

# SMSD STRONG

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## Shawnee Mission South Feeder Area BOND PROPOSAL



### JOHN DIEMER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL REBUILD

#### Playgrounds

Playground improvements at select elementary sites.

- Upgrades and replacements to meet ADA requirements



### INDIAN WOODS MIDDLE SCHOOL

- Classroom furniture replacement
- Renovations to restrooms / privacy
- Learning space upgrades



### SHAWNEE MISSION SOUTH HIGH SCHOOL HORIZONS HIGH SCHOOL

- Classroom furniture replacement
- Renovations to restrooms / privacy
- Learning space upgrades



### DISTRICT CENTERS LEARNING SPACES UPGRADES

- Early Childhood Education Center restroom and building upgrades
- Career and Technical Campus (CTC) upgrades



## OTHER IMPROVEMENTS DISTRICTWIDE:

- Support and maintenance of athletic facilities
- HVAC / Lighting Upgrades
- ADA upgrades / additions
- Classroom technology infrastructure upgrades
- Security and technology upgrades
- Security keyless entry
- Carpet / Floor tile
- Asphalt upgrades
- Roof upgrades



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For more information visit <https://www.smsd.org/bond-2021>

Shawnee Mission community members will be asked in January 2021 to consider a bond proposal, designed to provide lasting facilities improvements, to support student learning and to hire additional teachers.

Goal: The Shawnee Mission School District will continue to be ranked among the finest school districts in the nation, employing exceptional educators who work in state-of-the-art facilities, where learners achieve their full potential now and far into the future.

## VOTER INFORMATION:

Dec. 28, 2020 : Last Day to Register to Vote  
Jan. 5, 2021 : Last Day to apply for an advance ballot  
Jan. 6, 2021 : Watch for the ballot in your mailbox  
Jan. 26, 2021 : Ballots due by 12 p.m. at the  
Johnson County Election Office,  
2101 E. Kansas City Road, Olathe,  
KS 66061

Voters are able to register, check the status of their registration, and find out more information about the voting process at [www.jocoelection.org](http://www.jocoelection.org).



## SUPPORTING STUDENT LEARNING



We are currently spending money out of the capital fund for new facilities. Under this plan, facilities will be covered in bond money. That allows the district to shift some custodial/maintenance salaries into the capital fund. This frees up money in the operating fund to hire additional secondary teachers and better support student learning.

## KEY FACTS:

The bond package, if approved, would result in an \$8 annual increase for the owner of a \$100,000 home.

SMSD currently has the lowest mill levy of all school districts in Johnson County and, based on estimates through 2032-2033, would continue to have a comparatively low rate.

The district currently has \$750 million in identified facility needs over the next 20 years. This proposed bond is an option to address needed repairs, provide and ongoing maintenance, strive to increasingly comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), and follow a strategy in support of our mission, beliefs, and objectives.

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