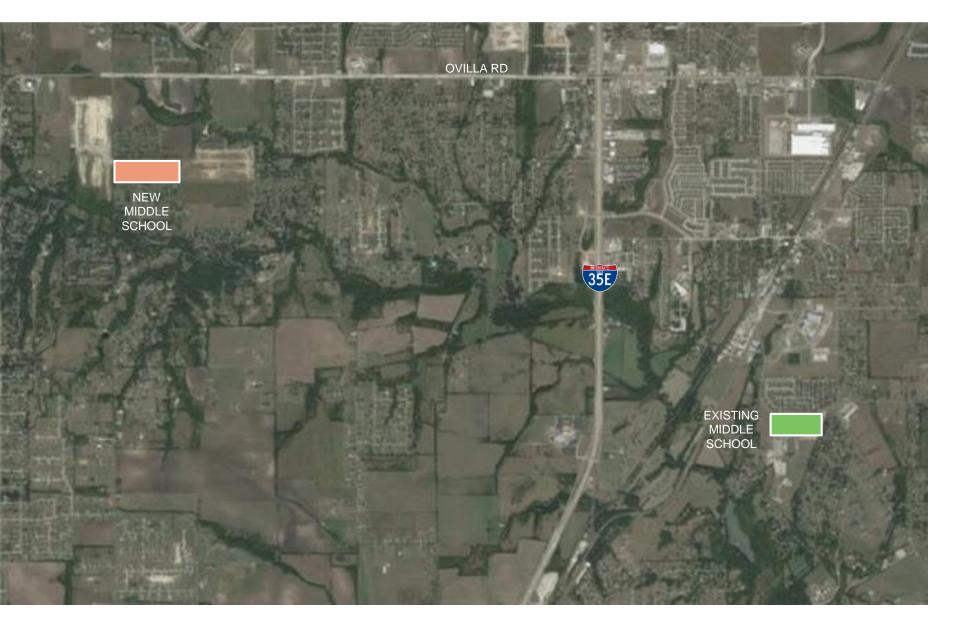


PROJECT OVERVIEW - WHY A NEW MIDDLE SCHOOL?



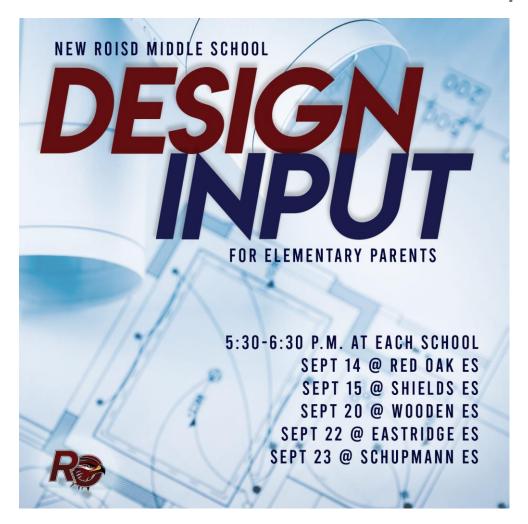
EXISTING MIDDLE SCHOOL

- Originally designed to be High School & Elementary, repurposed as Middle School
- Current Enrollment: 1,526 Students [09.13.2022]
- The New Middle School will reduce enrollment and equalize between the two facilities.

NEW MIDDLE SCHOOL

- New 1,200 Student Capacity Middle School
- New Site: 48.485 Acres

COMMUNITY INPUT COMPLETED – 9 events plus survey

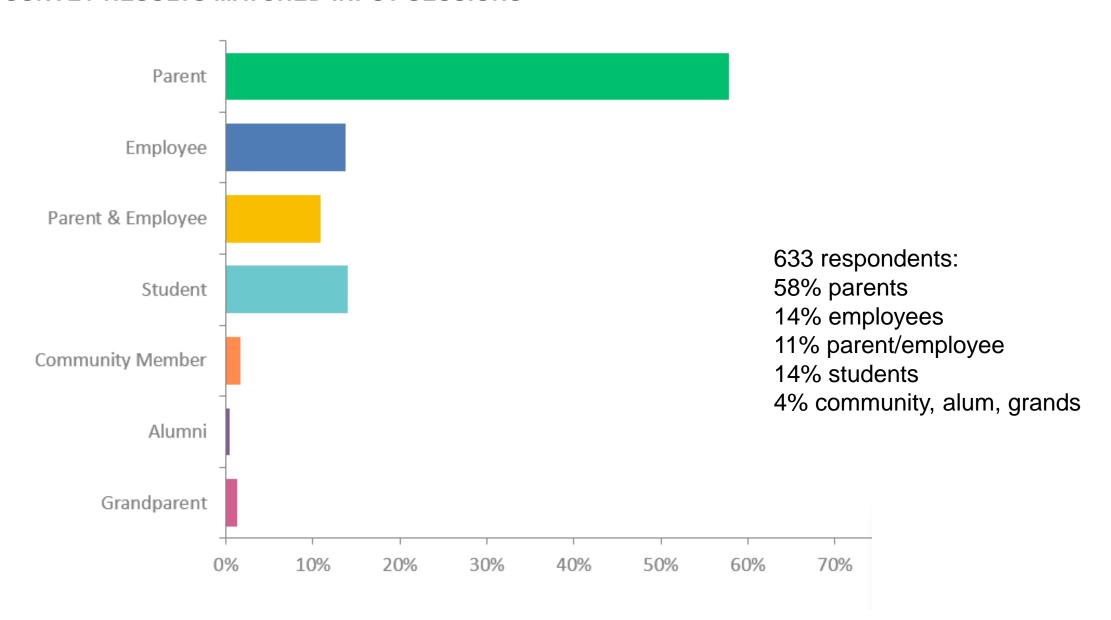




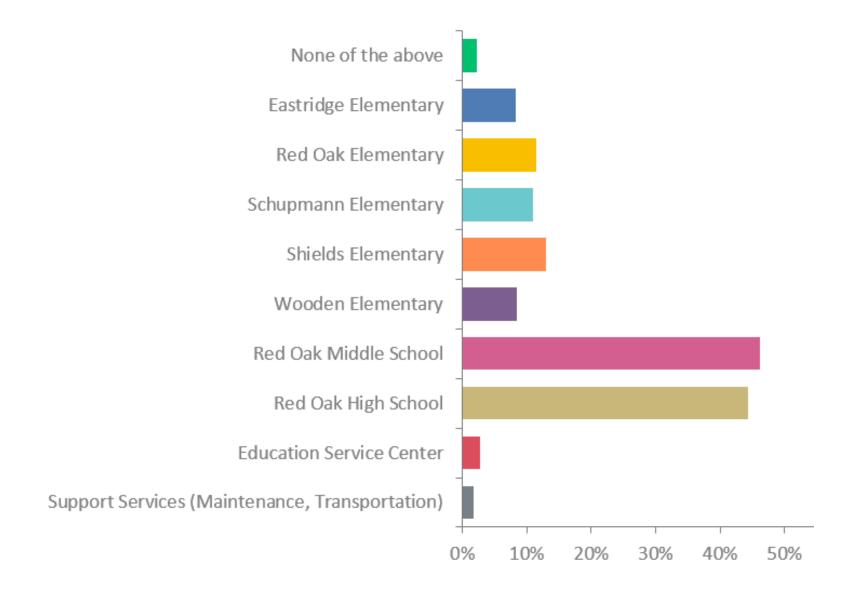
ADDITIONAL MEETINGS:

SEPT 14 – MEETING WITH SUPERINTENDENT STUDENT ADVISORY COUNCIL SEPT 26 – RED OAK ISD COMMUNITY ADVISORY COUNCIL

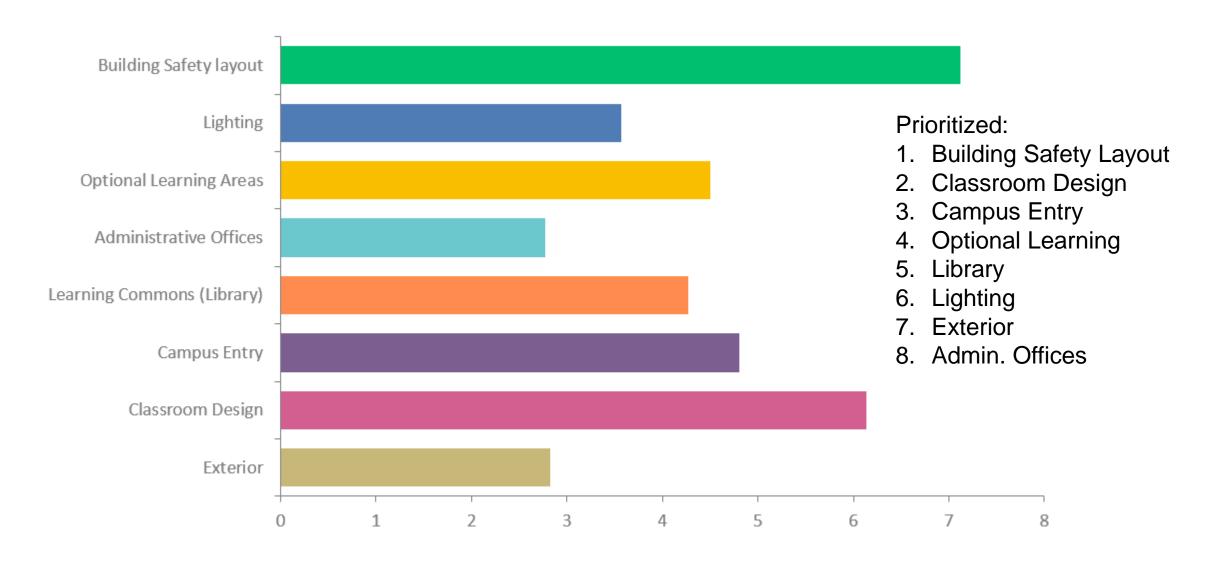
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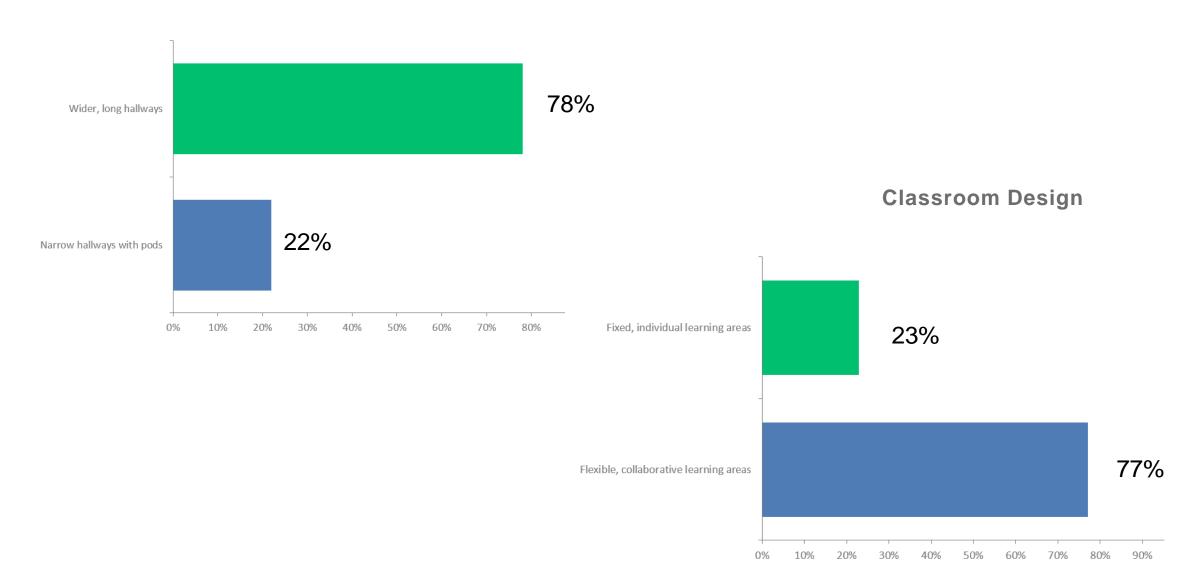
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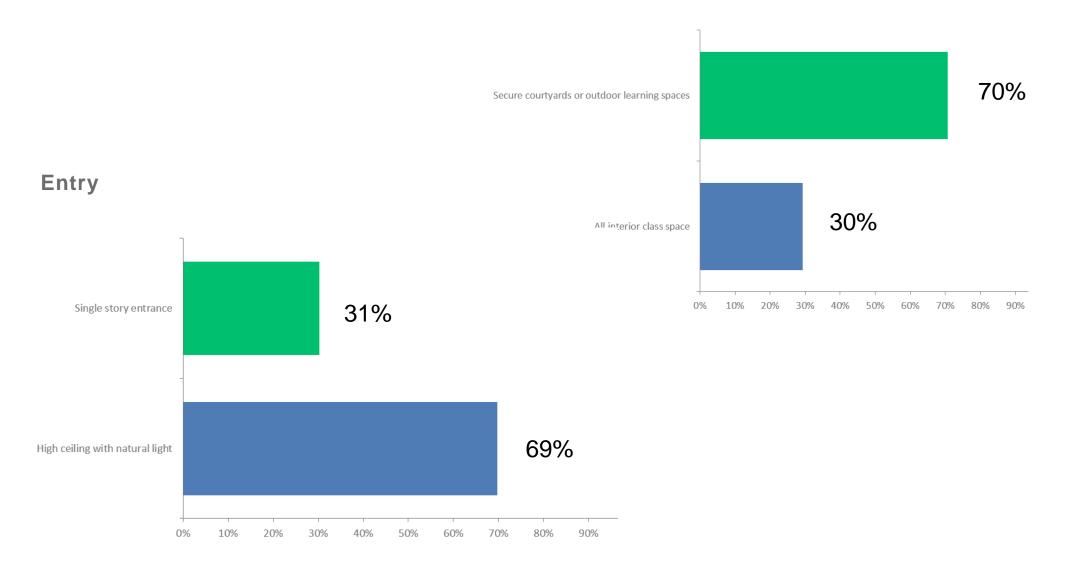
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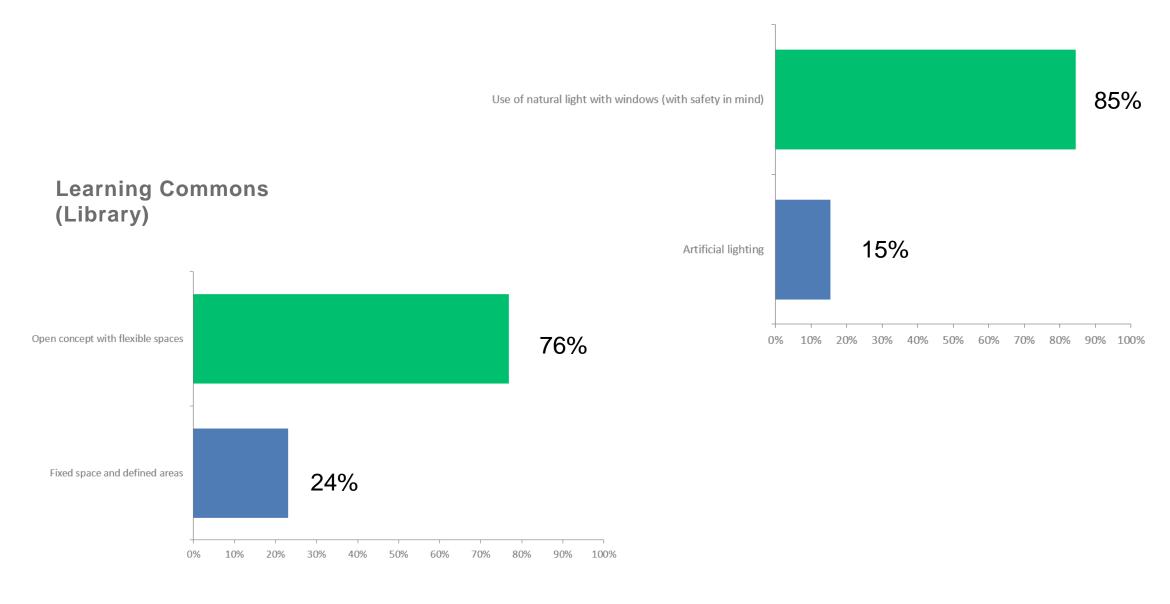
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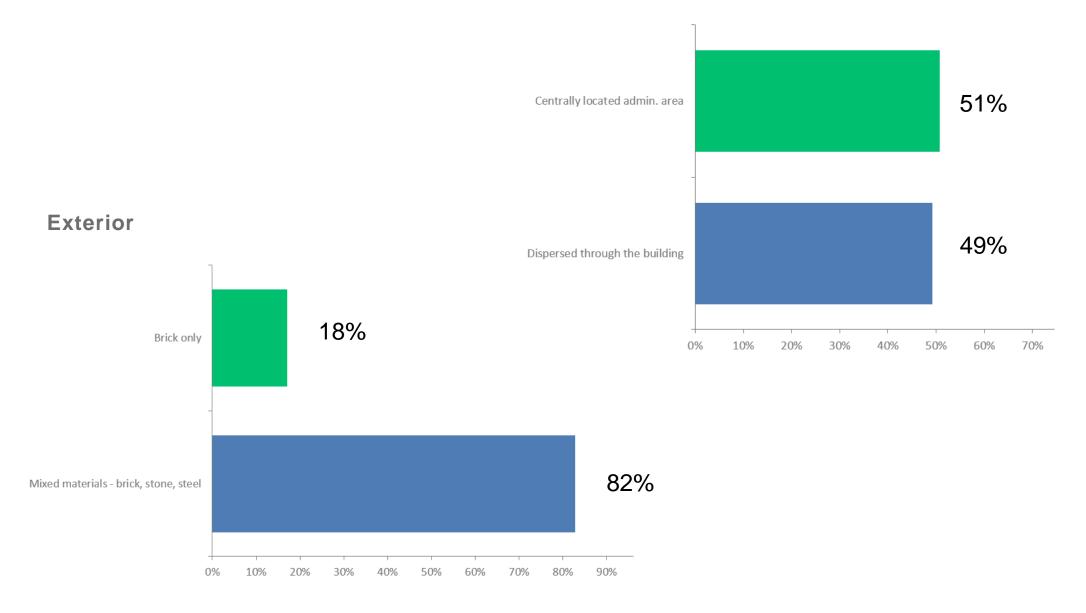
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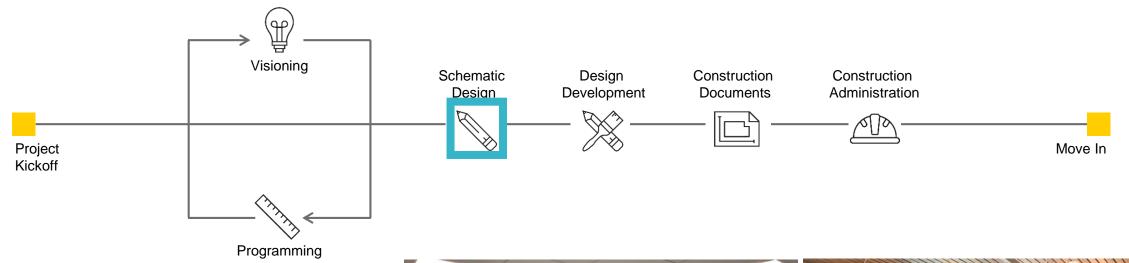
Lighting



Administration Offices



Design







SITE DESIGN

The security of the building starts with the site.

- Visitors & students will enter through a pick-up and drop-off loop from Westmoreland.
- Visitors will enter the building through a secure vestibule at the main entrance.
- Community entrances to the cafeteria, library & gyms are designed to the south of the building while classroom hallways are designed to the north of the building. This division of public and private spaces reinforces the security of the building.
- The back of the site is primarily accessed for bus drop-off and after-school athletic programs.
- Outdoor athletic facilities are designed to be secured with a perimeter fence and direct access from the building. 200+ parking spaces will be provided per City of Ovilla Ordinances.

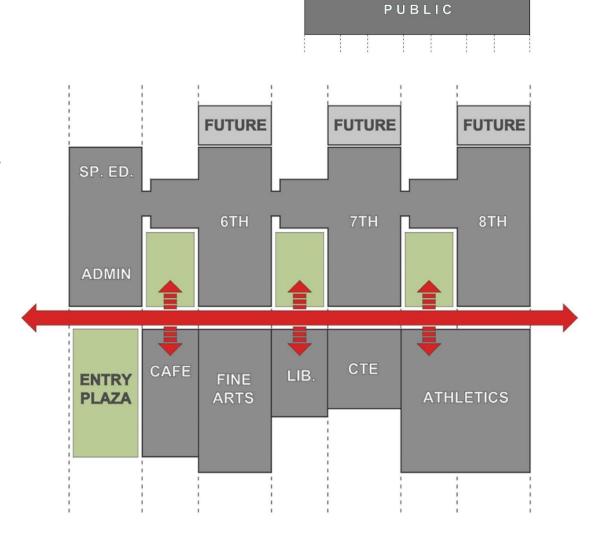




BUILDING SAFETY

COMMUNITY PRIORITY #1

- 78% of surveyors want wider, long hallways within the classroom organization to improve security.
- A wide, central hallway separates the PRIVATE classroom spaces to the north and PUBLIC community spaces to the south.
- It is organized with a main entry vestibule and administration at the beginning of this wide central hallway to increase security. This allows visitors to enter the building while keeping classrooms secure.
- Wide hallways continue into the classroom areas and classrooms are organized to have natural light from three secure courtyards.



PRIVATE

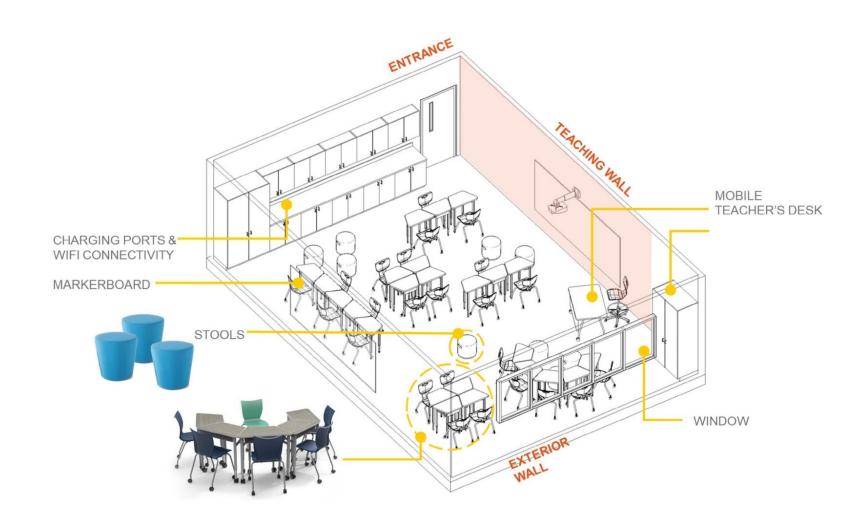
78% PREFER WIDER, LONG HALLS FOR LINE OF SIGHT

77% PREFER FLEXIBLE, COLLABORATIVE, LEARNING AREAS

CLASSROOM

COMMUNITY PRIORITY #2

- 77% of surveyors want classrooms to be flexible, collaborative learning areas.
- Flexible furniture allows teachers the ability to layout their classrooms to fit the curriculum and gives students the opportunity to change their environment throughout the day.
- Each classroom would also have a primary teaching wall along with plenty of storage for supplies.
- An exterior window provides natural light to every classroom.



MAIN ENTRY

COMMUNITY PRIORITY #3

69%

OF COMMUNITY SURVEYED
PREFER HIGH CEILINGS
& NATURAL LIGHT AT
THE MAIN ENTRY



Design concepts include three themes:

Inviting – Provide a clear front door and welcoming plaza.

Secure – Base of solid material. Entry is designed to maximize visibility & monitoring. **Red Oak Style** – Use of traditional materials with a contemporary expression.

Three concepts were developed. The following design was selected because it reflects the Red Oak community and is the best use of tax dollars.









DESIGN UPDATE

EXTERIOR MATERIALS

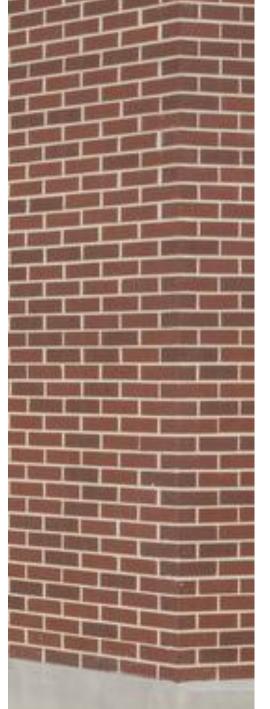
- RED BRICK
- STONE
- WOOD LOOK FINISHES
- BLACK METAL TRIMS& STRUCTURE

82%

OF COMMUNITY SURVEYED
PREFER BRICK &
STONE MATERIALS









OUTDOOR LEARNING

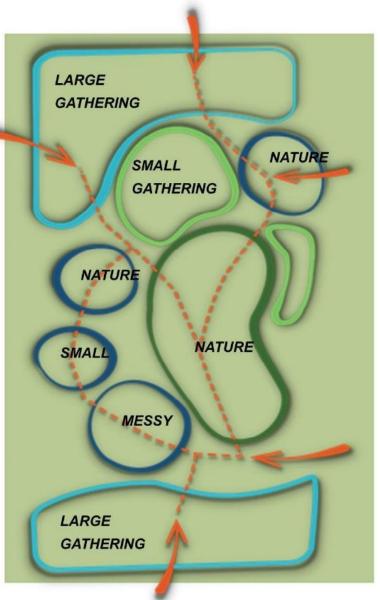
COMMUNITY PRIORITY #4

- The building design provides a unique opportunity to have three enclosed courtyards that can be used for outdoor learning opportunities.
- Space allows for natural light to interior classrooms.
- Provides for restorative learning by providing students with views to nature as it helps improve focus and reduces stress.

70%

OF COMMUNITY SURVEYED
PREFER SECURE OUTDOOR
LEARNING SPACES





Outdoor Learning – Courtyard Program / Zones

Zones:

1 Outdoor Classroom/Hand-on Learning Spaces 2 Individual/ Small Group Reflection Spaces 3 Engagement with Nature 4 Spaces for Reflection

ZONE 1



Gathering spaces for larger groups and outdoor activities. Sheltered but open to nature. More than just classroom outdoors



ZONE 3



Nature-focused, accessible learning spaces for independent and guided exploration. Geared for hands-on learning and observation

ZONE 2







Gathering spaces for smaller groups or individuals. Reflective, relaxed, informal, and nestled in the landscape

ZONE 4



More open space for recreation, can incorporate vegetation for sound/visual buffering and for ecosystem services



LEARNING COMMONS

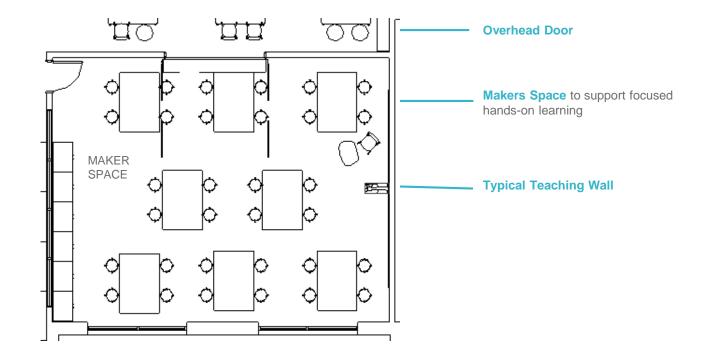
76%

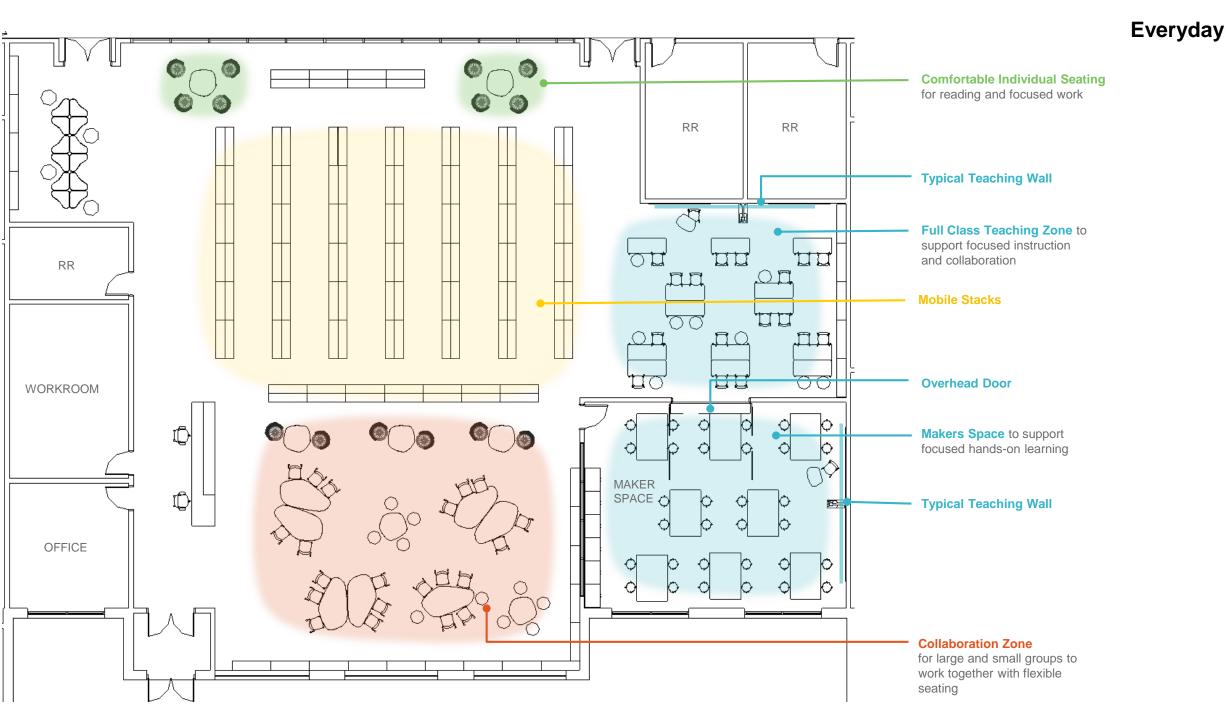
OF COMMUNITY SURVEYED PREFER OPEN / FLEXIBLE LEARNING IN THE LIBRARY

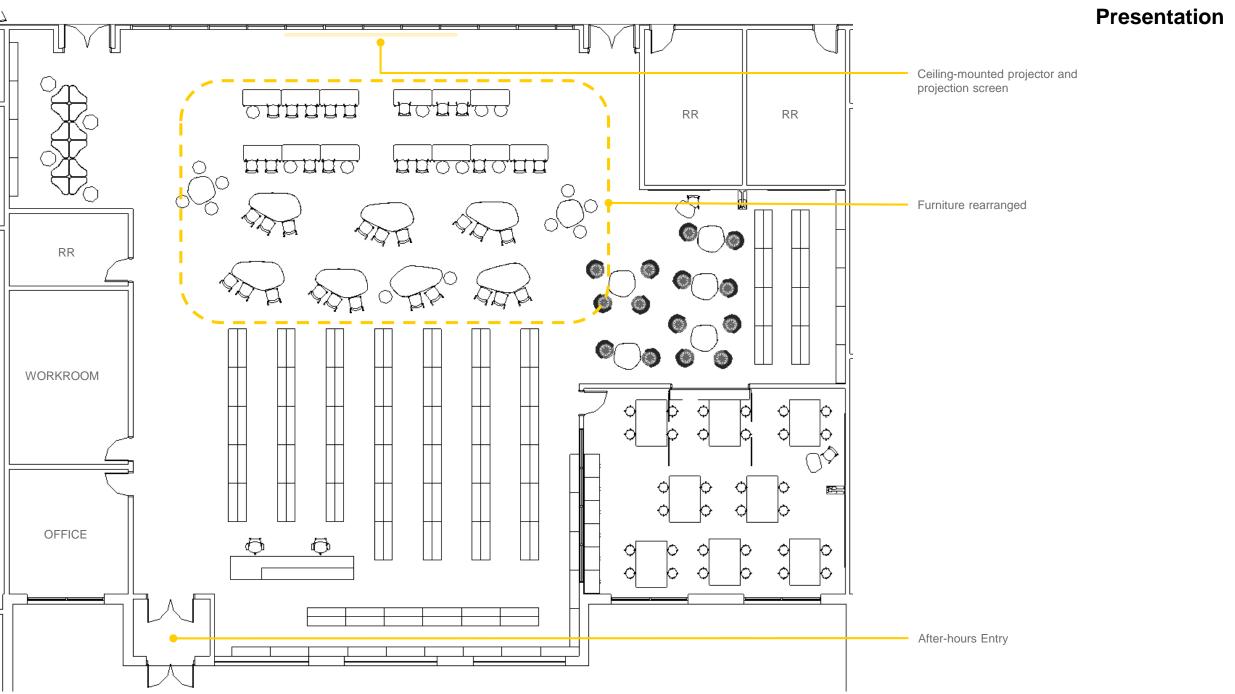
COMMUNITY PRIORITY #5

Learning Commons include:

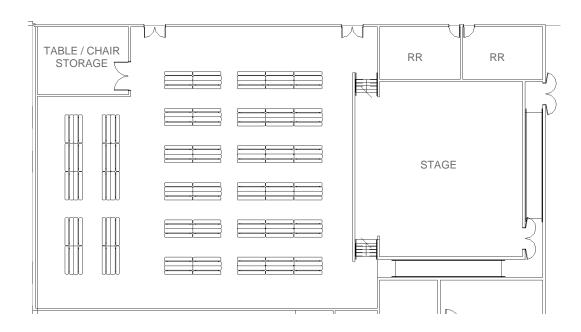
- Collaborative spaces for large and small groups;
- Individual and project work areas;
- An available Maker Space which can be used in conjunction or separate; and
- Area also available for community events.





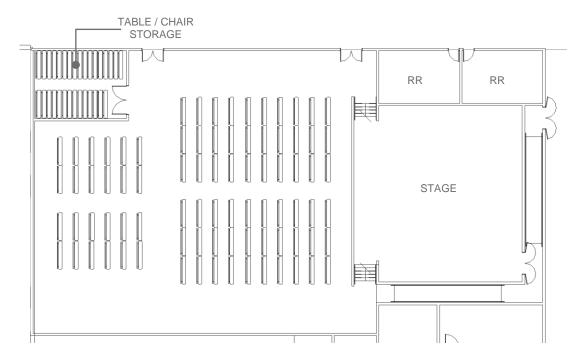


Everyday Cafeteria





Performance Cafeteria









NEXT STEPS

Meet with Programming Groups

Review plan development

Core Curriculum Specialized Science

Learning

Career Tech Ed Fine Arts Athletics

Administration Security Library

Technology Mechanical Systems



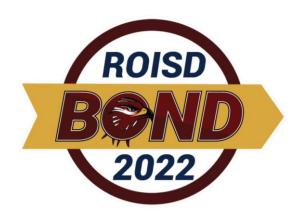
NEXT STEPS

EARLY VOTING - October 24 - November 4 (times vary)

The Cowboy Church of Ellis County (Ranch House)
Red Oak Municipal Center (Evelyn Pitts Room)

ELECTION DAY - Tuesday, November 8, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Red Oak Municipal Center (Evelyn Pitts Room) Eastridge Baptist Church (Gym)



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