SLIDELL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

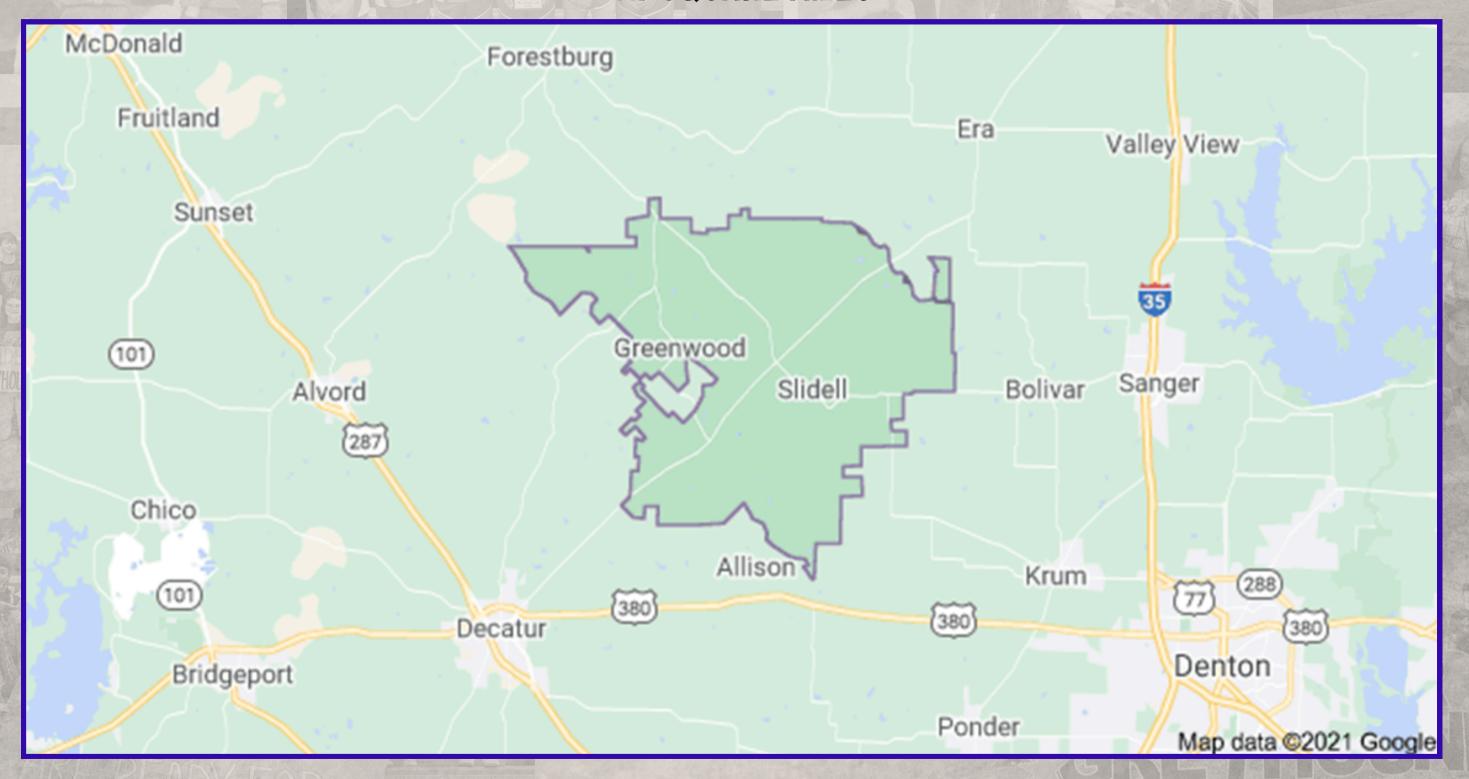
"ON TRACK AND LEADING THE PACK"



State of the District

DISTRICT MAP

117 SQUARE MILES





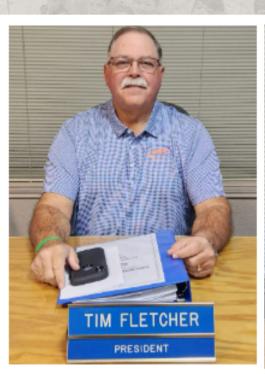
BOARD OF TRUSTEES















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HISTORY & TRADITIONS

Slidell

The original Slidell School was built by the Federal Works Projects Administration was created by President Roosevelt from 1938 to 1940.

SLIDELL

NAMED FOR JOHN SLIDELL, ONE OF THE CONFEDERATE DIPLOMATS IN THE TRENT AFFAIR" (1861), THIS COMMUNITY WAS ESTABLISHED TO SUPPLY GOODS AND SERVICES TO NEARBY FARMERS. THE POST OFFICE WAS STARTED IN 1884. GARRETT FLETCHER, DONOR OF LAND FOR A CEMETERY AND CHURCH, GAVE LOTS TO NEARBY BUSINESSES THAT MOVED HERE IN 1885, INCLUDING TWENTY-TWO-YEAR-OLD DR. DRURY YOUNG STEM'S MEDICAL OFFICE AND DRUGSTORE, GEORGE W. DURHAM GAVE LAND (1893) FOR THE PUBLIC SQUARE AND THE FIRST SCHOOL BUILDING, AND NATHANIEL PRUETT BEGAN (1895) THE TELEPHONE SYSTEM. TODAY SLIDELL SERVES: A FARM AND RANCH AREA.

(1741)



AT A GLANCE

495
Students
PreK - 12th

100% Graduation
Rate
previous five years

Fully Staffed

Fast growth district

First Year in 2A

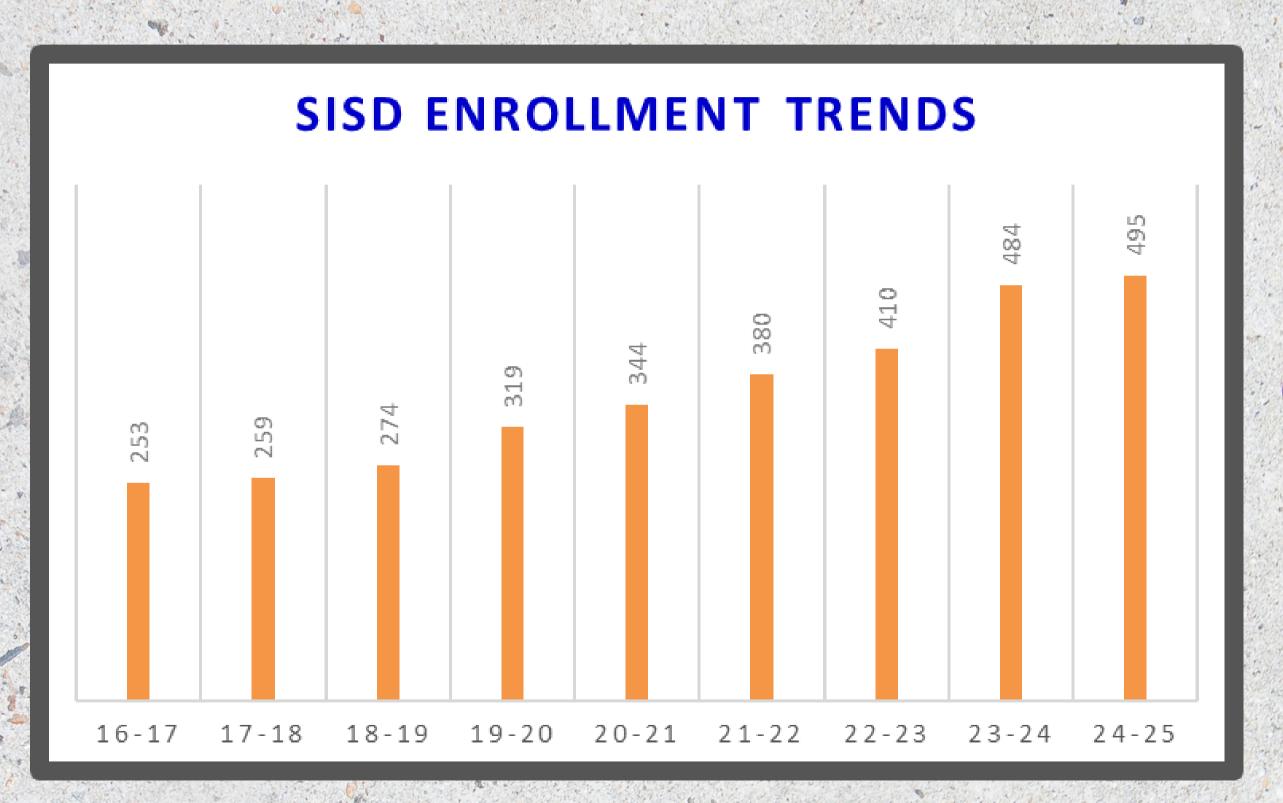
Highly qualified staff, over 45% of staff have more than 10 years teaching experience

\$160,000 in local scholarships for the Class of 2024

Maintained an attendance rate of over 96% the last 6 years

\$1.0109
Total Tax
Rate

RECORD ENROLLMENT



96% PERCENTAGE
GROWTH OVER LAST
8 YEARS



STRATEGIC PLANNING AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT







SLIDELL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

"On track and leading the pack"



Our students are our most precious resource and will be inspired to excel and lead our community and the world.



Dedicated educators inspiring our community's children to excel in a changing world.



In Slidel ISD, we believe...

Students are accepted and appreciated for who they are and are inspired to excel in academics and activities within a safe and nurturing environment.

Parents and Families are an essential component of our school community and are true partners in their child's education.

Teachers and Staff are a family of dedicated educators who use their talents for collaboration with our families to inspire students to reach aspirational goals.

District leaders are servant educators who consistently and transparently expand our vision for the future while informing, supporting and empowering students, staff, and the community.

The Board of Trustees is a collaborative team dedicated to supporting our community and staff with a listening ear, open heart, and a strategic approach that prepares our students to be productive members of the Slidell community and beyond.

GREYHOUND AMBASSADORS





Slidell Education Foundation





FINANCE UPDATE

- A reduction in the tax rate from \$1.0225 to \$1.0109
- A surplus of around \$500,000 from the 2023-2024 school year, which will be added to our district fund balance.

 A balanced budget for the 2024–2025 school year has been adopted.

FINANCIAL INTEGRITY RATING SYSTEM OF TEXAS

18-19

"C"
68
Meets Standard

19-20

"A" 90 Superior 20-21

"A"
100 Superior
Acheivement

21-22

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22-23

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23-24

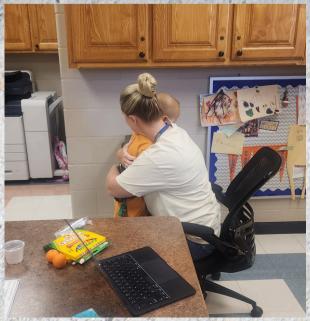
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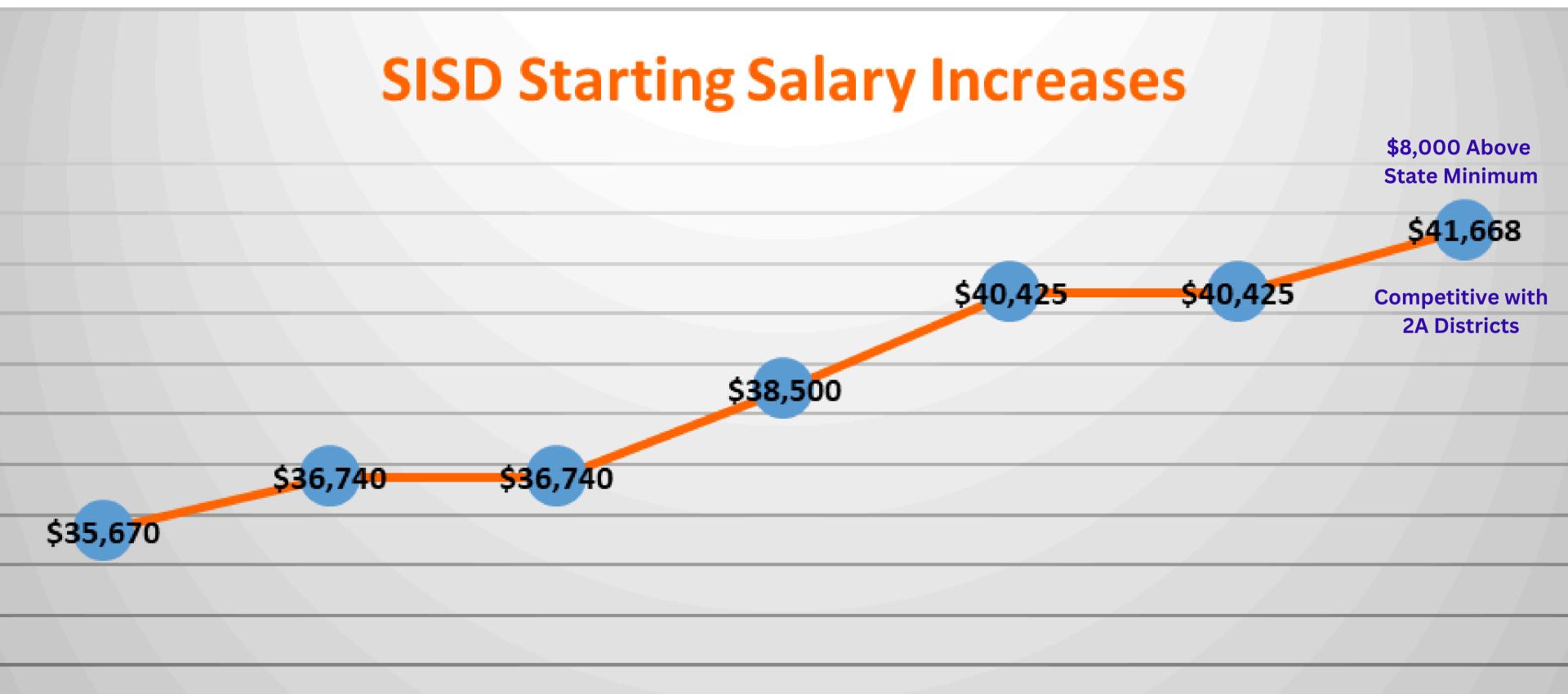
STAFF RETENTION EFFORTS

- RETENTION STIPENDS
- TELEDOC SERVICES
- ONE MEAL PER DAY PROVIDED FOR FREE
- LIFE INSURANCE
- READING ACADEMY STIPENDS AND TIME ALLOTTED
- \$50 REIMBURSEMENT FOR GYM/PHYSICAL FITNESS MEMBERSHIPS
- STAFF WELLNESS PROGRAM
- \$300 INSURANCE CONTRIBUTION
- RETIRED TEACHER MENTOR PROGRAM



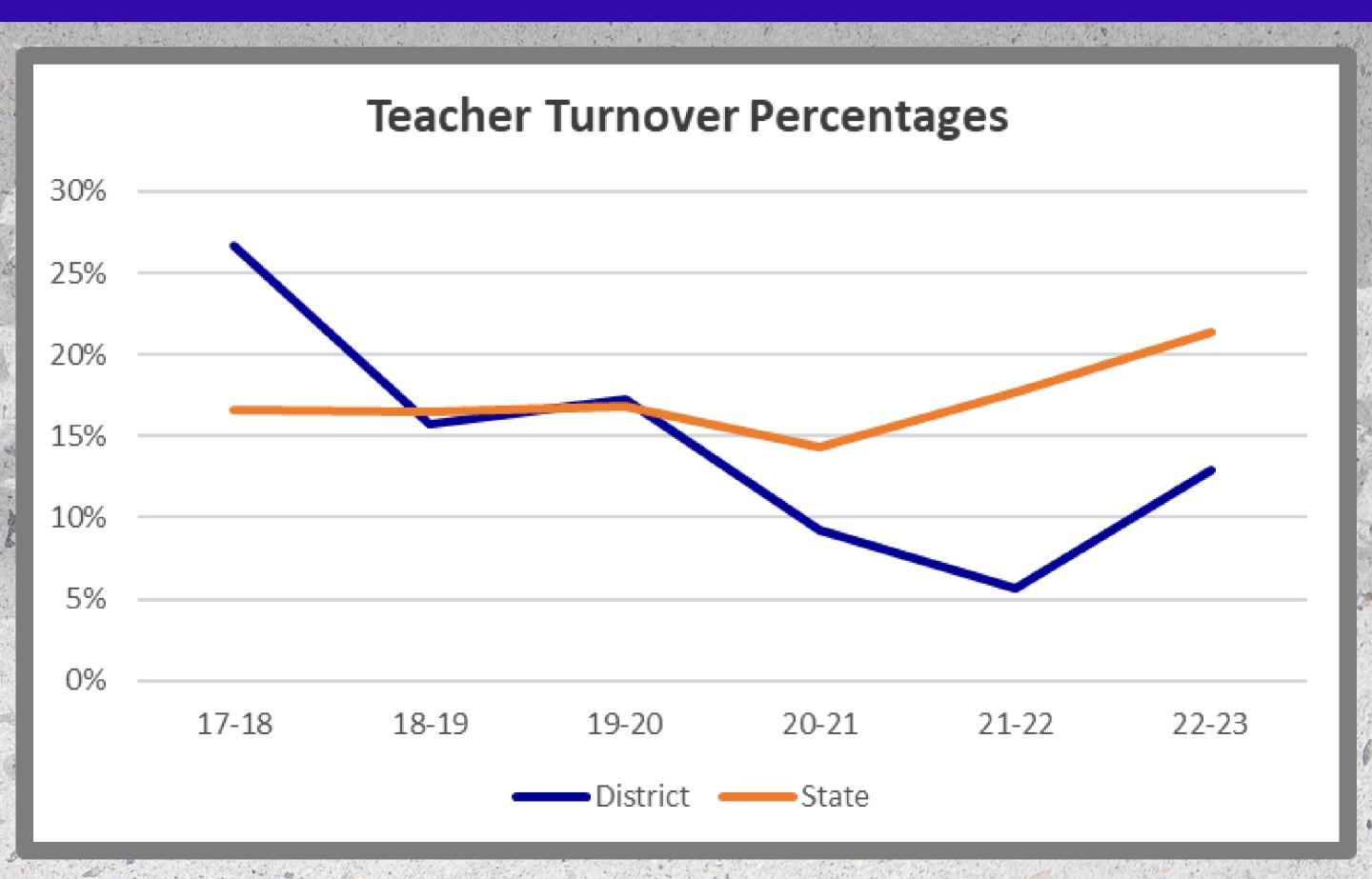


17% INCREASE OVER 6 YEARS WITH NO ADDITIONAL FUNDING FROM THE STATE SINCE 2019



2018-2019 2019-2020 2020-2021 2021-2022 2022-2023 2023-2024 2024-2025

STAFF RETENTION



HEALTH & WELLNESS





"The Well"



Goodside Health Department of Social Work Interns

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH TEXAS





Texas Department of State
Health Services

4CORE & FOCUS FRIDAY



PREK-5

- UIL Academics District Champions
- Art and music offered to all PK-5
- STEAM Lab
- "No Homework" policy grades PK-5
- · Recesses/brain breaks built into day
- New Technology Rotation
- New Elementary Ag Program
- Senior Buddy Program and PALS
- Greyhound Greeters
- After-School Program

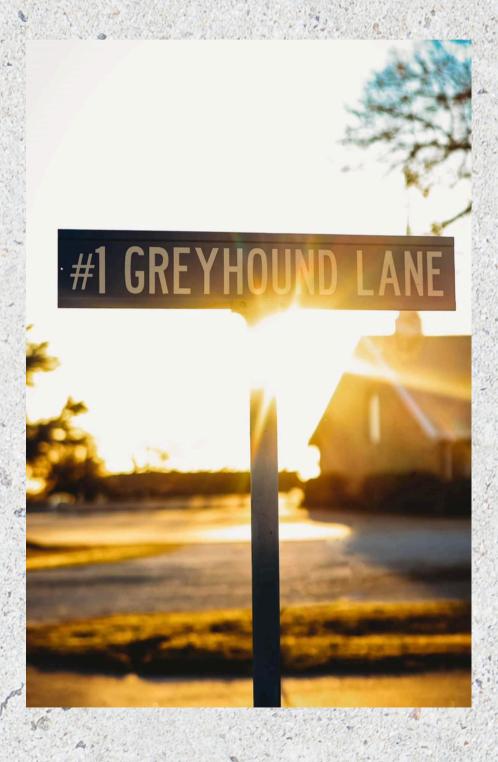


5-12

- Rank in the top 1A schools in the state for UIL Academics/OAP with 40% of our high school students participating at the state level
- All 5 endorsement areas offered for graduation plans with career pathways; dual credit through WC
- Dave Ramsey Financial Peace local graduation requirement
- Increase in dual credit offerings, first group of students to graduate with their high school diploma and Associate's Degree in May 2024.



COLLEGE, CAREER, **MILITARY READY** Progression of Slidell ISD graduates 35.3% CCMR 19-20 In 2019-2020 we had 35.3% of our graduating class graduate college, career, or military ready. 58.8% CCMR 20-21 In 2020-2021 we had 58.8% of our graduating class graduate college, career, or military ready. 84.0% CCMR 21-22 In 2021-2022 we had 84.0% of our graduating class graduate college, career, or military ready. 94% CCMR In 2022-2023 we had 94.0% of our graduating class graduate college, career, or military ready. WHAT THE STATE SAYS CCMR There are multiple indicators that determine if a student will graduate college, career, or military ready. SLIDELL INDICATORS · ACT/SAT/TSI - Math AND Reading proficient · Certificate Earned - with completion of aligned program of study Dual Credit - one of the following a 3 hours in Math OR ELA o 9 hours in any area Associates Degree · Enlist in the Military



Certification options AT SLIDELL HS

Teaching and Training

ublic Service endorsement area pportunity to work at Slidell ISD.



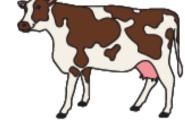
Agricultural Technology

Students that complete 3 - 4 years of a sequence of classes in our Business and Industry endorsemen area will graduate with a Welding certificate and opportunities to compete against other school in velding competitions.



Animal Science

e the first class to accomplish



Plant Science

Students that complete 3 - 4 years of a sequence of classes in our Business and Industry endorsement area will graduate with a Floral Design certificate. The class of 2026 will be the first class to accomplish this achievement.

Graphic Design and Interactive Media

be the first class to accomplish his achievement.









'23-'24 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

HIGH SCHOOL

- Boys Cross Country District 22A Champions, Region 3 Champions, 1A
 State Champions
- Girls Cross Country Team State Qualifiers
- Robotics State Qualifiers
- Girls Basketball Bi-District Qualifiers
- Boys Basketball District Champs, Regional Quarterfinalists
- Boys Golf District 22A Champions, Region 3 Champions, State Qualifiers
- Girls Golf 3rd at District
- Girls Track Regional Qualifiers
- Boys Track Regional Qualifiers, Triple Jump State Champion
- Tennis Regional Qualifiers
- UIL Academics District & Regional Champions, State Qualifiers
- OAP Alternate to State
- FFA students made sales at major shows and the Wise County Youth Fair
- CX Debate State Qualifiers
- Congress Regional Participants, State Alternates
- LD Debate Regional Qualifiers, State Alternates
- Girls Powerlifting State Qualifiers
- Boys Powerlifting Regional Qualifiers
- Esports playoff qualifiers first year of competition
- 12 Welding Certificates/5 Paraprofessional Educ. Aide Certificates
- Solo & Ensemble Individual Excellent & Superior Ratings

JUNIOR HIGH

- UIL Academics District Champions
- One Act Play District Champions
- Boys Cross Country District Champions
- Girls Cross Country District Champions
- Girls Basketball Undefeated District Champions
- Boys Basketball Undefeated District Champions
- Girls Tennis Individual District Medalists
- Boys Tennis Individual District Medalists
- Boys Track District Champions
- Girls Track District Champions



MAY 2023 BOND 732

73% FOR 27% AGAINST



- Elementary School- 3
 classrooms per grade
 level
- Greenhouses
- A tornado shelter (per ICC 500 code as required)
- Ag Facility
- HVAC in the WPA gymnasium
- Parking improvements
- Secondary Kitchen and serving line expansion
- Safety and security upgrades

MAY 2023 BOND GROUND BREAKING CEREMONY

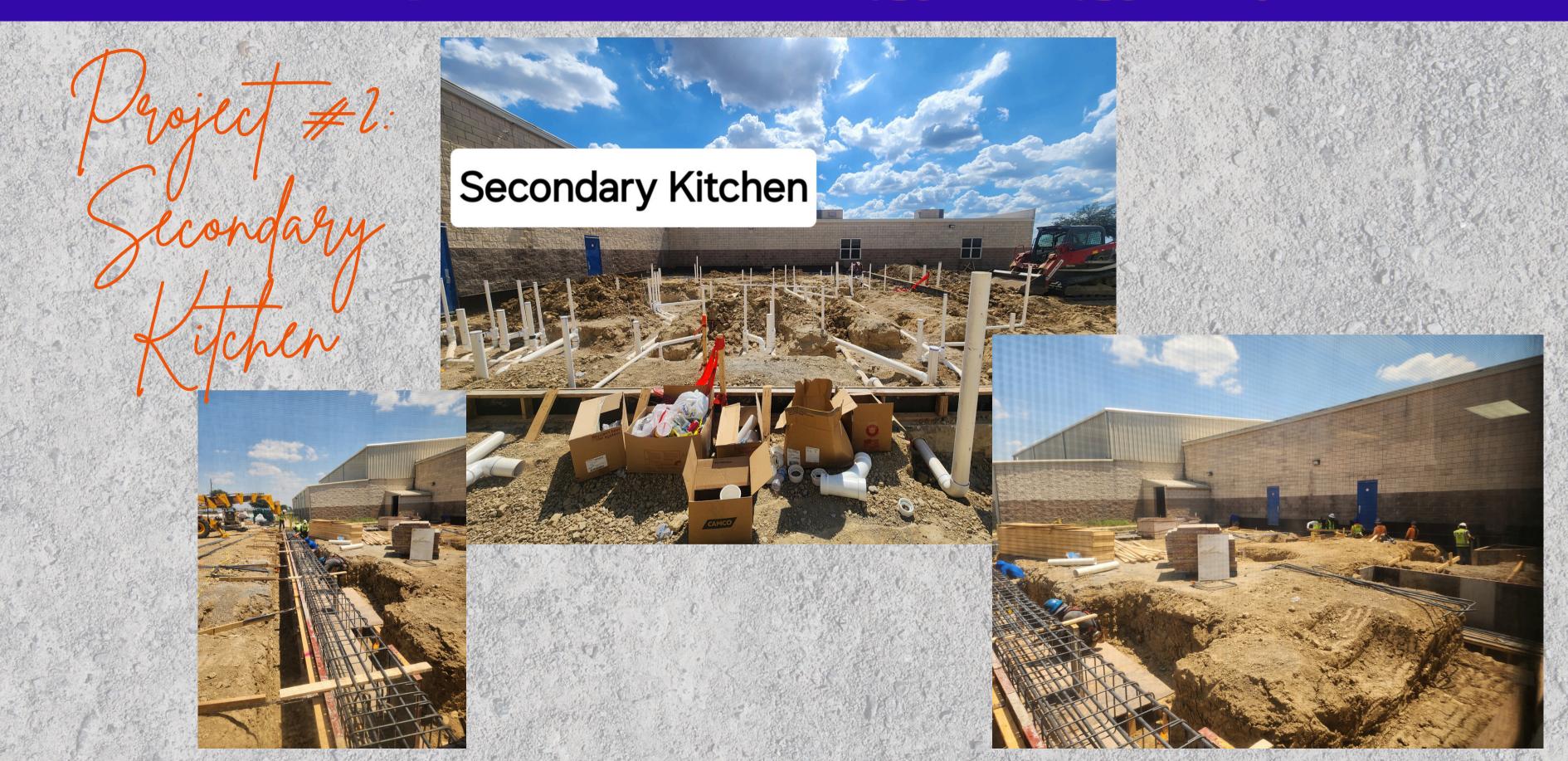












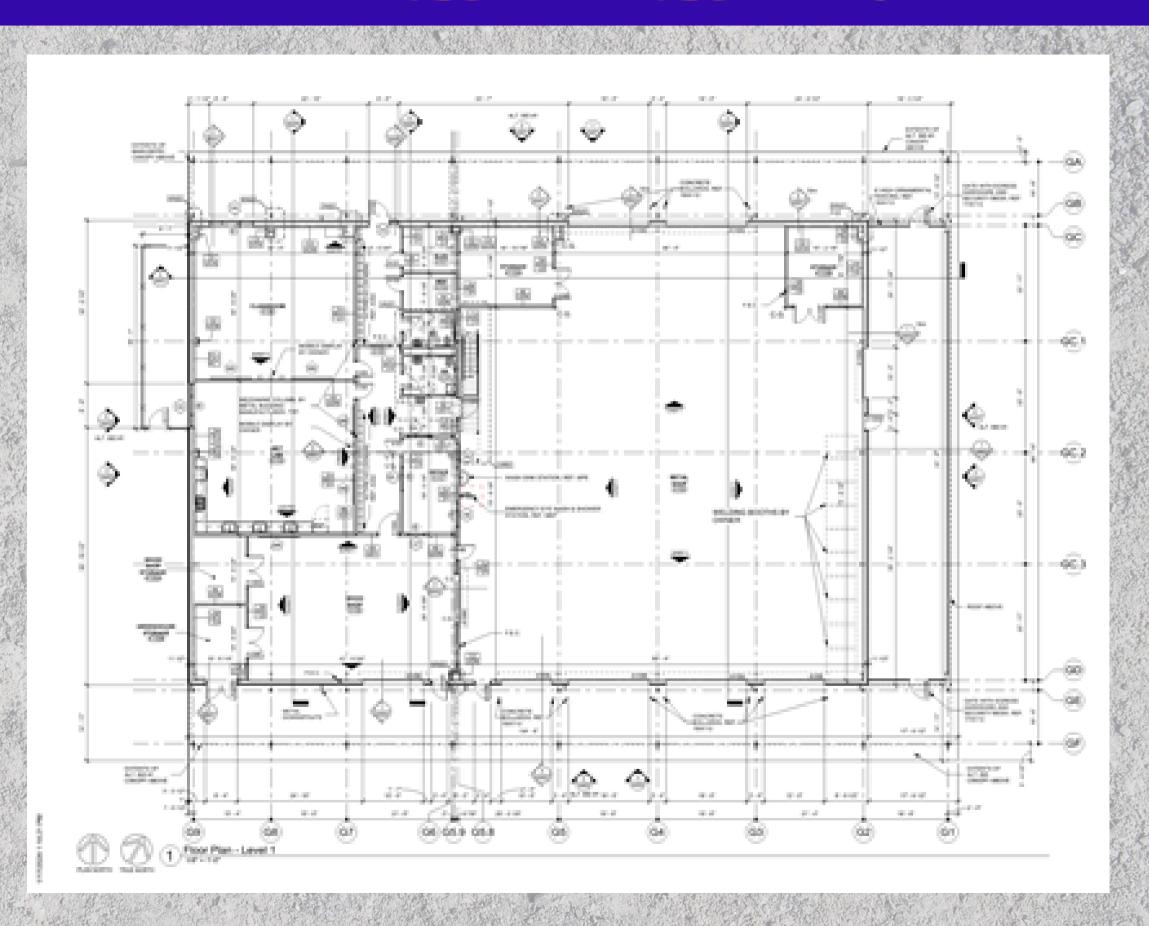
Project #3: Men Pack



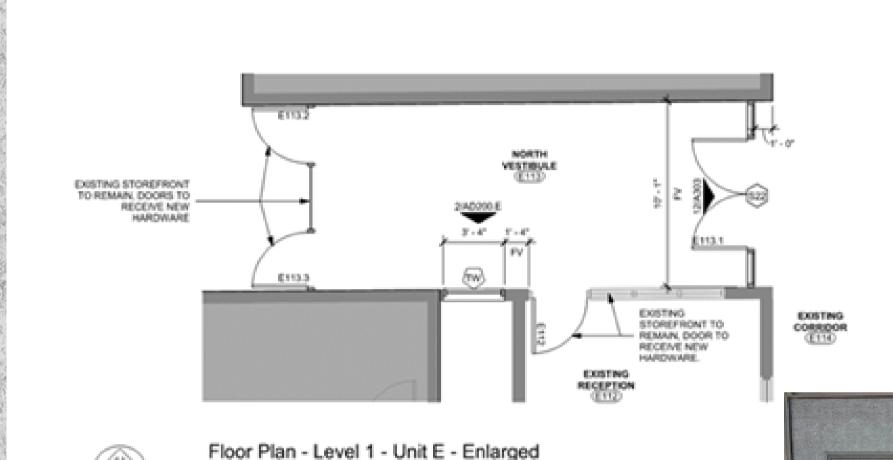




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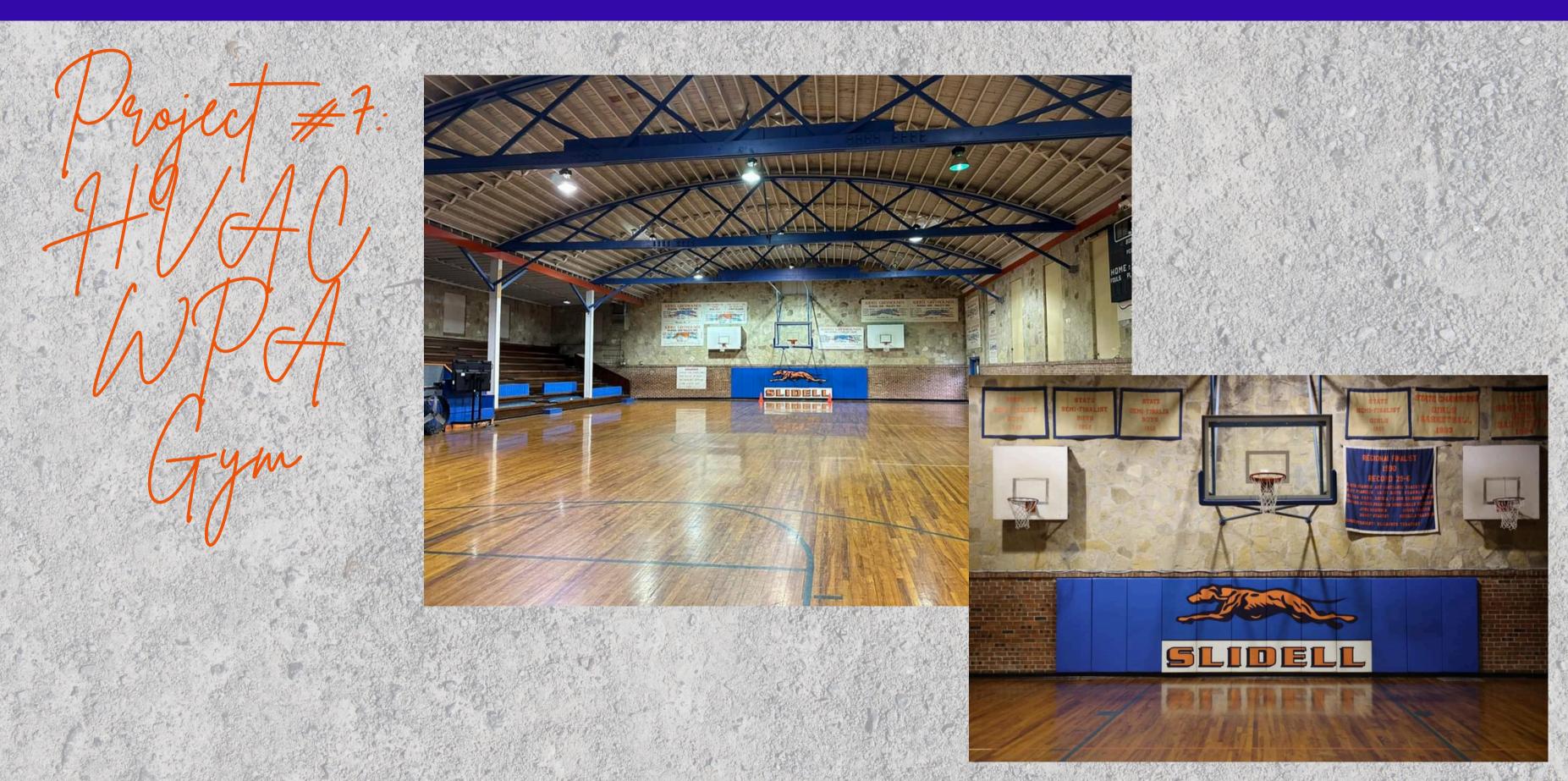


Project #6: Safety Security Upgrades









TRANSPORTATION UPDATE











OTHER FACILITY UPDATES





SAFETY & SECURITY

- Raptor System
- Updating windows and doors
- I Love You Guys
- Additional Cameras
- Door Locking Systems
- Guardian Program



HE GOLD STANDARD IN SCHOOL SAFETY





SLIDELL ISD PARTICIPATES IN THE GUARDIAN PROGRAM. PEOPLE ON THIS CAMPUS MAY BE LEGALLY ARMED.

(Texas Govt. Code 411.1901)





