

AISD Future

Austin ISD 2017 Bond Implementation

Bowie High School FAQ



1. What is included in the 2017 Bond program for Bowie High School?

Bowie will receive Phase 1 of its full modernization, with a planned capacity of 2,900 students. This phase will include site improvements, a parking structure, renovated and expanded athletic facilities and a new and expanded fine arts facility.

Bowie High School will also receive technology upgrades including computer lab improvements, presentation systems, student mobile computers and teacher computers.

2. How many phases are there?

This will be contingent on how efficiently 2017 Bond dollars are used.

3. What is the total budget for Bowie High School?

\$91,030,000

4. Where will funding for future phases come from?

The district will likely seek funding for future phases in a future bond election.

5. Who is on the planning team for Bowie High School? How are they selected?

A Campus Architectural Team has been established for the Bowie High School construction and modernization project. It is made up of members of the school's community that were selected by the principal and Austin ISD leadership.

The CAT is responsible for providing community input during planning, design, and construction as we seek to modernize the facility and shape the environment for 21st century learning. The designated design team will meet regularly with the CAT throughout each phase of a given project, from initial planning through design, construction and finally the opening of the modernized facility.

6. How can I get involved and give input?

Everyone is encouraged to send feedback and questions about the bond program to future@austinisd.org.

There will also be a series of community engagement opportunities that will be held for Bowie High School during the different design phases of the project. These meetings will provide an opportunity for discussion and feedback. Notifications for each meeting will be sent out in advance to the school community, and project events and key dates will also be available on the [Bowie modernization page](#) of the bond website.

You can also sign-up for school specific email updates on the bond website, which will include information on upcoming opportunities for participation.

7. What is the timeline for construction? When will students move into the new campus?

The design phase for Bowie High School began in May 2018. You can access the current comprehensive timeline at AISDFuture.com. A more detailed construction timeline will be available on the bond website soon.

8. Where can I find more information about the modernization project for my school?

For the most up-to-date information on this project, visit the [Bowie modernization page](#).