

AISD Future

Austin ISD 2017 Bond Implementation

Brentwood Elementary School FAQ



1. What is included in the 2017 Bond program for Brentwood Elementary School?

Brentwood will receive a full modernization including a partial rebuild and partial renovation that will increase its permanent capacity to 696 students. The design and construction will be based on the new Austin ISD Educational Specifications.

Brentwood will also receive technology upgrades including computer lab improvements and teacher computers.

2. Where will the students be housed during construction?

Because of the size of the Brentwood student population, the limited size of the school site and issues identified during construction planning, in September 2019 it became clear that it was in the best interest of the campus community to use an off-site swing space.

[Click here to view a list of FAQs specific to proposed Swing Space for Brentwood.](#)

3. I was told the existing school had structural damage? Is this true?

Yes, the pre-bond assessment discovered structural damage at Brentwood; this was part of the reason behind the priority to modernize this school in the 2017 Bond package. Temporary structural repairs were constructed to ensure safety during modernization.

4. What is the total budget for Brentwood Elementary School?

\$35,817,000

5. Who is on the planning team for Brentwood Elementary School? How are they selected?

A Campus Architectural Team has been established for the Brentwood Elementary School construction and modernization project. It is made up of members of the school's community that will be 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 Brentwood Elementary 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 [Brentwood 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 Brentwood Elementary School is scheduled to begin in 2019. You can access the current comprehensive timeline at [AISDFuture.com](#).

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 [Brentwood modernization page](#)