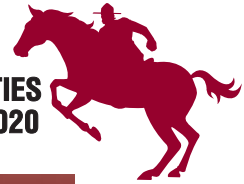




RESHAPING OPPORTUNITIES
FOR **SUCCESS** 2015-2020



As part of the district's Reshaping Opportunities for Success Project (2015-2020), Forest Lake Area High School, built in 1972, will receive many upgrades and repairs over the next few years. They include the following:

IMPROVEMENTS FOR BETTER LEARNING

- Science department renovations and additions to create modern labs and to enhance learning opportunities
- Classroom additions to accommodate 9th grade students within the building
- Interior renovations to instructional areas to enhance instructional opportunities.

UPGRADES TO SAFETY & SECURITY

- Reconstruction of the front entrance of building and installation of access control systems to improve the safety and security of students and staff
- Replacement of existing moveable partition walls within the building with permanent walls to improve acoustics and to provide additional electrical and technology capabilities.

REPAIRS AND DEFERRED MAINTENANCE PROJECTS

- Heating, ventilation, and air conditioning (HVAC) improvements throughout building to meet current standards, improve student comfort and increase energy efficiencies
- Replacement of existing aged roofs in several areas of the building to safeguard our building from water infiltration
- Replacement of existing exterior window systems and select exterior door systems to weather-proof the building and ensure a water-tight building envelope.



THE DISTRICT'S "7 - 12 CAMPUS" PLAN FOR SECONDARY LEVEL STUDENTS

Due to passage of the November 2015 school bond, the district will undergo a major reconfiguration of its high school and junior high programs. Starting in the fall of 2018, all Forest Lake Area Schools students in grades 7 - 8 will attend the same junior high school, which will be located at the site currently known as Century Junior High. All 9th grade students will attend class at Forest Lake Area High School, which will be expanded to accommodate the additional students. The following school year, all Area Learning Center (ALC) students will attend class at the building currently known as Southwest Junior High School.

These important changes will provide newer and better opportunities for the junior high and senior high students of our district. It will also allow our 9th graders to have full access to all of the excellent options and opportunities that our district provides for our high school students, including Advanced Placement classes and other high school-level elective classes.

Additionally, these changes will allow all of our students in grades 7 - 12 to be located on one, comprehensive Secondary Campus - as Forest Lake Area High School and Century Junior High are located directly across the street from each other. Overall, the changes to our secondary buildings will include:

- A single, cohesive junior high school that can offer equal opportunities for 7th and 8th graders, focusing on the needs of those students
- A better, safer junior high school with an up-to-date security system
- Improved facilities at the junior high school for curriculum, arts and athletics
- Enhanced safety and security at the high school
- Upgraded science classrooms at the high school
- Better, updated facilities for other classes and curriculum at the high school.



To learn more about the Reshaping Opportunities for Success Project (2015-2020), go to www.flaschools.org.