joslin Elementary School



Educational Suitability and Facility Condition Assessments -2021



Facility Summary

Joslin Elementary School serves an enrollment of approximately 245 students in south Austin. The original building was constructed in 1954, with a classroom building addition in 1957 and a library addition in 1986. The campus consists of approximately 45,000 square feet of space on 5 acres. The outdoor gardens are plentiful and well-tended. The garden is designated as part of the Eco-Schools USA program and National Wildlife Federation. Joslin Elementary School has a very active parent community, and the community of parents, students and staff are viewed as family.

Building Address:

4500 Menchaca Road

Austin, TX 78745

Building Square Footage: 45,600 SF

Site Acreage: 5 Acres

Date of First Construction: 1954

Student Demographics:

Demographic	Percentage
African American	3.3%
Hispanic	58.6%
White	29.5%
American Indian	0.0%
Asian	2.5%
Pacific Islander	0.4%
Two or More Races	5.7%
Economically Disadvantaged	61.9%
English Language Learners	22.1%
Special Education	16.8%
Enrollment	244

Educational Suitability Assessment Score:

– – District ElementarySchool's ESA Average: 64



Very Unsatisfactory 0-35

Unsatisfactory 36-50

Average 51-65

Satisfactory 66-80

Very Satisfactory 81-100

Facility Condition Assessment Score:

– – District Elementary School's FCA Average: 62



Questions/Comments?

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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.

ESA Score:

DistrictElementarySchool's ESAAverage: 64



General Building

1 - Exterior2 - Outdoor Learning and Activity3 - General Building4 - Security

5 - Environmental Quality6 - Controllability of Systems

7 - Furniture, Fixtures, Equipment

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Academics

8 - Academics & Learning
9 - Visual and Performing Arts
10 - PE and Wellness
11 - Food Service
12 - Media Resources

13 - Technology

14 - Administration Spaces

FCA Score:

DistrictElementarySchool's FCAAverage: 62



Campus-wide

1 - Exterior Architecture 2 - Interior Architecture

3 - Structural

4 - Mechanical / HVAC

5 - Electrical

6 - Plumbing

7 - Site / Civil

8 - Crawlspace

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