

Addressing overcrowded schools, community growth and student needs.

Early Learning

A \$1.7 Million Investment in Early Learning Programs and Services

Over the next 10 years, more than 3,500 potential new K-12 students are expected to move into the district. Current projections show that 15 schools will be over capacity and we will have a deficit of nearly 2,500 K-12 seats for students by 2031 if we do nothing.

If Approved by Voters:

- Continue early learning services and programs at Liberty Ridge Site II
- Convert Newport Elementary School into a complete early learning center to expand programs and services in:
 - ° Early Childhood Family Education for children and families
 - ° Preschool and Pre-K programming

- Early childhood screenings, which are required before students enter kindergarten
- Early Childhood Special Education
- Assessments, evaluations, intervention visits and intake meetings for approximately 900 students (birth to 5)

Vote June 24 to Aug. 9

The 10-year facility plan includes expanding early learning services and programs for our youngest learners from birth to five.

Vote Early in Person

Washington County

Early in-person voting is Friday, June 24 and ends Monday, Aug. 8 and is also available from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 6. Regular polling locations are open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 9. Find your regular polling location or request a mail-in ballot at mnvotes.org



If the Bond is Not Approved by Voters:

The current 10-year facility plan will be modified, but not dismantled, in order to address growth where it is occurring. With some schools overcapacity, **there will likely be extensive boundary changes prior to 2025 along with other considerations.** View the 10-Year Facility Plan for Your School or Program



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