

Three Phase Master Plan

In 2008, the District developed a Three Phase Master Plan that would allow all of the identified facility needs for the district to be taken care of with three separate bond projects over time. The first phase of this plan called for a bond issue in the amount of \$8,595,000 which produced various upgrades and new facilities for the high school, junior high, elementary and primary campuses. In 2010, voters' passed another \$8,595,000 bond--Phase II. As identified in the Master Plan, Phase II calls for building a new high school instructional facility.

The current George West High School was originally constructed in 1956 making the main building 55 years old. A district facilities study from 2005 found the building to be "educationally and economically obsolete". The aging building is not equipped to meet the standards of today's technological demands. Demolition has begun on the old agriculture building, science building and family & consumer science building in preparation for construction that will begin later in the spring of 2012.

Watch for photo updates on the construction here on the GWISD website.