

**BUILDING AND NAMING OF
SCHOOLS, FACILITIES, CAPITAL
IMPROVEMENTS-
FACILITIES, AND NON-
CAPITAL ITEMS**

The Albemarle County School Board’s (“School Board”) goal is to provide ~~facilities~~Facilities that will best support and accommodate the Albemarle County Public Schools’ (“Division”) educational program, other school-related activities and the number of students enrolled. The School Board strives to provide new and remodeled ~~facilities~~Facilities that will offer the best possible physical environment for learning and teaching.

For purposes of School Board policies, a “~~facility~~Facility” is defined as a building or place that provides a particular service or is used for a specific purpose. This includes, but is not limited to, schools, other School Board buildings, athletic fields, playgrounds and parking lots.

The School Board’s ~~facilities~~Facilities development goals are to:

1. Construct buildings and renovations that will accommodate and facilitate those organizational and instructional patterns that support the Division’s educational philosophy and instructional goals.
2. Meet all safety requirements through the remodeling of older structures.
3. Provide the renovations needed to make public school ~~facilities~~Facilities accessible to disabled persons in accordance with federal and state laws.
4. Approve design and construction that will lend itself to low maintenance costs and the conservation of buildings.
5. Consider the viewpoints of staff, students and the community when determining the educational specifications for new buildings and projects involving major additions or renovations.

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Cross Refs: FEA, ~~Facility~~Facility Design