

New Wixom Elementary

Why Wixom and Why Now?

The decision to pursue the construction of a new school reflects a proactive approach to provide a better learning environment for future generations of WLCSD students.

Four years ago we did not know we would have an opportunity to build a new school on a more appropriate site, but now we have the opportunity and it is still 2-3 years off before it is opened. Our past investment in the current Wixom Elementary building was necessary to provide an equitable experience for Wixom students compared to their fellow students at the other 11 elementaries. From 2020 to the fall of 2027 when the new building would open, an entire generation of Wixom students will have been in the current facility. Additionally, technology and furniture could be utilized in the new school once it's completed.

Wixom Elementary, with its location on one of the busiest school site thoroughfares, along with its age, creates many challenging traffic, safety, and infrastructure issues and complaints. Building a new school on a different site is a benefit to the students, staff, neighbors, and community. The district will continue to study potential uses for the current Wixom Elementary building.



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What takes place before construction starts?

Extensive due diligence will be conducted to assess various factors such as site suitability, regulatory requirements, and community needs. Internally, Wixom administrative leaders, teachers, other staff, and students will be involved in planning the most appropriate and innovative learning spaces. There will be collaboration with the City of Wixom as we develop the site and building details.

Surveys, traffic studies, site assessment, stormwater design, and other studies will take place before any construction, and the entire project will be designed following the School Construction Code. The project will be carefully planned after all of this front-end investigation is completed. Traffic upgrades will likely kick off the on-site work.

**Wixom Elementary
was built in the 1940s**

Tax Impact .08 **millage decrease**



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