



# STRONG SCHOOLS STRONG COMMUNITY

Investing in our Students & the Future

**Safety**  
**Academics**  
**Athletics**  
**The Arts**

OWASSO PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
**VOTE SEPTEMBER 9**



## Annual Needs, Including Safety

The plan addresses ongoing facility improvements, technology and instructional needs across the district, along with critical safety upgrades.

## Full-Day Pre-K & Elementary Art

The district can create room for full-day pre-kindergarten, a component of the community-developed strategic plan, by reconfiguring the elementary schools from PK-5th grade to PK-4th grade. (Research shows full-day programs promote school readiness, social development and strong academic outcomes for young learners.) The plan includes new pre-kindergarten playground equipment, furniture and instructional materials. The change will also provide enough space to add art at the elementary level.

## High School Improvements

OHS will receive numerous upgrades including an exterior facade update, roofing and chiller lines, new flooring and a fence for the agriculture education program.

## 5th Grade Elementary Center with a Tornado-Safe Structure

A 5th Grade Elementary Center will be constructed next to the 6th Grade Center. Students will experience a supportive elementary environment as they begin their transition to the secondary level.

## Additions at the 6th, 7th & 8th Grade Centers

Additions will accommodate growth at the sites. The plan provides classrooms, science labs and fine arts rooms for the 8th Grade Center and classrooms, special education rooms and a cafeteria expansion, including a tornado-safe structure, for the 7th Grade Center. The 6th Grade Center will receive a cafeteria expansion, including a tornado-safe structure.

## Investment in the Arts

The fine arts instructional addition on the OHS West Campus will provide classrooms and a small-performance space for growing programs. It also includes uniforms, instruments, music, arts curriculum, storage and more.

## Investment in Athletics

The multi-use athletic facility will be used by the soccer teams, PE classes and other school/community programs. It will also feature a walking track for the public to enjoy. Other items include equipment and uniforms for 50 teams, turf replacements and tennis court upgrades.

Improvements for students across the district - **without a tax increase**

This plan extends the current tax rate.  
Please visit [owassops.org](http://owassops.org) for more information.

## Impacts for All Owasso Ram Students ...

### Safety

Automatic External Defibrillators (AEDs), security cameras, door access/security control, fire panel replacements, handheld radios, improved intercoms, security glass film, elevator upgrades, exterior emergency notification systems, tornado shelters (5th Grade Elementary Center, 6th Grade Center & 7th Grade Center) and more.

### Learning

Textbook adoptions, instructional software for math, reading and coding, adaptive technology for students with special needs, new library books and more.

### Technology

Student Chromebooks, teacher computers, updated computer labs, network upgrades, security improvements, upgraded phone systems, software upgrades and more.

### Operations

Roof repairs, parking lot repairs/replacements, HVAC repairs/replacements, painting, flooring, LED light conversions, gym floors, furniture, fixtures, fleet vehicles, child nutrition equipment and kitchen remodels and more.

## Activities, Including the Arts, Ag & Athletics

**The Arts** - Marching band percussion instruments, concert band instruments, music, new uniforms (marching band, concert band and choir), risers, platforms, custom puppets for theatre, AV improvements including microphone and lighting upgrades, digital art supplies, arts curriculum, performing arts instructional addition, video streaming upgrade for the Performing Arts Center, art room storage/renovations and more.

**Athletics** - New athletic uniforms and equipment for 50 teams, technology, multi-use athletic facility, turf replacements, tennis court upgrades and more.

**Also** - Agriculture education vehicles and ESports computers, headsets and consoles.