# Welcome to the ARGYLE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT





**HS ADVISORY & PLANNING COMMITTEE** 

### **WELCOME TO THE HIGH SCHOOL ADVISORY & PLANNING COMMITTEE 2022**

- Thank you for volunteering for this committee. Your willingness to serve and your participation is appreciated.
- The committee is balanced with representation from all campuses and all geographic areas of the district.
- There are over 60 members including parents, staff and middle school and high school student participants.



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#### How did this committee originate?

- In the Fall of 2021 the AISD Bond & Growth Planning Committee met seven times over a four-month period to put together a comprehensive bond package which included 2 elementary schools, 1 middle school, technology, transportation, and updates at other facilities.
- The committee recognized the need for the elementary and middle school facilities and included those in the bond package. But the question about what the high school configuration would be continued to be a discussion topic that the committee felt the community wanted direction about before the bond election in May 2022.



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- The decision was made by the Bond & Growth Planning Committee to return the 191 S Highway 377 campus currently being used as a middle school to a future high school facility.
- No alignment decisions were made about the high school.
- The 377 campus was first used as a 6-12 facility from 1999-2008. In the fall of 2008, 6th graders began attending Argyle Intermediate along with 5th graders from Hilltop Elementary.
- In 2016 MS moved to Phase I at Canyon Falls and HS continued at 377.
- Fall 2016-Spring 2021 HS was located at 191 South Highway 377.



#### WHAT MAKES 191 SOUTH HIGHWAY 377 A HIGH SCHOOL FACILITY?

- The school was built to accommodate HS students. The amenities include:
- Auditorium
- Large band hall & percussion hall
- Stadium and track
- Girls' and visitors' field house
- Indoor Activity Center
- Baseball and softball competition fields
- Black box for theatre



#### WHAT MAKES 191 SOUTH HIGHWAY 377 A HIGH SCHOOL FACILITY?

- These amenities are not generally built for a middle school.
- Currently the 377 campus has functional capacity for 1,150 students. Argyle High School in Canyon Falls has capacity for 1,750 students. That totals 2,900 students.
- We need space for 3,900 students within 10 years.

## HIGH SCHOOL ADVISORY & PLANNING COMMITTEE 2022

**Purpose**: The purpose of the High School Advisory & Planning Committee is to represent the Argyle ISD community in the study of student enrollment growth, district finances, curriculum & instruction, school facilities, comparative analysis and extracurricular & co-curricular participation.

**Charge**: This committee is charged by the Board of Trustees to:

- represent the priorities, expectations, and values of the Argyle ISD community
- consider the needs of all of the district's students,
- present facts and data that will assist the Board of Trustees in making informed decisions, and
- present future high school configuration options to the Board of Trustees for consideration.



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