

VISIONING TEAM UPDATE

VERONA AREA HIGH SCHOOL

08/24/2017



VISIONING SESSION #5 SUMMARY

At the fifth and final Visioning Design Team meeting we reviewed progress for the new high school design, floor and site plans. We discussed a few significant changes which have occurred since our previous visioning session, to include the location for CATE programming, the loading dock and serving areas, and the Fieldhouse - which is now on a lower level to take advantage of the natural slope of the land.

The team had an in-depth discussion about the potential opportunity and district desire to create a large group instructional space which could be used as an auxiliary performance and practice venue. As important, this space could accommodate frequent all-staff meetings, professional development, and support student instruction, collaboration, and extra-curricular clubs and activities.

Although the new school will be designed for 2200 students when it opens in summer 2020, the District projects growth to 2500 students in the future. To address this, EUA presented the proposed location for a future addition. This is planned for the second and third floors above the fieldhouse lobby and will provide space for the additional 300 students as growth demands. The addition would include academic and support spaces.

We discussed restrooms and creating spaces for gender non-conforming students to feel safe and comfortable. EUA will continue to work with both the District and WI Code Officials to develop a solution that best serves the needs of all students.

EUA presented the exterior concept of the new building including several 3D views for feedback from the group. The concept explores ideas of culture, geography, horizon, and experience.

STAFF INPUT

Meetings with a broad group of high school staff and department leadership have begun. Staff review of preliminary design and floorplans will provide additional input and integration of ideas prior to finalizing Schematic Designs.

We value all staff input and encourage you to review each of the Visioning Team Updates. Please share your questions and feedback with the VISIONING DESIGN TEAM.

QUESTIONS? Contact the **VISIONING DESIGN TEAM** or Kelly Kloepping @ kloepik@verona.k12.wi.us

NEXT STEPS

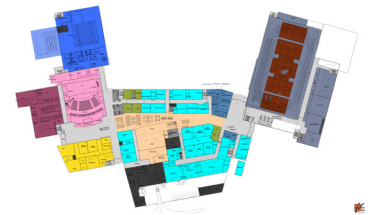
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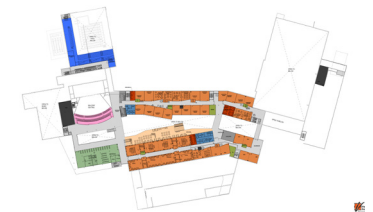
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New Verona Area High School*

Level 1



Level 2



Level 3



*preliminary design

