

FACILITIES DEVELOPMENT GOALS

As the School Committee seeks to overcome deficiencies in its physical plant, it will strive to provide new and remodeled facilities that will offer the best possible physical environment for learning and teaching.

The School Committee aims specifically toward:

1. Facilities that will accommodate organizational and instructional patterns that support the District's educational philosophy and instructional goals,
2. Meeting all safety requirements through the remodeling of older structures,
3. Providing building renovations to meet requirements on the availability of public school facilities to handicapped persons,
4. Building design and construction that will lend themselves to low maintenance costs and the conservation of energy. These two factors will also be given special consideration in the renovation of buildings.

Decisions pertaining to educational specifications of new buildings and those undergoing extensive remodeling will be developed, in accordance with the Department of Education's school construction project guidelines, only after the viewpoints of teachers, students and parents have been sought.