

ELEMENTARY VISIONING SESSION

- Simplify circle circulation to reduce confusion.
- Provide student friendly colors and design to promote learning and inspiration.
- Repair/replace mechanical systems to fix the hot/cold and humidity issues.
- Shared collaboration space between 2-3 classes for integrated group learning.
- Early childhood needs to be separate but integrated with elementary. Teachers plan their schedule around the bell for ease of movement between the grades in the hallways (conflict with HS student lockers).
- Additional teacher and student toilets needed throughout the facility.
- Lower level access for emergencies for the early childhood grades is desired since – access is on the other end of the school.
- Additional library/media center spaces are needed.
 - Breakout space within the library for individual/small group learning.
 - Computer lab space separate from book stack space.
- Outdoor learning spaces.
- Natural light throughout the school is needed.
- Naturalistic play equipment in the playgrounds.
- Covered outdoor play areas for inclement weather play.
- Additional resources/storage rooms are needed for all grades.
- Individual classroom storage which could consist of lockable millwork for study materials, personal teacher storage, supplies, etc.
- New furniture in the new spaces.
- Sinks in each classroom with a drinking fountain.
- Improved teacher lounge.
 - Teacher collaboration space separate from the teacher's lounge.
- Lockers are needed for student materials in the hallways adjacent to their classrooms.
- Pod learning environment.
 - 3rd/4th/5th grade would have pods such as math, science, or social studies with shared collaborative space.
 - 1st/2nd grade would have a pod for each grade level rather than a specific subject.
 - Display space in pods.
- Restrooms in classroom for early childhood students.
- Pre-K safety access and safety of classroom.
- Dutch doors to allow secure door but also pass through for parent pick up/drop off.
- The MAC is not used for cafeteria purposes.
- Too long of a distance for food transport from cafeteria.
- Noise level is too loud.
- Relocate playground area for safety.
- Standup desk options.
- Remove curve from classroom walls.

- Restroom and drinking fountains near outdoor playgrounds.
- Teacher collaboration room (possibly in media center) separate from teacher workroom.
- Corridor and classroom lockers.
- Elementary art and music classroom.
- Review Ron Clark Academy as a facility example that promotes creativity, movement, and innovation