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Principles Guiding Building Design In the Sioux City School District

The Sioux City Community School District will involve community members throughout the planning process and in the review of building designs.

The Sioux City Community School District will incorporate the following guiding principles into the design and construction of school facilities:

- The school facility must be designed to last at least 50 years.
- The school facility must be adaptable to ongoing educational needs and flexible to incorporate many learning and teaching approaches.
- The school facility must allow for current and future technologies as an integral learning tool supportive of instruction.
- The school facility must encourage community use and, where possible, community partnerships.
- The school facility must be efficient to operate, and environmentally sensitive.
- The school facility must support teacher-to-teacher interaction for planning and communication.
- The school facility must be a safe place in which to learn and work.

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