

# Williamson County Board of Education



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LONG-RANGE PLANNING:  
NEEDS DETERMINATION

1 The significance of providing school facilities that enhance attainment of the educational goals of  
2 the Williamson County Public Schools is recognized by the Board.  
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4 To assure a comprehensive approach to projecting and planning need, the following aspects of  
5 need shall be considered:  
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- 8 1. The expanding and changing educational program of the county.
  - 9 2. Relations with the total community, and projected developments in those relationships  
10 over the years.
  - 11 3. Building design, site aesthetics and environmental comfort as they affect the education  
12 of students and feelings of people about their schools.
  - 13 4. Changing makeup of the student population with respect to age distribution, educational  
14 levels, culture, and special needs of the students.
  - 15 5. Community planning and zoning.
  - 16 6. Financial ability of the county.
  - 17 7. Safety and welfare of pupils.
  - 18 8. Relationship between the projected new facilities and those already in existence.
  - 19 9. True economy reflecting full value for each tax dollar expended.  
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22 The Superintendent of Schools is directed to establish such administrative arrangements as he/she  
23 may consider necessary to determine such needs. In so doing he/she may draw upon a wide  
24 range of resources including the area utility, commercial, industrial, and governmental entities, as  
25 well as the school system's staff and educational consultants.  
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## 27 EXISTING FACILITIES INVENTORY

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29 All existing school facilities will be evaluated periodically for their spatial, thermal, visual, and  
30 aesthetic requirements in terms of the desired educational programs. This evaluation will involve  
31 input from teachers, principals, maintenance department and others knowledgeable of school  
32 facility conditions.  
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35 Identifying new ways of using educational facilities more efficiently, effectively, and creatively is a  
36 constant goal of the school system.  
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## 38 ENROLLMENT PROJECTIONS

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40 It shall be the responsibility of the Superintendent of Schools to compile data accurately and project  
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