

# THE FUTURE OF OUR FUTURE

DESIGNING EARLY EDUCATION FOR ALL



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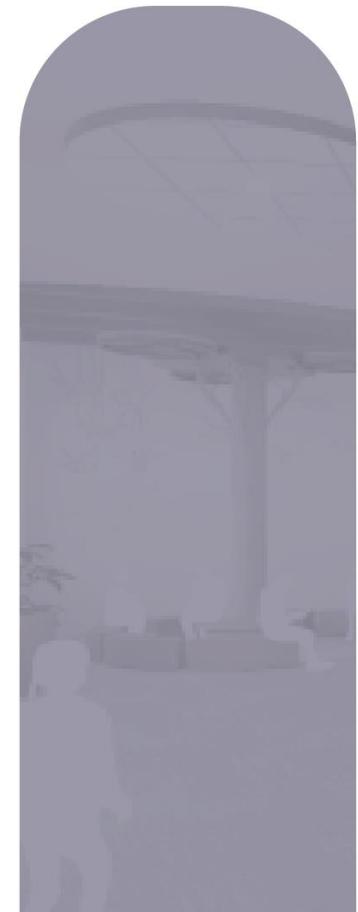
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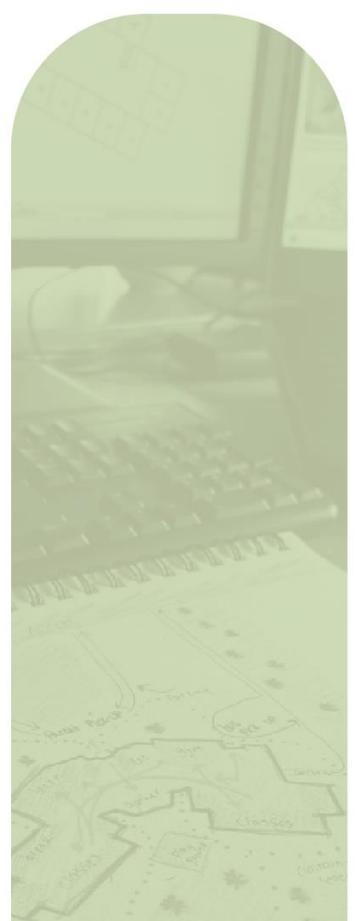
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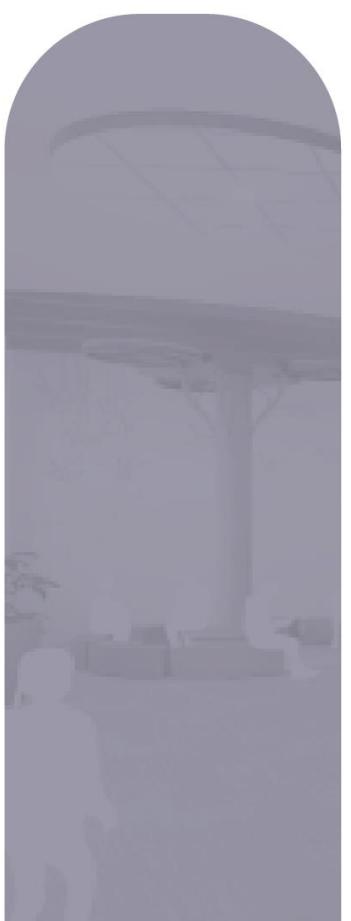
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# INTRODUCTION TO ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

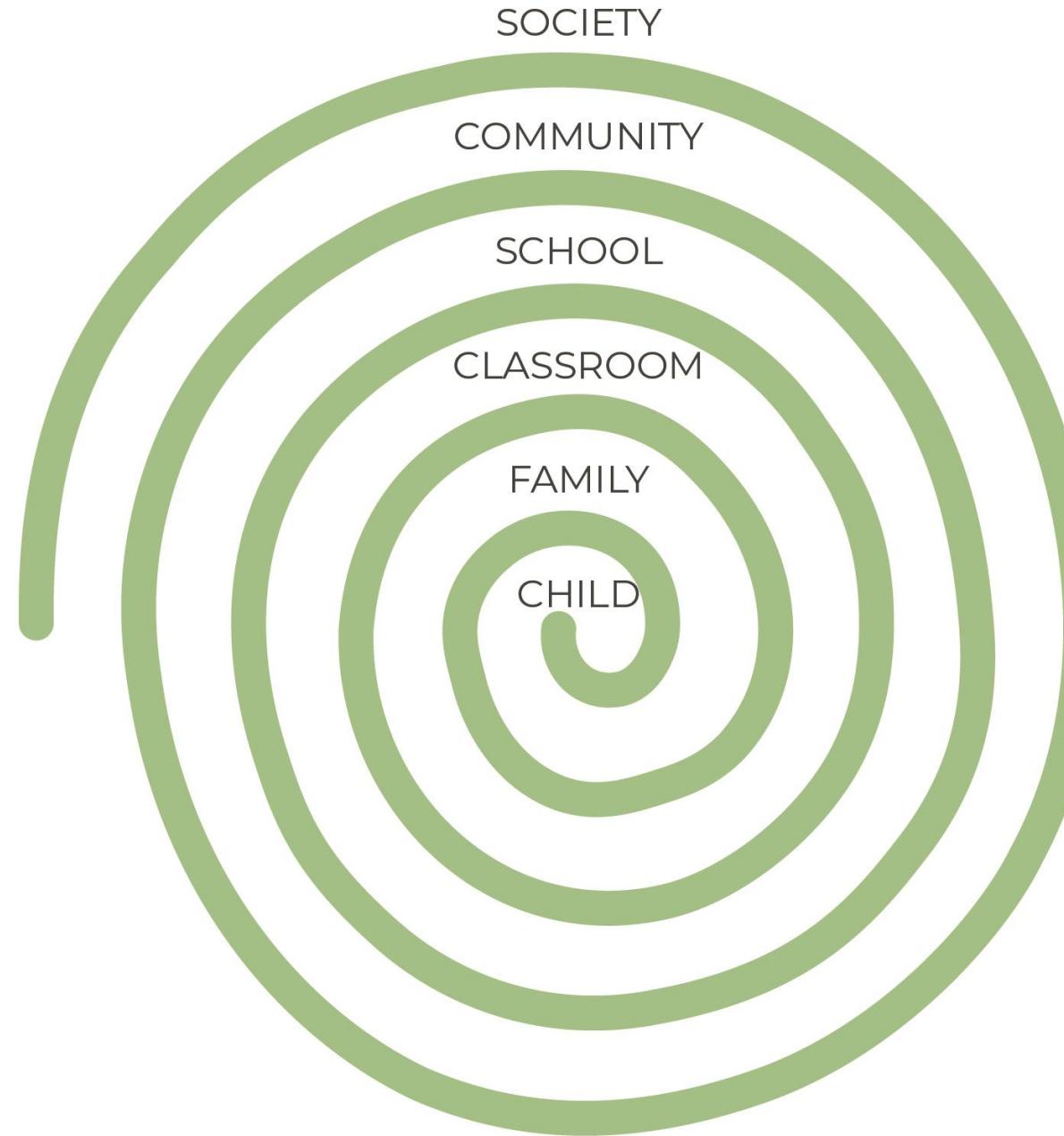


Typical Classroom (from DeGeurin, M., 2019)

# HOW TO CHANGE THE FUTURE OF EDUCATION



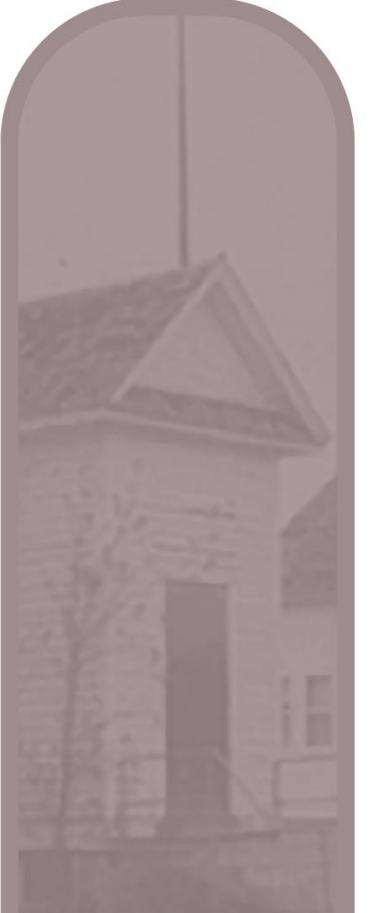
Ehrman Crest Interior Breakout Spaces (from Seneca Valley School District, Ehrman Crest Elementary and Middle School / CannonDesign, 2023)







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# HISTORY OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS



Parochial, Church-Supported School (right) Neighboring the Public School (left) in Hannover, North Dakota (from Henke & Albers, 1997, p. 280)

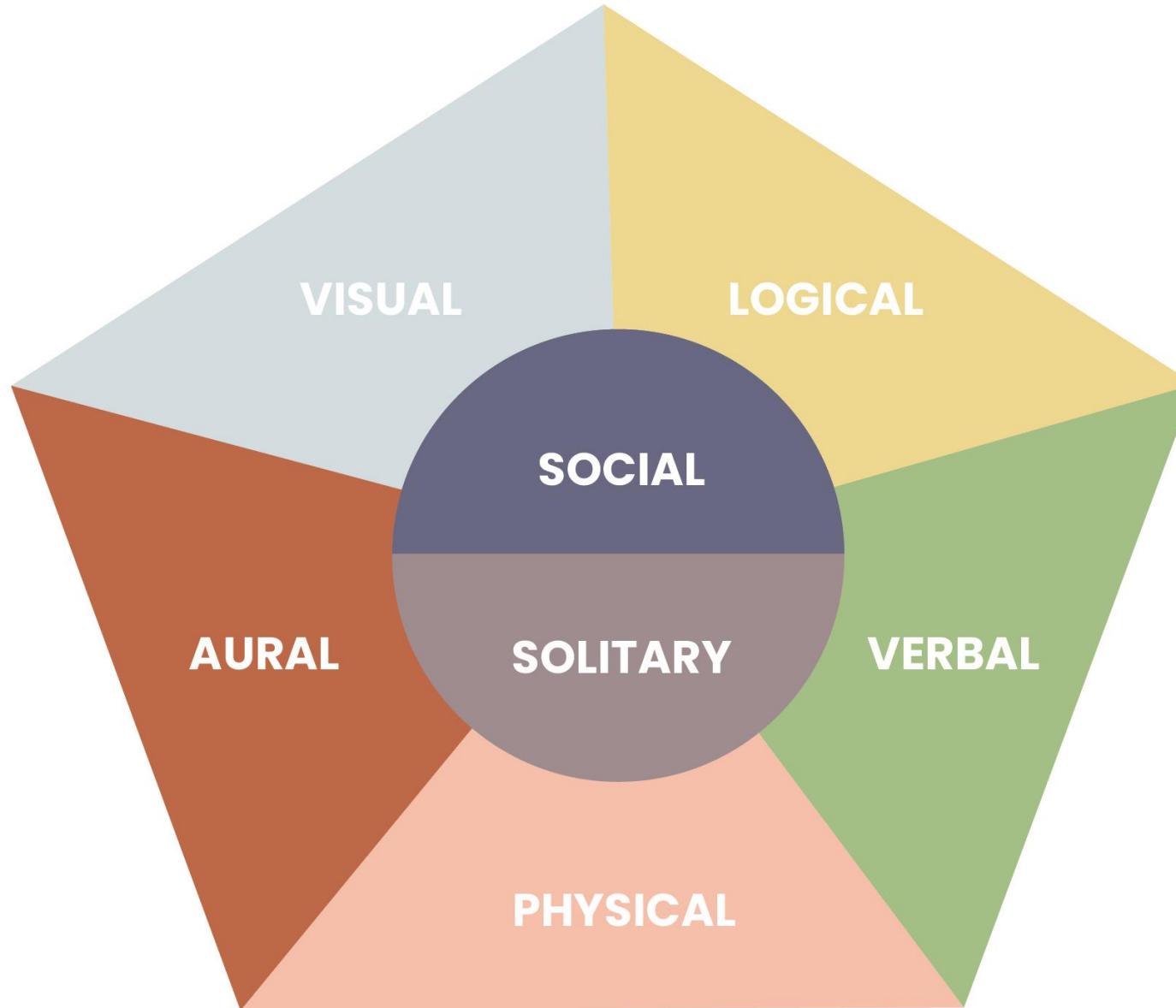


Modern Elementary Interior (from Moncure Elementary School)



"INJUSTICE ANYWHERE IS A THREAT  
TO JUSTICE EVERYWHERE."

*Martin Luther King, Jr.*





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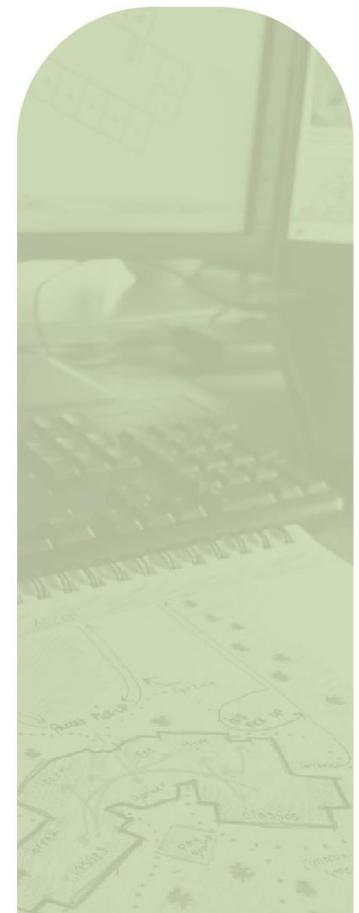
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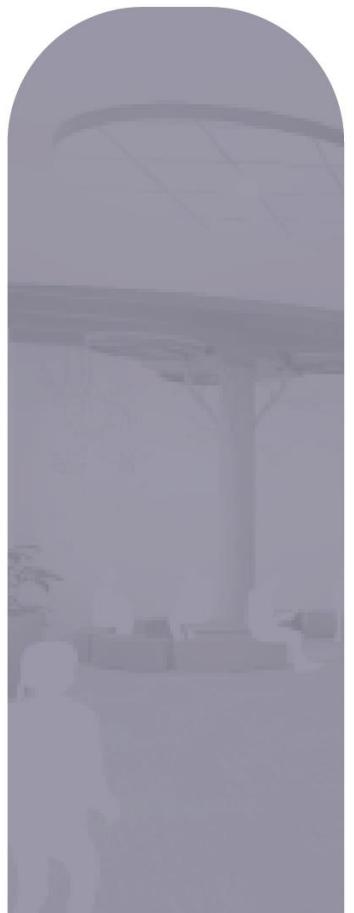
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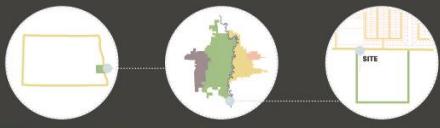
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Downtown Fargo (from Encyclopædia Britannica)



< 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 >

1984

1985

1986

1987

1988

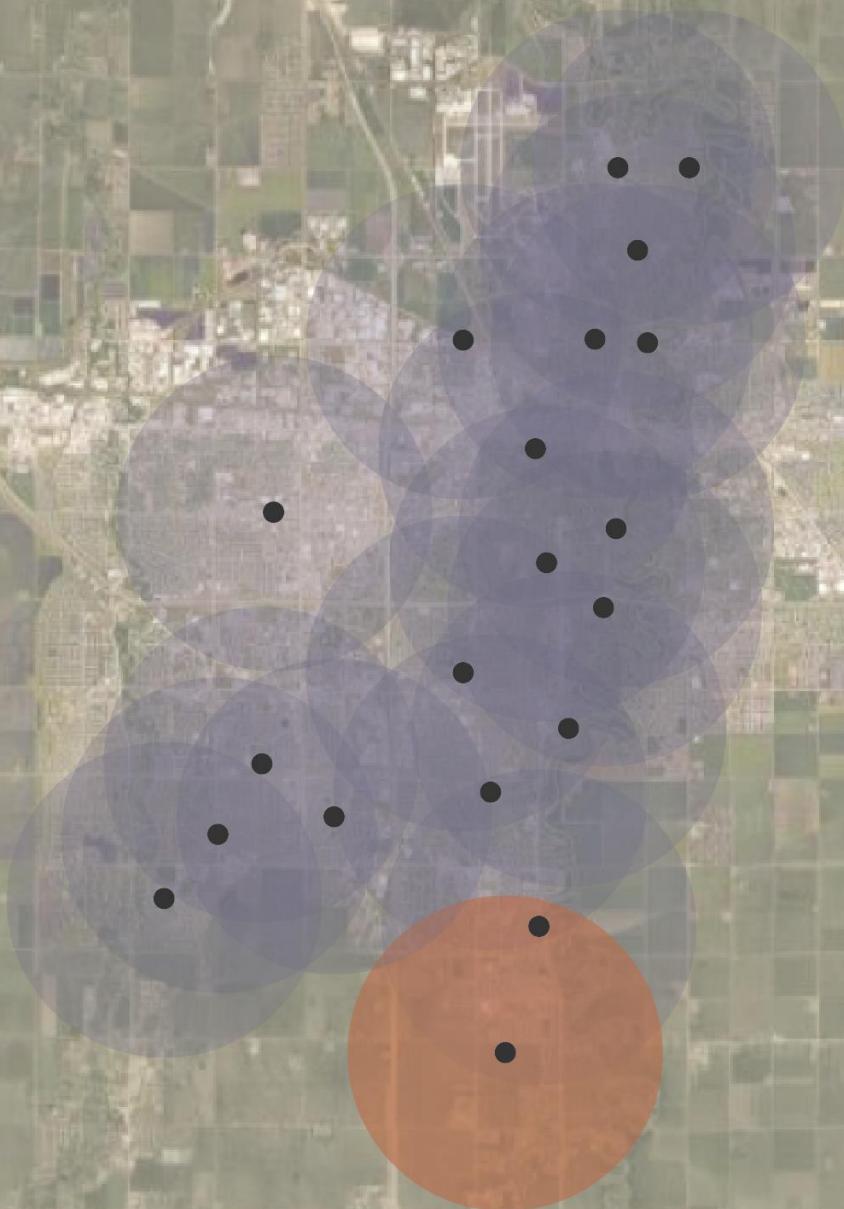
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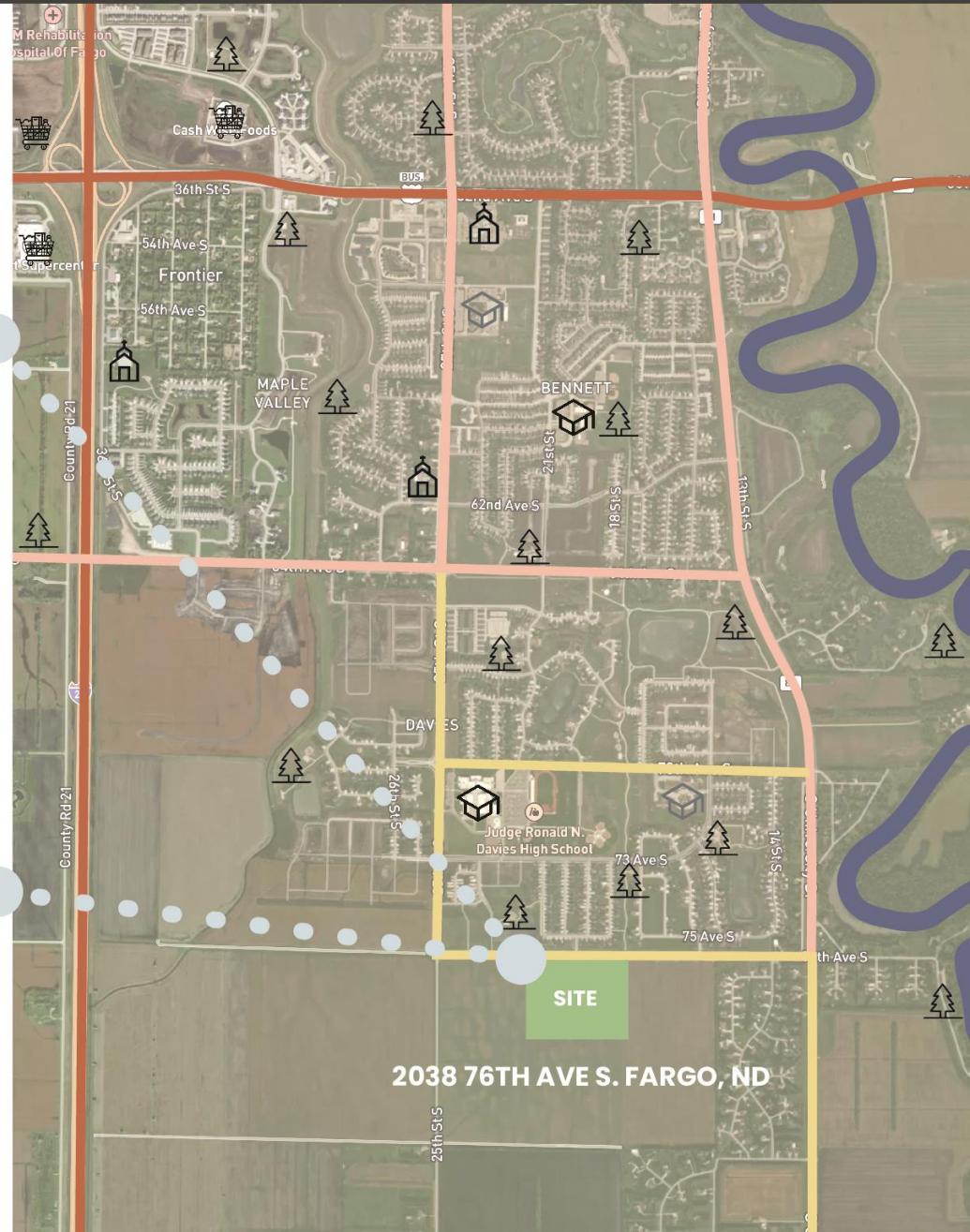
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**LOCATION NEED**

- Walkable distance
- Expansive southern growth
- Outgrowing Bennett Elementary
- Feeder to Discovery Middle and Davie's High



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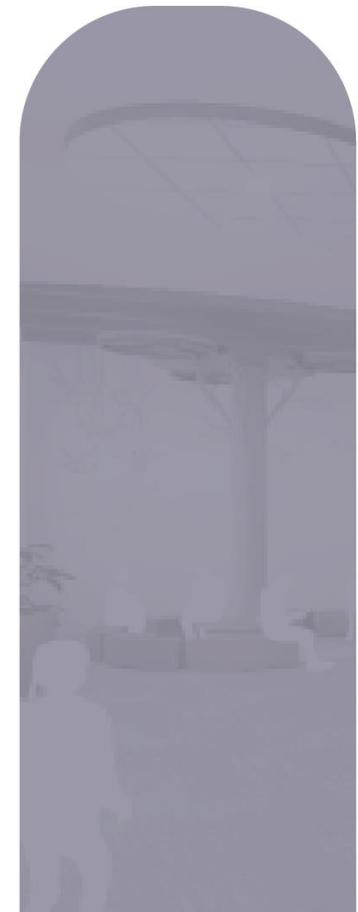
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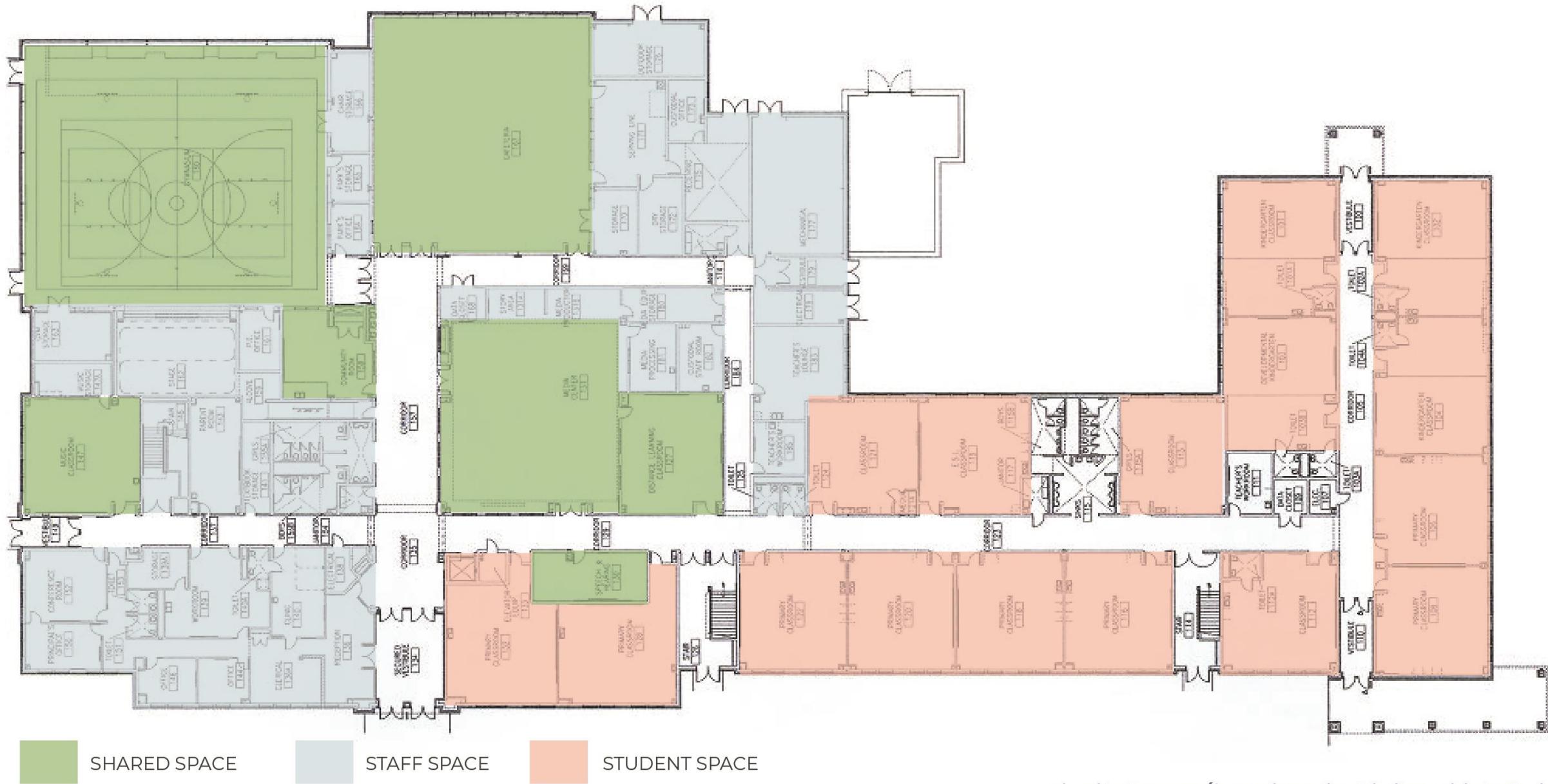


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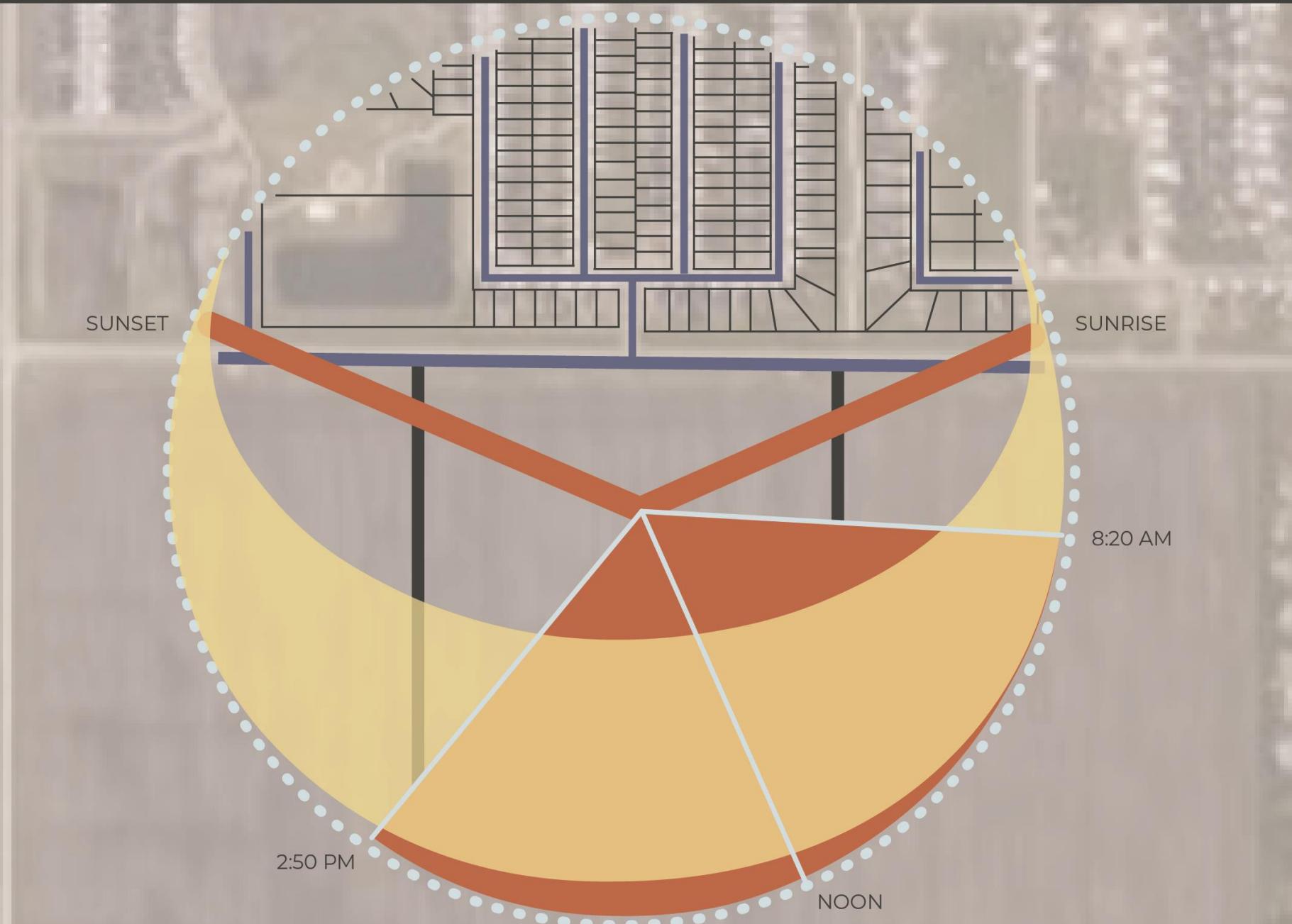


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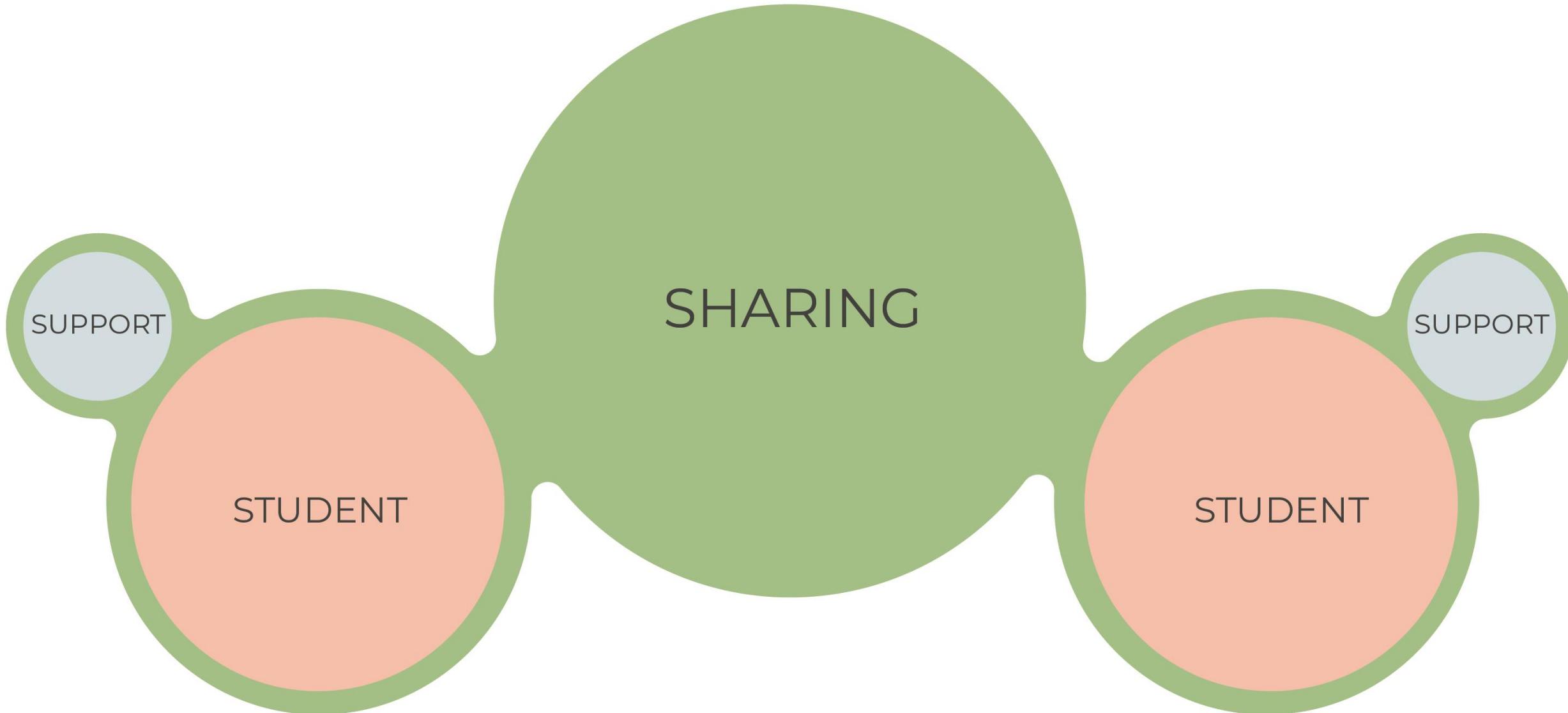
# TYPICAL SPACE UTILIZATION



# IMPORTANCE OF SUN UTILIZATION



# BEGINNING PROCESS DIAGRAMS





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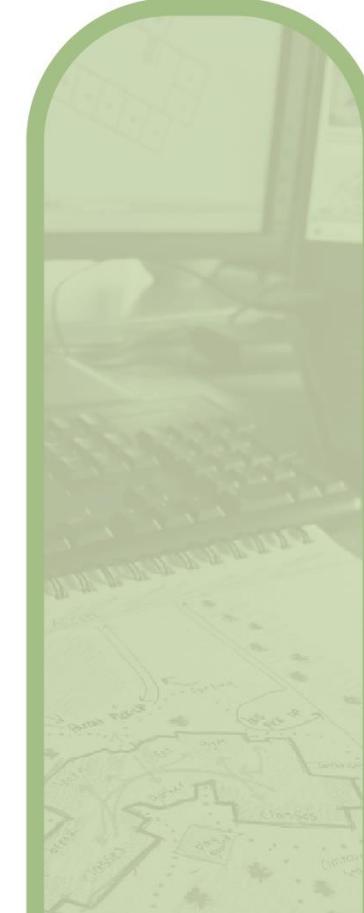
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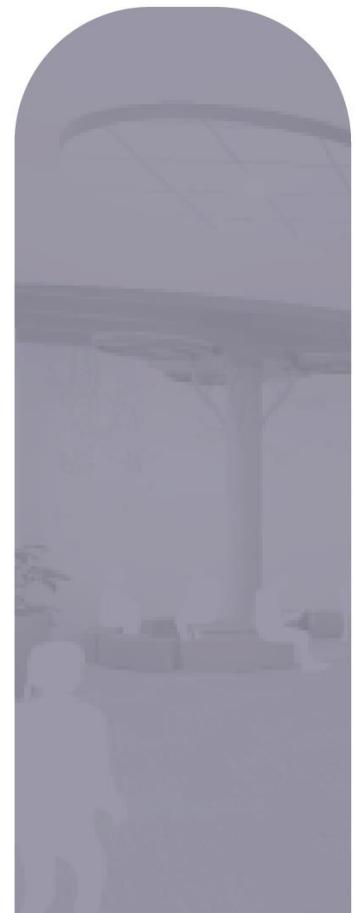
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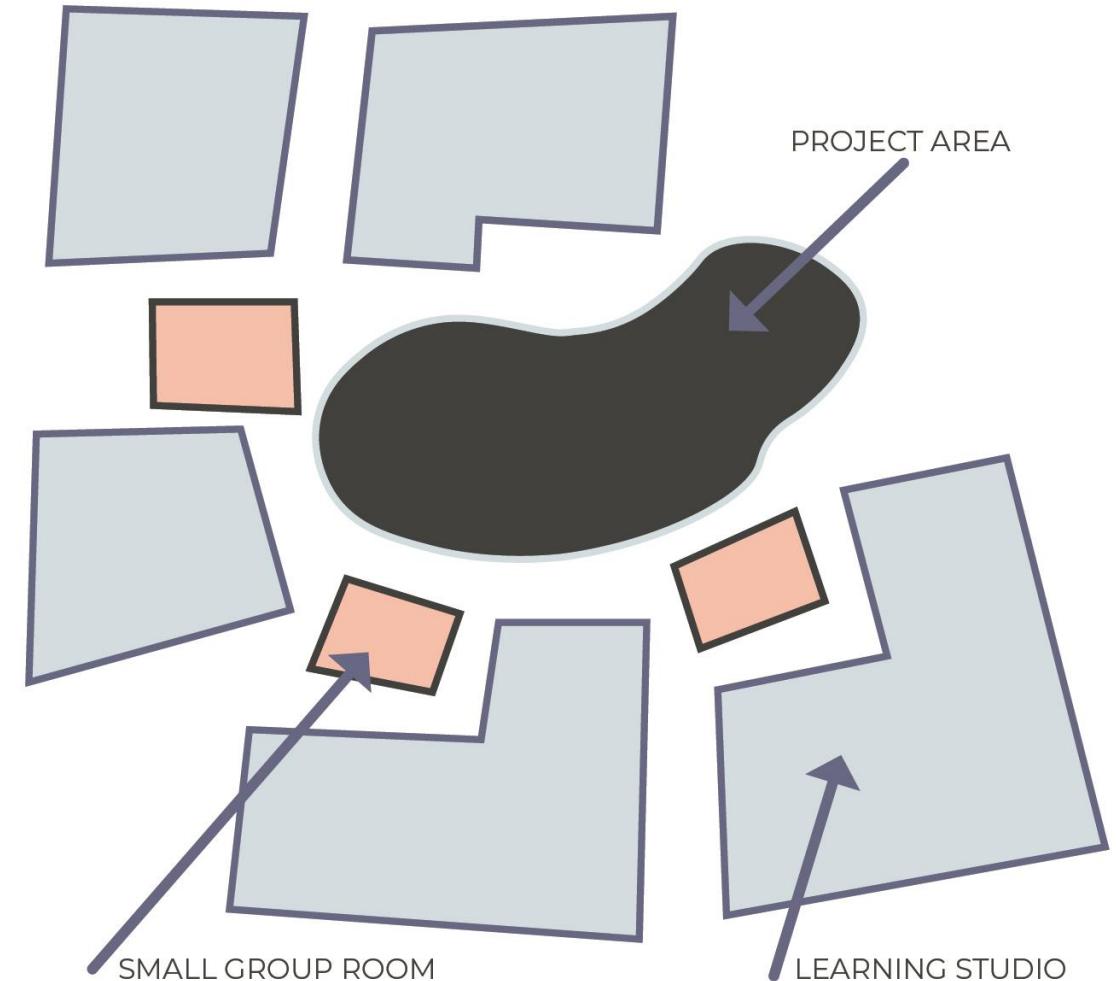
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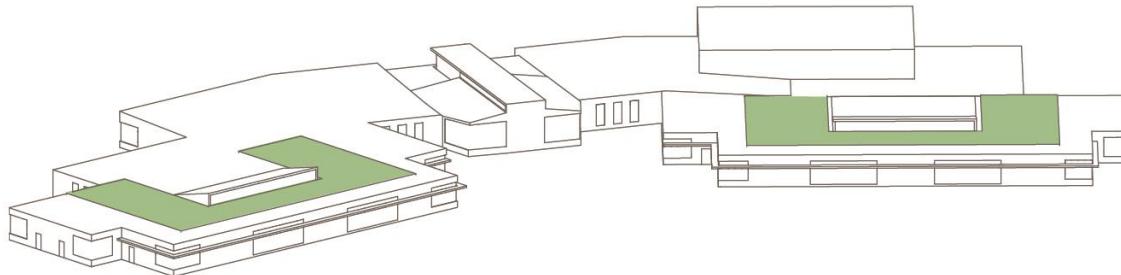
# UNIVERSAL DESIGN IMPLEMENTATION

- Single level
- Shared learning spaces
- Shared spaces with other classes
- Clustering amenities
- Close access to restrooms
- Flexible spaces
- Flexible furniture
- Integrating comfort
- Opportunity for personalization
- Wide hallways and doorways

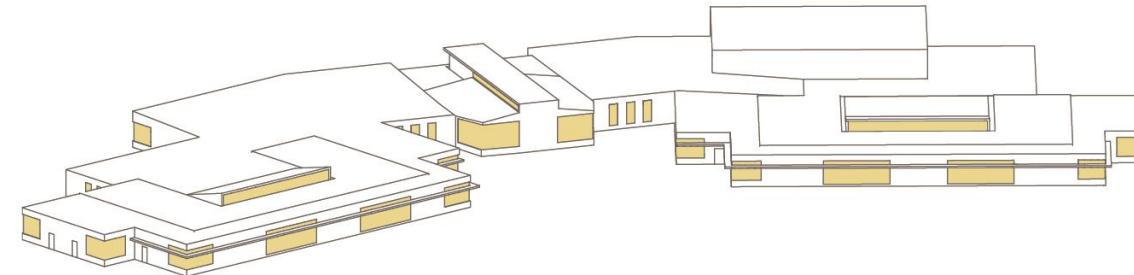
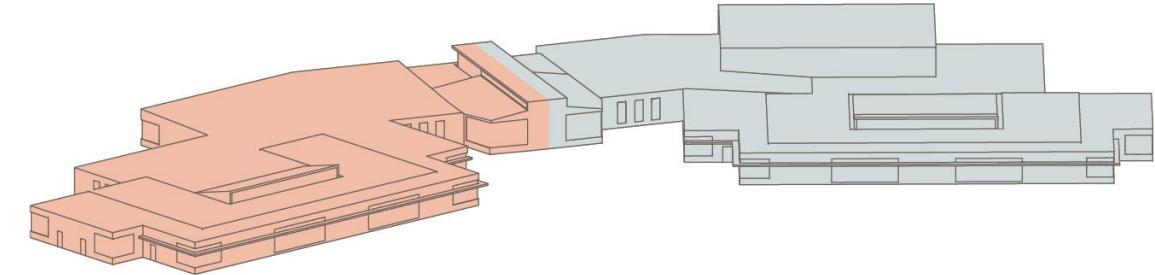


# SUSTAINABILITY IMPLEMENTATION

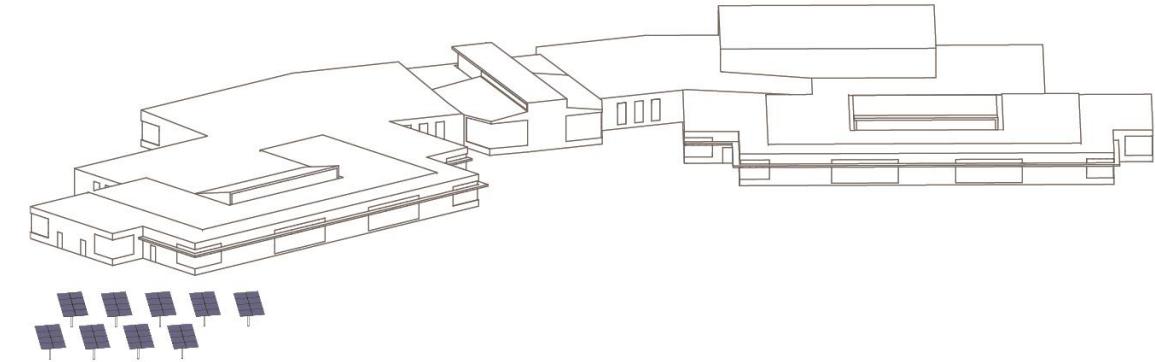
## GREEN ROOF



## GEOTHERMAL HEATING & COOLING



## SUNLIGHT EXPOSURE



## SOLAR CAPTURE



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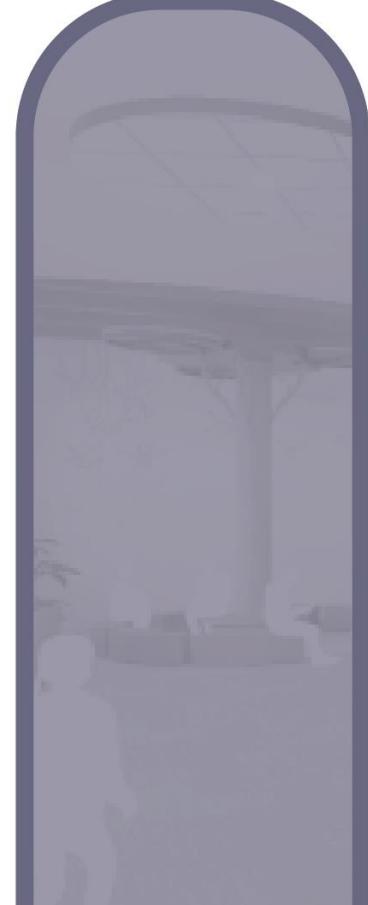
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## OVERALL PERSPECTIVE



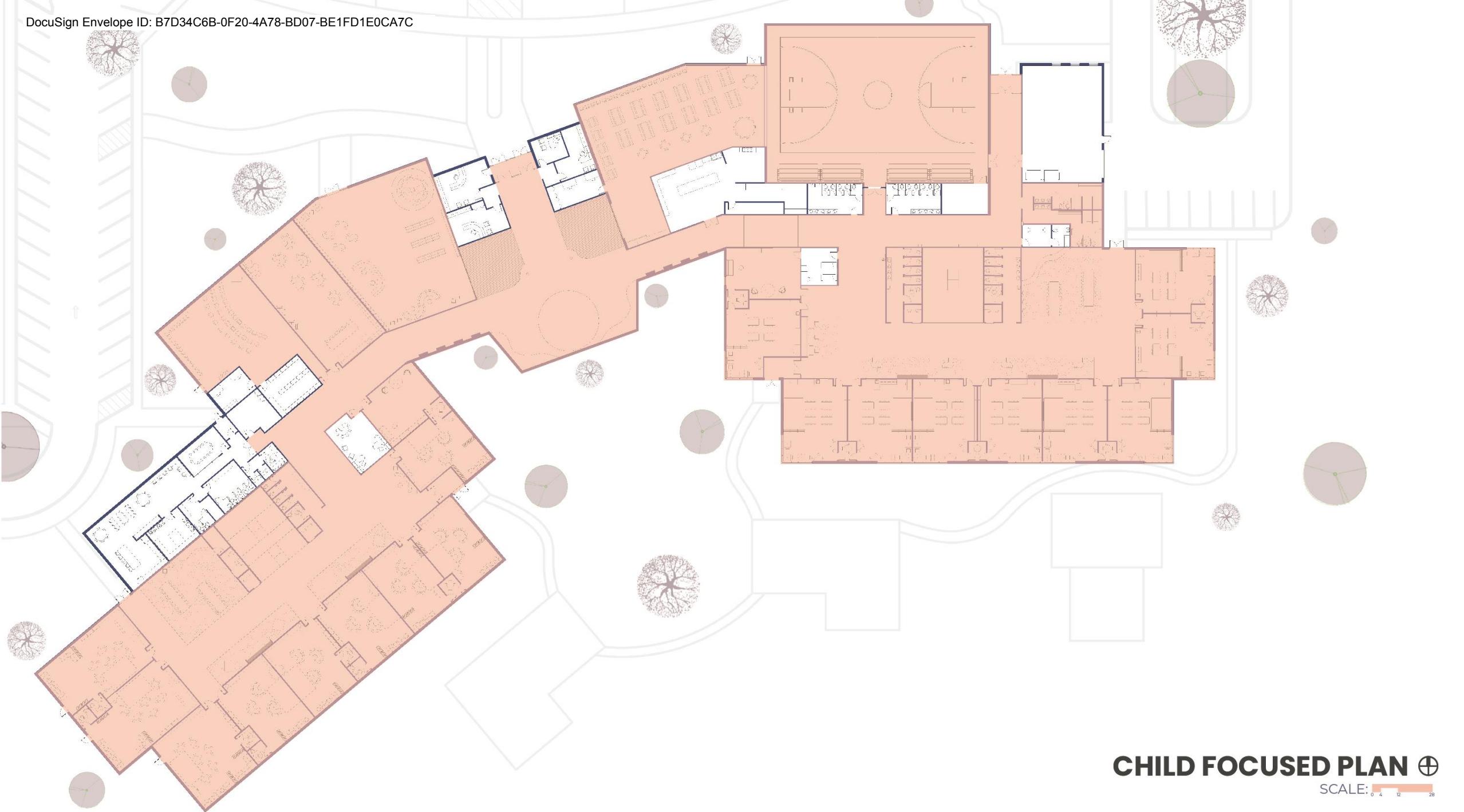
FLORENCE KLINGENSMITH ELEMENTARY





## FURNITURE PLAN

SCALE: 0 4 12 28



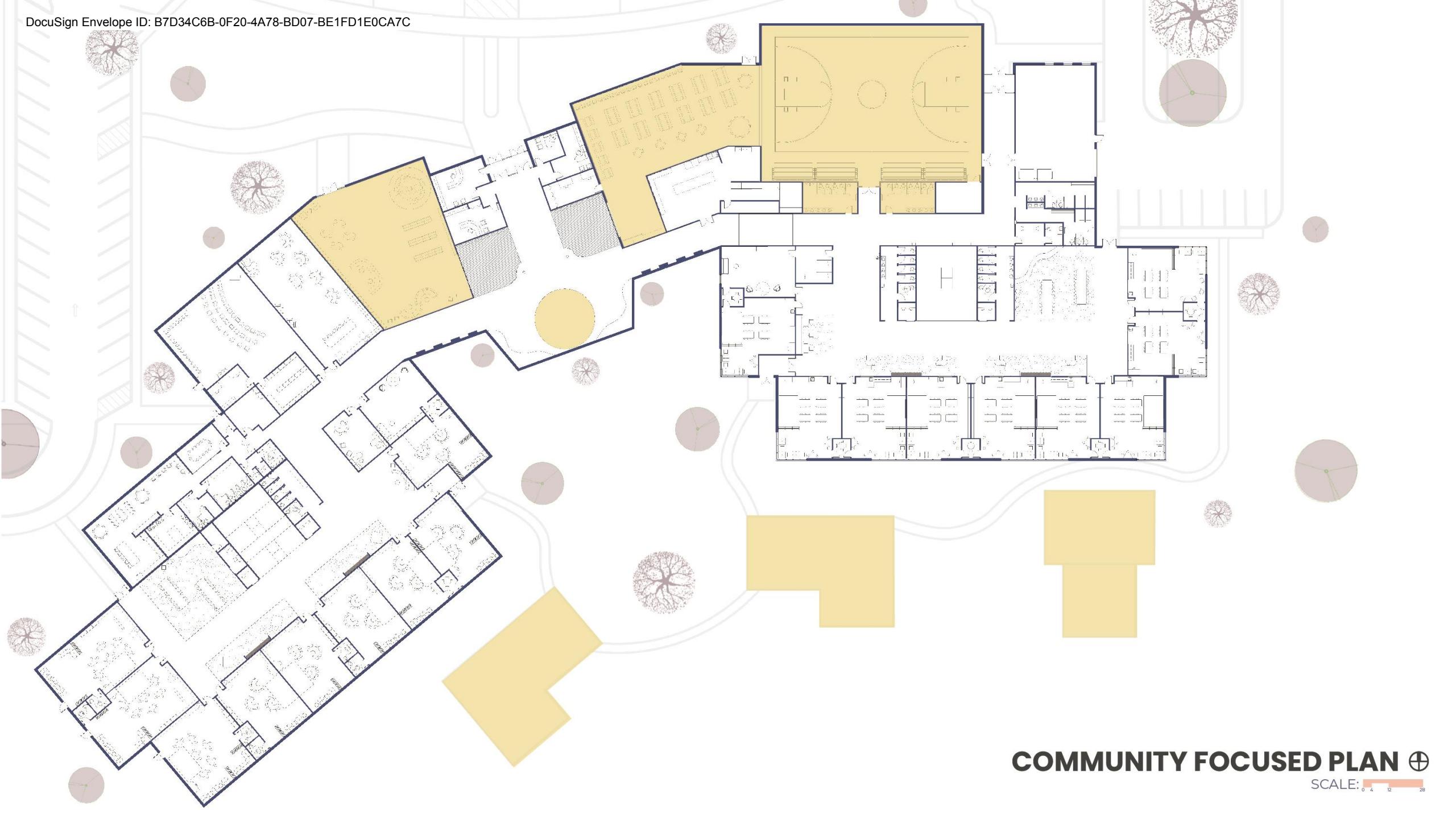
**CHILD FOCUSED PLAN**

SCALE: 0 4 12 28



**STAFF FOCUSED PLAN**

SCALE: 0 4 12 28



## COMMUNITY FOCUSED PLAN

SCALE: 0 4 12 28

# ENTRY PERSPECTIVE







HAPPY MONDAY  
FALCONS!

Date: 4/29/24

Meal: HAMBURGERS

Sides: FRIES, APPLES, BANANAS, CARROTS

Drinks: WATER, MILK, CHOCOLATE MILK

## LIBRARY PERSPECTIVE



# GYMNASIUM PERSPECTIVE



# OUTDOOR COMMUNITY SPACE PERSPECTIVE



# PLAYGROUND PERSPECTIVE



# CLASSROOM PERSPECTIVE





# SHARED LEARNING VINGETTES



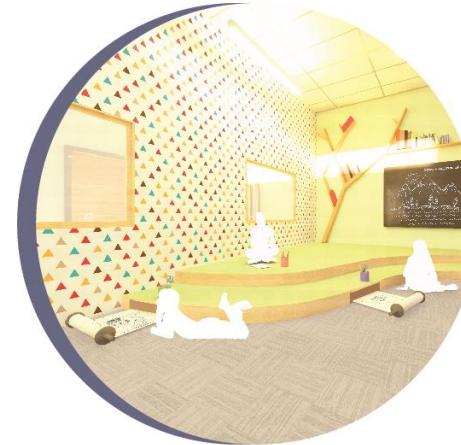
AUDITORY



LOGICAL



SOLITARY



PHYSICAL



COLLABORATIVE



VERBAL

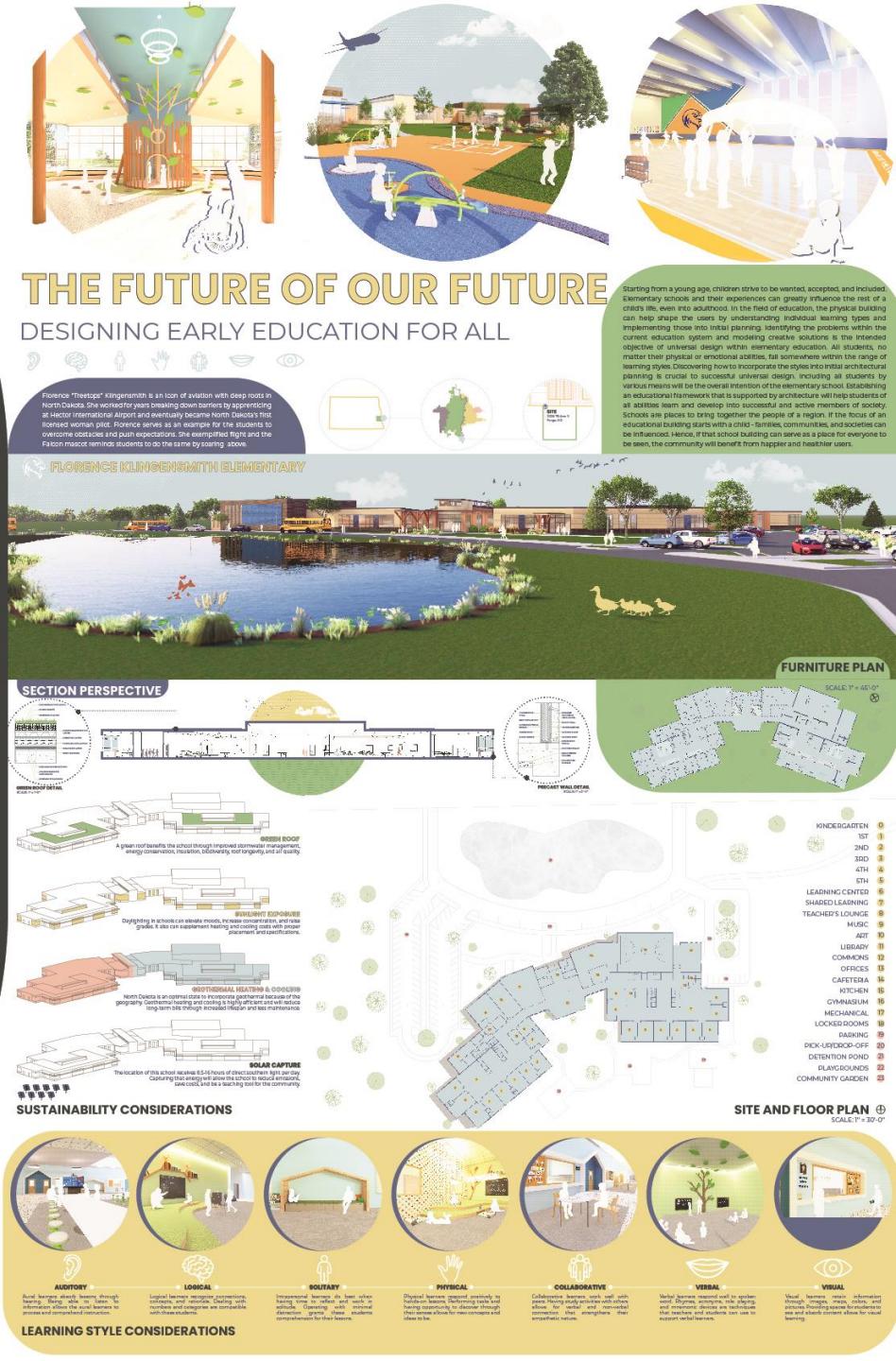


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# THANK YOU

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