

## **Middle School Facility Needs**

**Instructional Spaces** – The spaces needed at the three middle schools include:

- Career and Technical Education/VOTEC – exposure to trades, technology (shop, manufacturing, agriculture), culinary arts
- Music/Performing Arts – dedicated ENCORE spaces that serve music, art, drama including storage and practice
- Science/STEM – updated and additional lab spaces including computer science, robotics, and agriculture. Outdoor educational spaces (gardens, solar)
- Cafeteria Expansion – Food court style, places for students to gather
- Physical Education Space – adequate space to meet student needs/double gyms
- Public Study Spaces – Places for student to gather to study other than library
- Special Education – well designed to meet the needs of its students including domestic/culinary
- Flexible Learning Options – collaborative spaces for students and staff, mini theater seating for large class collaboration/demonstrations
- Additional classrooms – numerous additional rooms needed to meet capacity issues
- Media Art – renovation to true multimedia spaces

### **All three middle schools also require**

- Wider hallways
- Improved teacher lounges
- Auditorium space to host all students/staff (no one sitting on the floor)
- Community Outreach Center
- Modern mechanical and electrical service that accommodates current/future technological needs
- Well-designed transportation zones for safe and efficient pick-up/drop off includes separate lanes/loading zones for buses and single occupancy vehicles, curb-cut-outs, wide roads for safe turning radius of buses, no or limited-on-street parking to conflict with buses
- Adequate parking at Edison
- Gender neutral bathrooms

### **Athletic Facility Needs**

Athletic space with concessions, ticket booth, and lockers integrated or located nearby

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