

Design and Innovation Committee

April 2019

MEMBERS

BOE (7), administration (2), BOS/Town (2), faculty (3), staff (1), SPTO Leadership (1), parents (3), community / senior citizen (2-3), students (2-3)

CHARGE

To advise the Board of Education on improvements to the physical and educational environment of the Sherman School campus. The recommendation should include educational specifications for the following:

1. New playground (s)
2. Future use of K-wing
3. Repurposing of space (s) impacted by future use of K-wing

The educational specifications should take the following into consideration:

- Description of proposed curricula and teaching methods incorporating contemporary pedagogy where possible
- Space requirements including desired accommodations for preschool - kindergarten population and estimated enrollment
- Potential opportunities for community use
- Compliance to building, health and safety codes

COMMITMENT

Committee will meet approximately 1-2 times per month until a formal recommendation is presented to the Board. Updates and possible action items will take place each month at the Regular Board of Education Meeting, however, attendance at these meetings is not required.

ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS

1. Should the Board of Education propose a recommendation for a building renovation?
2. What should be included in the building renovation?
3. What educational specifications should be considered when selecting a firm for architectural services?

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