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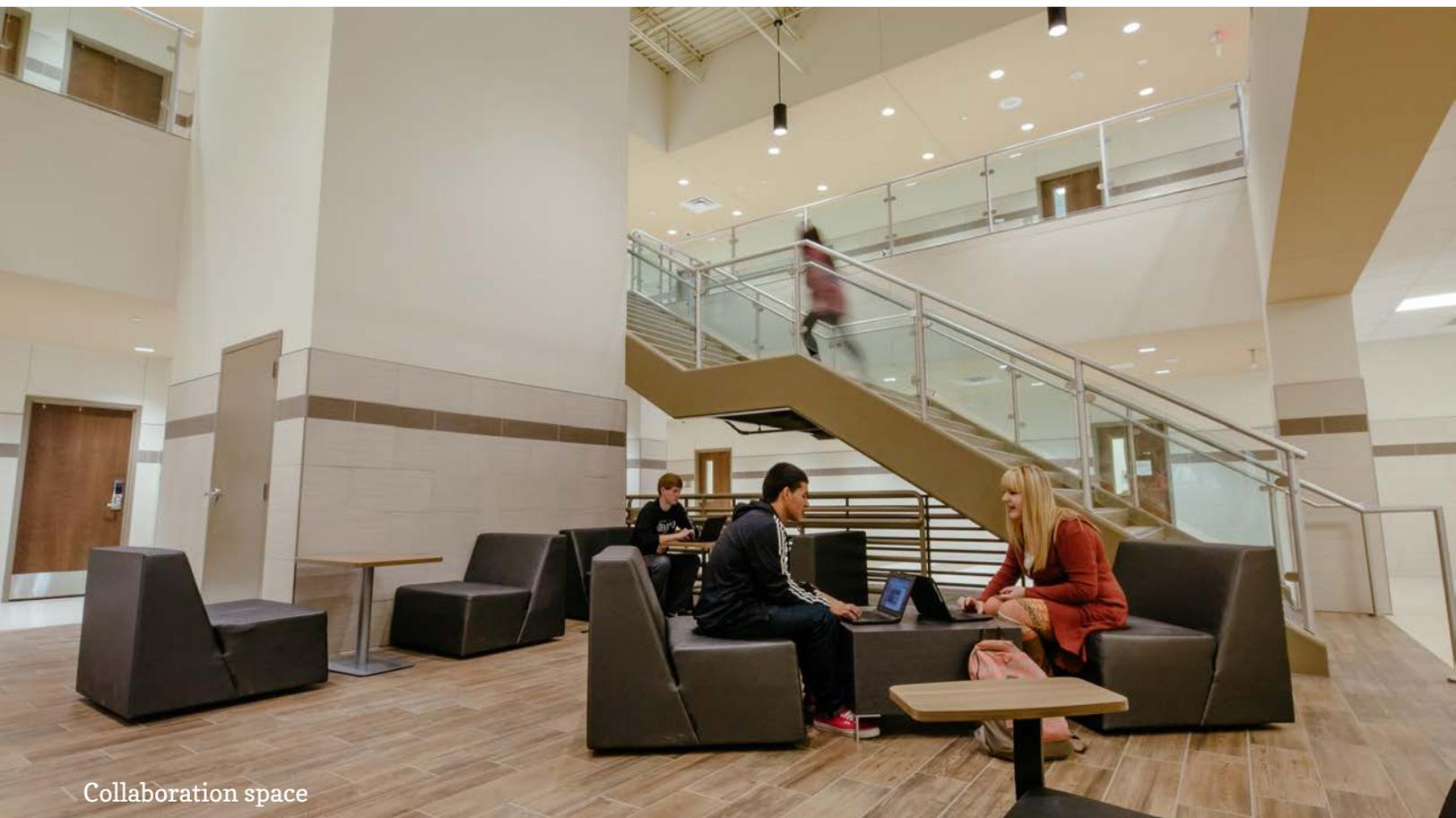


Granbury High School Crossland Academic Wing

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GRANBURY HIGH SCHOOL UP AND RUNNING



Collaboration space

Beginning with the 2016-17 school year, the Crossland Academic Wing will house ninth grade academic classes for English, math, science, and social studies. The new addition has been serving current GHS students while construction progresses on the remaining portion of the existing building during Summer 2016. The new academic wing features a modern college look with each classroom equipped with the latest technology. Plus teachers have space for collaboration and meetings. The rest of the high school will take on this same look once principal construction is complete.



Café



Corridor & Collaboration space

2013 GRANBURY BOND CHECK LIST

In Progress	Complete		Notes
Granbury High School Transformation - \$62,295,000			The high school project is moving along and on schedule. Last fall, students returned with a new academic wing in the front of the building plus a completely renovated cafeteria and coffee bar as well as the Learning Commons (library). Major portions have also been completed over the winter and early spring: new chemistry labs; Marine Corps JROTC classrooms and rifle range; new locker rooms for baseball, softball, and tennis teams; the renovation of the Bagby-McMahan Performing Arts Center. Work continues on the CTE addition, and, during the summer, demolition and construction will progress in older parts of the building not previously renovated. When school begins in August, all principal work will be completed, and the high school will welcome both the Class of 2019 and Class of 2020 to make it a full 9-12 campus.
	✓	Ninth Grade Addition	
✓		Career and Technical Education Center Addition	
✓		Fine Arts Addition	
✓		Controlled Entries	
✓		Reconfiguration of Existing Classrooms, Library and Office for Educational and Operational Efficiency	
✓		Extensive Renovations of Building's Interior and Exterior	
	✓	Locker Room Addition for Baseball, Softball, and Tennis	
	✓	Auditorium Renovation	
Safety and Security Upgrades - \$4,338,000			The controlled entries were complete at K-8 campuses during the fall of 2014, and the high school entry was made secure with the addition of the ninth grade academic wing. Attached gymnasiums at both Acton Elementary School and Emma Roberson Elementary School were completed this spring, providing better space for physical education classes and more security for those campuses.
	✓	Controlled Entries at all Elementary and Middle School Campuses	
	✓	New Attached Gymnasiums at Acton Elementary School and Emma Roberson Elementary School	
Technology and Model Classroom Upgrades for All Campuses - \$10,800,000			The investment in model classrooms, technology devices, and infrastructure is ongoing. At K-8 campuses, classrooms have SMART Boards, projectors, document cameras, classroom audio, mounts and cables, and virtual desktop storage. More wireless access points have been added at these schools, and work on the high school will continue through the summer. A fiber optic wide area network to increase bandwidth at all campuses is complete.
✓		New Standardized Technology for Every Classroom	
✓		Wireless Internet Capability Enhancements	
✓		Network Operation Improvements	
Other Investments - \$4,539,000			Replacing classroom furniture and band instruments is ongoing. Plans for the new administration building are under development with work scheduled to begin this summer with an expected opening in late fall.
✓		Classroom Furniture Replacements	
	✓	Bus Replacement	
✓		Band Instrument Replacement	
✓		Re-purpose Crossland Ninth Grade Center for Central Administration	
	✓	Refund Existing Debt for Energy Efficiency Projects - \$3,003,000	

GRANBURY HIGH SCHOOL RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY



In September, GHS student council members cut the ribbon on the first phase of the high school transformation – including an addition for ninth grade academic classrooms named for retired educator Wanda Crossland and her late husband, Willie. During the school year, other improvements have been completed: new chemistry labs, a complete new Marine Corps JROTC area with a competitive rifle range for the award-winning GHS team, renovations to the Bagby-McMahan Performing Arts Center with new seating and major upgrades to the sound and lighting systems, and the construction of new locker rooms for baseball, softball, and tennis teams.



SECURITY & SAFETY WITH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL GYMS

Acton Elementary School and Emma Roberson Elementary School students returned from Spring Break with new gymnasiums attached to the main part of those campus buildings. The additions not only make the gym space more in line with other elementary schools but it also improves campus security and safety.