

Dear Parents, Caregivers, and Staff,

We hope your summer is going well. As we hit the mid-point of the summer, we want to share a few updates with you.

CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

I'm sure top of mind for our families with students on the secondary campus is the status of the construction/renovation project. First and foremost, as of today, the project phase scheduled for completion this summer is on schedule. If anything changes that would impact our scheduled first day of school for students, August 23, 2023, a message will be sent to inform you.



CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS UPDATE

Immediately following our June 5, 2023 groundbreaking ceremony, contractors got to work and have been moving quickly. This summer's project phase primarily focuses on the middle of our high school building. New hallways, additional classrooms, and a new library are being constructed in this area. This project phase is scheduled to be completed before the start of school. Three temporary classrooms have been constructed in the Dr. Tom Ralston Learning Lab to provide additional classroom space during the project. In addition to this work, demolition and construction have begun for the new MS/HS main entrance and the middle school addition.



GROUNDBREAKING CEREMONY JUNE 5, 2023

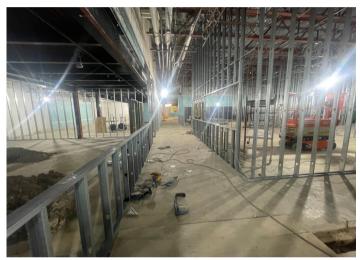
Enjoy the photos included in this update of the progress made thus far.



Old Library



New Classrooms Constructed in Old Library Area



New Hallway Through the Old Library Area



Temporary Classrooms Constructed In the Dr. Ralston Learning Lab



Lockers Removed to Widen Hallways

Preparation for the New MS/HS Entrance and Athletic Office



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CAMPUS ACCESS

Emails have been sent this summer to inform everyone that the secondary campus is closed to pedestrian traffic (walkers, runners, bicycles). This restriction will remain in place during the school year. We ask that those coming to campus for authorized events park in the new parking lot and follow the signs to enter the building safely. Your cooperation is appreciated.



SAFETY

Concerning safety for the return to school, strict times will be in place for construction deliveries to avoid arrival and dismissal times. Areas are fenced off on the outside of the building where construction will be occurring. Inside the building, areas where construction activities are occurring will be blocked off, and safety corridors will be provided to route students/staff safely past renovation and construction areas.



The secondary building isn't the only construction occurring this summer. We are currently constructing a new website, which we plan to roll out before the start of school. The new website host was selected to meet the needs identified by parents and will make accessing important information more intuitive.

SCHEDULES & CLASSROOM ASSIGNMENTS

On August 2nd, Alma will open for schedules and classroom assignments to be accessed. Our building principals will send more information and updates within the next two weeks. We hope you continue to enjoy a safe and enjoyable summer!

Take care, Jeffrey M. Hadley, Ed.D. Superintendent