

Your Feedback is Needed

The Vernon Middle School (VMS) Construction is scheduled to be completed in time for the start of the 2012/2013 school year. VMS will house grades 5-8 once the construction project is completed. With the 5th grade sections moving to VMS, plans need to be made for the use of classroom space at Emerson, Francis Marion Intermediate (FMI) and Starry as well as preschool locations.

An advisory committee of teachers, principals and parents has begun meeting with the superintendent, Mrs. Pinion. The committee is asking for feedback from parents and staff regarding priorities to be considered when looking at various options for handling the needs of students in preschool – 4th grade.

You may access the following link to provide your responses electronically. If you prefer, you may complete the copy of the survey printed on the back of this sheet and return it to your child's teacher. Please have your survey completed by Wednesday, October 26.

Thank You

Realignment of Grade Levels in Elementary Buildings
Survey Questions

Please respond to the following statements by selecting from 1-6 with 1 being most important to consider and 6 being the least important. Please use a number only once. A space for comments is available below each statement.

1 2 3 4 5 6 Limit transitions of students from one building to another prior to entering VMS.

Comments:

1 2 3 4 5 6 Alignment of grade levels in one, two or three buildings for curriculum, professional development, shared resources, etc.

Comments:

1 2 3 4 5 6 District financial considerations.

Comments:

1 2 3 4 5 6 Match expected enrollments & needs of students with building facilities.

Comments:

1 2 3 4 5 6 Maintain concept of neighborhood schools.

Comments:

1 2 3 4 5 6 Have all students in 4th grade together prior to going to VMS for middle school.

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