

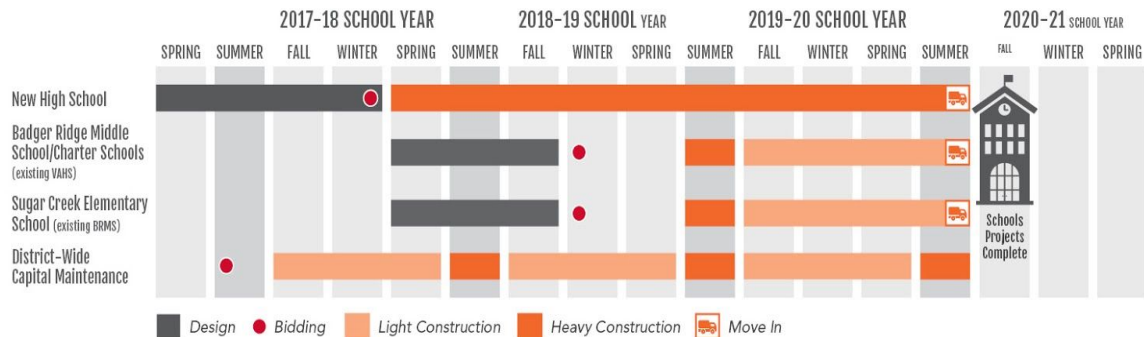
From Building...to Renovations!

As the Verona Area School District is well underway with the building of the new High School, we are also nearing the end of the design stage of the renovations planned for the existing high school, the high school K-wing, and Badger Ridge Middle School. The new building and all renovations/remodeling will be completed by the opening of school in the Fall of 2020.

To summarize what the referendum is addressing, the Building for 2020 campaign includes the 'lift and shift' of six schools:

- Current high school to the new high school site
- Badger Ridge Middle School and Core Knowledge Charter School will move into the current High School main building
- New Century Charter School and Verona Area International School will move into the K-wing of the High School
- Sugar Creek Elementary will move into the current Badger Ridge Middle School
- Current Sugar Creek Elementary and New Century Charter School buildings will close

According to our construction timeline below, we are on schedule with all projects:



Below are details on renovations. Note this does NOT include all the capital maintenance portion of the referendum, but rather only renovation and maintenance details for the sites shared below. Districtwide capital maintenance projects have been ongoing and will continue through Fall of 2020.

Summer 2019:

Badger Ridge Middle School:

- A majority of the school will be closed for the 2019 summer as HVAC work in hallways and mechanical spaces will make the school unavailable for use. Select portions of the school will be open the 2nd half of the summer for events.
- Restrooms are being renovated to be age-appropriate
- Additional work will occur in the summer of 2020, but the building will be kept open

Summer 2020:

Badger Ridge Middle School:

- Select classrooms will be remodeled to serve as kindergarten classrooms complete with classroom sinks and toilets

- Renovations to other classrooms will be done to create art rooms, music rooms, makerspace, large-group instruction space, and community spaces to support outreach

High school K-wing (this is a separate high school building located to the East of the main high school and Natatorium building):

- The entire building will be redone and completely off-limits for renovations including age-appropriate classroom modifications and accessibility
- Constructing a secure entrance and relocating the District Registration Office will occur
- Restrooms will be renovated
- Storage for student items will be made age-appropriate
- Classroom sinks will be added to Kindergarten classrooms and other appropriate rooms
- Major mechanical work will be done throughout the building

Current Main High School Building:

- Constructing a secure entry in a new location will take place (since Badger Ridge and Core Knowledge are both moving into the current main high school building)
- Select classrooms will be renovated for kindergarten use which will include sinks and toilets
- Select areas will be renovated to create a new elementary library and cafeteria, as well as new elementary and middle school makerspaces

Stay tuned as more information becomes available and until then, [click here to see the most recent executive summary](#) with photos of the new high school!

