

August Update

August 18, 2021—Classes begin at the end of August and many students will be walking into campuses with renovations and additions. Crews worked all summer in Channelview High School, Alice Johnson Junior High, McGhee, Crenshaw, Brown, Hamblen and McMullan Elementary.

Channelview High School renovations are nearing completion. The new Career and Technical Education (CTE) facility is ready for students. Students will have access to a new welding room, robotics center and culinary arts kitchen for various learning opportunities. The green screen wall system and lights have been installed in the new audio visual room. Crews continue to work on the auditorium. It will not be complete by the first day of school, but shortly thereafter.

A small ribbon cutting ceremony was held before school started with the CISD Board of Trustees. In addition, the district will be offering a community tour for those wanting to tour the campus in mid to late September.

The Channelview High School library is also undergoing significant renovations. The new library exterior brick has been installed and crews are finishing the sheetrock inside. The library is expected to be completed in October.

The main entry into Channelview High School is being installed. Crews have added the metal paneling and the renovations add a new upgraded look and added security to the campus. In addition, crews continue to work on the new enclosed entrance from Kolarik 9th Grade Campus to Channelview High School.

"I am thrilled for our students and the wonderful additions they will be walking into," said Interim Superintendent Dr. Don Beck. "This is a great way to start the school year and our students are very deserving of this. I remain grateful to the Channelview ISD community for making this possible."



Alice Johnson Junior High students will return to a completely renovated campus. The new canopy that oversees the main entrance has been added. The gym lighting has been installed and the gym floor now has the campus logo. The floors throughout the campus have been upgraded with color tiles that represent the school colors. The campus also has the school logo painted in the hallways in an effort to promote school spirit.

Significant progress has been made to the new McGhee Elementary site. Paving has been prepped on the east side of the site. Crews have added stairs in certain areas of the campus. In addition, the roof and second floor decking has also been installed.

The renovations will be complete at the following campuses--Brown, Crenshaw, Hamblen and McMullan Elementary when school begins on August 23rd. Crews added new floors, new security systems, and restroom upgrades to the four elementary campuses.

The Channelview ISD Board of Trustees, district administrators, architects and contractors continue to be committed to the 2019 Bond and ensuring your bond dollars are hard at work. Keep up with the 2019 Bond progress on our district website and social media pages.