

Q1: What are some things you are concerned about regarding the facility upgrades?

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Priorities Summary

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	overall rating	participant count	average rating
Separation between primary and secondary grades.	91	44	2.07
Classroom size and space for primary classrooms	87	44	1.98
Enough classrooms for all the kids	87	43	2.02
Need for a playground suitable for K-3	82	46	1.78
Exposure to inappropriate behavior	71	40	1.77
Parking and pickup/dropoff at the new facility.	69	37	1.86
Adequate and separate gym time.	68	39	1.74
Separate playground areas for the different ages	68	36	1.89
Continuation of the unique programs that the current primary school offers.	67	33	2.03
Separate bathrooms and change rooms	65	41	1.59
Need for a music room or fine arts space	64	35	1.83
Lack of space	55	31	1.77
Amount of space for Family Resource Workers and Project REACH	43	24	1.79
High school and elementary administrative needs are quite different.	42	22	1.91

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The planning process feels very rushed	42	18	2.33
Better security after modernization	41	25	1.64
Ensuring that the newest and best technology is incorporated into the design	41	22	1.86
staff losing their jobs	41	29	1.41
Adequate number of teachers.	40	24	1.67
Disruption to students and educators while renovation is occurring.	40	23	1.74
The wide age group of students who will be in one facility.	40	18	2.22
That money will run out before proper upgrades can be accomplished.	38	26	1.46
Separate bell times to avoid interaction of younger and older students	37	26	1.42
Having a common goal of what is best for the students	36	26	1.38
School yard facilities	36	24	1.50
I am concerned about money being wasted on non essential items.	33	16	2.06
Lack of staff input	31	17	1.82
Lower sinks and toilets for the lower grades.	31	25	1.24
That the footprint of the school is not being expanded.	31	17	1.82
Younger children moving to a non-peanut safe school earlier.	31	12	2.58
Individual attention given to younger kids.	30	20	1.50
Child safety during construction	26	15	1.73
Closing down facilities in a small community.	23	13	1.77
Lack of library space	21	14	1.50
Losing the crosstown bus	17	12	1.42
School identity and school pride for the high school students	14	9	1.56
The population of the student body is too high for a k-12 school	14	11	1.27
Ability to lock off primary area In evenings.	13	10	1.30
Older students helping younger students	11	8	1.38
dismissal times	4	3	1.33

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Ability to lock off primary area In evenings.

G2

Thought: Ability to lock off primary area In evenings.

T92

Need to be able to lock off the primary area so the high school area where the lockers have locks after hours. This will allow the continued use of the high school gym and extra curricular activity areas after hours.

Adequate and separate gym time.

G3

Thought: Gym space, library space, busing, dismissal times

T1

Thought: Limited sport opportunities!

T4

Various age groups and not enough access to gym facilities to accommodate!

- Gymnastics,
- Basketball,
- Soccer,
- Football,
- Volley ball
- Etc

Thought: Is there enough facilities for phys ed.

T8

Will there be adequate opportunity for physical education.

Thought: Sharing gym

T10

Daily physical activity is important and I can not figure out how this can be achieved with only 2 gyms even if the big gym is divided.

Thought: The primary school need there own gym

T18

We as parents think that the primary school needs there own gym are the gym time for the 4 to 6 kids is with the 7-9. There has also been concern with bullying. We do not want the little kids to be involved with that.

Thought: Gym space a

T26

Making sure there is enough gym space for all the children and enough physical activity in the day.

Thought: Gym space & time

T44

As I see now, the 2 gyms at JCC are used to their max. Is there going to be enough gym time for the younger kids once they are incorporated into the school? I don't think doing games or having playtime in the classroom equals time in the gym. Younger students especially need time out of the classroom to run off their excess energy so they can adequately use time in the classroom to learn.

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Adequate and separate gym time. **G3**

Thought: Gym space **T58**

As of right now my daughters class is currently having to share the gym space with other classes, I am worried when there are even more classes in the same school that they will either lose gym time or they will be sharing the space with other classes. Too many kids in one class is not very good in my opinion.

Thought: Adequate gym time. **T99**

Obesity and health issues related to obesity and sedentary life style are on the rise. Our children K to 12 need adequate gym and fitness time.

Thought: Gymnasium space **T125**

I do not want numerous classes sharing gym space

Adequate number of teachers. **G4**

Thought: Adequate number of teachers. **T73**

Amount of space for Family Resource Workers and Project REACH **G9**

Thought: Amount of space for Family Resource Workers and Project REACH **T31**

There are currently two Family Resource Workers in Hanna. They require their own space to meet with students. It is important to consult them as to their specific needs of their programs before the modernization so space can be made available for both of them. Due to the nature of their roles and the confidentiality they need to do their work, they shouldn't have to share space. Also, Project REACH is a great opportunity that our schools have access to. They also need space to do programming. There are currently 2 Wellness Workers and one Coordinator in Hanna. By combining the schools, people might think that there isn't a need to have 2 FRW's and 2 Wellness Workers but there will won't be a decrease in students. These programs work with students so there will still be a need for all of them.

Better security after modernization **G54**

Thought: Security **T40**

I grew up in a small town k-12 school with 500 kids, and when the bell rang all doors were locked except the doors that went by the office and you needed to sign in when you arrived and left. It shocked me you could walk into the primary school through any door any time of day. I hope this is not the case after the modernization.

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Better security after modernization

G54

Thought: Student safety

T118

Unfortunately, we live in a world where it seems that psychotic behaviour is occurring more and more. How is the upgraded school going to address the physical security requirements of the 21st century?

Suggestion: the doors to the exterior of the building could be managed with a card-lock access (key card swipe and number pad). Recognizing that no system is 100% foolproof, this would still be a simple measure to implement and use to provide a heightened measure of protection. I would like to see this type of card-lock access implemented between the segregated areas of the school such that the students are only allowed to go where their programmed card gives them access. Should the need arise for students to use a facility in an area where they do not normally have access, a teacher/aide would be given access to the area and would be responsible for allowing their students into the area and for ensuring that everyone returns to their normal work area when the activity is completed.

Thought: Security

T132

Ensure there is a way to ensure that the younger children's belonging are safe and secure.....they are too young to have locks on their lockers.

Thought: Security measures

T155

There needs to be measures in place to ensure movement of the students is authorized and so non-students entering the building must pass by and register with a "gatekeeper".

Child safety during construction

G15

Thought: School safety

T52

Neither school is currently very secure for student and staff safety. With so many workers coming through the school while it's under construction I hope everyone will have a RCMP report done on them to screen those who will be in close proximity to the children.

Thought: Child safety

T53

A construction zone is inherently dangerous, hence the hard hats. While the area may be blocked off I would hope that extra measures would be taken to test the air quality throughout the upgrades to ensure that those in the building aren't taking in dangerous chemicals.

Thought: Safety

T114

What are some things you are concerned about regarding the facility upgrades?

Classroom size and space for primary classrooms	G16
Thought: Making sure of adequate space for all students in classrooms.	T5
Thought: Classroom size for primary classrooms Primary classrooms come with a lot of stuff. To make students education hands on there are alot of things needed.	T21
Thought: areas to work out of ,class room sizes, congestion in hallways as well as in drop off areas for students	T47
Thought: I am concerned that they will make our space to small. K-3 needs space.	T48
Thought: Size off classrooms How many kids per teachers! Aids!	T57
Thought: Classroom sizes I understand that the students per square foot is feasible at JC Charyk to accommodate K-12 grades, however I am concerned about the class sizes increasing to fit in the space. You are not trying to fit more children in to existing classes but you are essentially trying to fit 8 more classes in to the school (2 classes of each grade)	T59
Thought: Classroom Sizes Make sure the classroom sizes are adequate for the amount of students in the class.	T67
Thought: classroom size, etc -primary classrooms need a comfortable- sized classroom that encourages movement -sink -storage space (primary teachers have lots of "stuff") -gym time -washrooms need to be close to classrooms -more than 1 boot room (155+ students cannot enter and leave through 1 door) -library? What happens to all our books? Primary students still use/read books.	T80
Thought: SIZE OF CLASSES. The current grade 1 class consists of 3 classes is there room at the JC Charyk to continue this especially if the kindergarten class next year requires 3 classes as well. When theses kids are older they likely can be combined into 2 classes but for the next number of years they should continue to be in 3 classes unless class size decreases to at least 45. Up to grade 6 I would want them separate	T100
Thought: SIZE OF CLASSROOMS The young the children the larger the classroom they need. These kids need a lot of materials and storage space. Currently the 3rd Grade 1 class is crammed into a small room and I don't this that this should be allowed on a regular basis. Kindergartens especially need extra room to move around.	T106

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Classroom size and space for primary classrooms	G16
Thought: Properly placed and adequate space for all needed classrooms and resources.	T113
Thought: I am concerned about lack of appropriate classroom space.	T157

Closing down facilities in a small community.	G71
Thought: Closing down facilities in a small community.	T161

Continuation of the unique programs that the current primary school offers.	G20
Thought: Continuation of the unique programs that the current primary school offers.	T7
Thought: Gymnastics Club	T45
My concern is the Gymnastics Club won't have anywhere to keep their equipment once the Primary school is torn down. Is JCC going to build somewhere where the Club can store their equipment and still be able to use one of the gyms for practice? I would hate to see the Gymnastics Club fold. I realize this isn't a school-based club but if the funds were raised would the school allow the Gymnastics club to use the gym?	
Thought: Concerned about losing options.	T83
I am worried if we are pressed for space that we will lose things such as phased time, cooking, art etc;	
Thought: Will there be space for elective classes and after school programs.	T87
Now that we will be using the school to its full capacity and yes there will be a addition onto the school but will elective type classes suffer or will it be a struggle to Be able to get gym times for extra curricular actives	
Thought: WHAT ABOUT OTHER COMMUNITY PROGRAMS?	T103
Will clubs like gymnastics and soccer who currently use the primary school gym be allowed to have their extracurricular activities at the 'new' school and is there appropriate storage for their equipment? Are you going to put in the special equipment that gymnastics requires to operate?	
Thought: Extracurricular activities	T126
Clubs like the Hanna Gymnastics club, indoor soccer, etc. will they be allocated time in the modernized facility	
Thought: The quality of education	T165

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dismissal times

G30

Thought: Gym space, library space, busing, dismissal times

T1

Disruption to students and educators while renovation is occurring.

G22

Thought: Disruption to students and educators while process is occurring.

T13

Renovation is a tumultuous, exciting experience. It has a huge impact on the people living and working in and through it. I understand the goal is to provide minimal impact on existing students and teachers, but the fact is, there will be an impact. I expect there will be educational days lost to moving people and resources-how will this be managed to minimize loss of classroom hours? How much extra work will be created for staff while the shuffling goes on?

Thought: Noise

T54

While some students can focus through noise, others can't. As a parent with a child with ADHD I know for us this will be of particular concern, as he has difficulty in a regular class focusing and achieving academically and socially, let alone with construction nearby.

Thought: Minimizing disruption to students during the modernization construction.

T88

I am concerned that an adequate plan is developed to minimize disruption to students at JC during construction. secondly that the move occurs in such a way to minimize disruption to primary school children (ie) have them nice over the summer.

Thought: Organized.

T98

I would like to see that the schedules are so well planned and running smoothly that our teachers get to spend their time educating and not juggling schedules for space or class rooms or gym time.

Thought: Space renovations causing undue hardship on the existing students

T116

Although some of the proposed floor plans suggest that there is enough room to re-work the existing space to accommodate K-12, the renovations are sure to cause major disruptions to the daily life of each JC Charyk student. What are you going to do to obtain the buy-in from the JCC students such that they view this amalgamation as a positive and do not end up resenting the project or the K-3 children because of it?

Thought: That the students at JC Charyk will be displaced during the renovations and in portable classrooms.

T149

Enough classrooms for all the kids

G17

Thought: We need more classrooms than are currently available.

T19

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Enough classrooms for all the kids

G17

We need enough classrooms. There are currently not enough classrooms over there if HPS were to move over today. Currently, there are three first grade classes and music is on the stage. Both gyms will be utilized fully so having music on the stage should not be an option. Are you considering what will happen in 10 years time when you have harder choices to make when other communities may need to bring their students to Hanna. Are you making enough classrooms to accommodate the future?

Thought: Enough classrooms for all the kids. Keeping them to 20 students or under.

T64

Ensuring that the newest and best technology is incorporated into the design

G25

Thought: Ensure that the newest and best technology is incorporated into the design to ensure students are kept in step with schools in the larger centres.

T79

Thought: Technological supports

T156

Students should have access to internet (wireless), along with smart board supports/software supports for their own note-taking and document compilation. There could also be access to virtual libraries (fiction as well)

Exposure to inappropriate behavior

G26

Thought: Exposure to inappropriate behavior

T2

For example, fighting, swearing, kissing

Thought: Separating the younger children from older children.

T14

The more mature students often speak inappropriately about mature subjects. Care need to be taken that the younger students are not exposed to these conversations.

Thought: Safety of the younger children

T35

We are concerned for the physical and emotional security of the younger children if they are forced to mingle with the older students in the school.

Thought: influence of older kids on the little ones

T51

I am concerned that with the intergration of the two schools the younger children will have negative influences from the behavior of the older kids. Along with this is the concern that things like drugs, smoking, and sex will be introduced at a younger age.

Thought: If this is part of the move of the elementary school into the High

T63

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Exposure to inappropriate behavior

G26

School, my concern is that young children will be subjected to the attitudes and issues of the older crowds. Possible bullying, over crowding as more children are coming into an age of schooling, etc. This is not the right way to go with our youth and throw them into some sort of multi age melting pot. Keep the Primary School separate from the High School!

Thought: Older children picking on the young ones, to many children in one place

T74

Thought: HOW ARE WE GOING TO MAINTAIN THAT THIS IS AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ATTITUDE

T101

Is there a way that that grade 7 or 8 and up have limited contacted with the younger children. A lot of the high school students are great but there are a few that forget that they need to respect that young children are around that they they don't need to be exposed to cerain topics and in some cases even bullying. Therefore, it needs to be upto the staff when the high school students have access to the primary students and not at the students free will as that is when the negative aspects of having a combined school will come out.

Thought: Will we maintain separation between elementary and high school?

T109

Will unsupervised elementary and high school mingling be allowed???? Not really comfortable with Jr High and Sr High students mingling unsupervised with elementary children in washrooms, locker rooms, corridors, etc.

Thought: Interaction between younger and older children.

T123

This concerns us because we feel younger children will be unnecessarily exposed to behaviors of older children that are inappropriate for children much younger. We feel the younger children will absolutely copy these behaviors. We still strongly believe that there should be separation between the different levels of maturity. With the facility upgrades we would like to see a means of limiting the interaction between older and younger children.

Thought: Younger students being exposed to behaviour/language of older children

T127

Clear separation of students

Thought: Separated space

T154

It is important the students have separation so the younger students are not exposed to more mature behaviours

Having a common goal of what is best for the students

G32

Thought: HAVING A COMMON GOAL OF WHAT IS BEST FOR THE STUDENTS

T105

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Having a common goal of what is best for the students

G32

Currently there are two groups of teachers and we don't want the needs of one group of students to be sacrificed in order to benefits the other group of students. In some cases there may need to be 2 approaches in order to meet the needs of the students and the school needs to be able to accomadate any of theses needs

High school and elementary administrative needs are quite different.

G33

Thought: High school and elementary administrative needs are quite different.

T110

Will two sets of administration be maintained-one for high school students and one for elementary? When I was a student, for a brief while we had one set of administration for 1-12 BUT we only had about 100 students in total. As a grade 1 student, I was terrified of the principal and vice principal because they always had BIG kids in the office and the big kids enjoyed scaring the little ones.

I am concerned about money being wasted on non essential items.

G35

Thought: That a large portion of the money will be spent on the tendering process and electrical and plumbing upgrades, instead of design and other facility upgrades.

T145

Thought: That the funds for the facility upgrades at JC Charyk have to include the cost of demolition of the elementary school.

T146

Thought: I am concerned about money being wasted on non essential items.

T158

I would hope the priority is on proper classrooms and essential upgrades that will accommodate all our grades now and in the future. I do not want to see money spent on archtectral beauty. Let's be practical and modern.

Individual attention given to younger kids.

G68

Thought: Individual attention given to younger kids.

T71

The attention that Mrs. Limpert and the staff give to the children at the elementary school is amazing. They know each child by name and show great care. I am worried by combining the schools this individual attention will be lost and that the teachers and support staff will be asked to direct there attention to the entire school. This is a selfish reason but it's wonderful knowing if my child is having a bad day that the staff can focus on him/her on a smaller scale.

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Lack of library space G40

Thought: Gym space, library space, busing, dismissal times T1

Thought: Library fit the kids T133

The younger kids need a space of their own in the library, ideally with a story time area where they can be read to. It is important that the shelving is not high in this area as the students won't be able to reach the books otherwise. The younger kids are some of the biggest users of the library so it is important that part of the library is geared to them, not just the older kids.

Thought: Library space T153

Same as with the washroom issue, will different ages be using this area at the same time?

Lack of space G38

Thought: Adequate space T9

I am concerned that there will not be enough space for the children. I think the size of the classrooms as well as the hallways need to be considered. Our little ones need plenty of room to put on their winter gear and the hallway in the current high school end is not wide enough.

Thought: Making sure there is appropriate room for all students. T12

I hope that there is enough space for the kids. Just moving walls may not mean adequate personal space, learning space, and room for various optional classes. The plans need to reflect the actual space that all kids need to have.

Thought: I am concerned about everyone being squished into the existing space. T17

Thought: Enough usable space for students/staff T24

I hope the quality and amount of time/space for every student and member of faculty remains the same and hopefully upgraded. Staff will need to continue to have prep time in the classroom before class starts, when necessary. Students will also need to have better access to gym facilities and technology resources than they do currently. If the status quo is not improved upon, then this process can't be called an upgrade

Thought: Lack of space T30

I think moving the students before all the construction is completed will make the school cramped and affect the quality of education the younger students will receive

Thought: The amount of physical space in the building T37

We are concerned that there be enough usable floor space in the building to accommodate the needs of all the students without the frustrations of sharing spaces with difficult schedule conflicts. Will there be enough gymnasium space without younger children being exposed to hassles with older students?

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Lack of space	G38
Thought: Enough space for all students	T43
I would like to see the size of the school building increased. I don't think there is enough space to adequately house all students that are going to be there. And from the data shown at the previous public meetings enrollment in the lower grades is going up. There was talk of planning to use the stage of the gym as a classroom. To me that means there is not enough adequate classroom space. Also is there is always the looming threat of more rural schools closing (Youngstown, Berry Creek, Byemoor). Is JCC big enough to house the majority of those students if one of these schools close?	
Thought: areas to work out of ,class room sizes, congestion in hallways as well as in drop off areas for students	T47
Thought: Adequate space, time & resources for all children	T55
I am against the closing of Hanna Primary. That being said, if this goes ahead I am very concerned that there will not be enough gym time, library time, computer lab time, etc for all of the students. I am told there is a strain on the resources that are at J.C. Charyk already, how will they be expanded to accommodate all of the additional children. Will there be an outdoor fenced play area for the younger grades that is age appropriate for younger children? I would like to see complete open book policy with the community if this project is to go ahead.	
Thought: Not cutting rooms in half or losing a gymnasium.	T69
Thought: Adequate room for the students.	T72
Thought: Will there be enough dedicated space for elementary and jr/sr high?	T108
Gym space is already at a premium. Will library space be dedicated for each group?? How about lunch room and playground space??? Administrative space???	
Thought: Space	T112
One of the biggest concerns students voice is a quiet work environment.	
Thought: Insufficient space	T117
Will there be enough space to handle every classroom including specialty classes (i.e. music on the stage)?	
Thought: Adequate space	T129
Ensuring that there is enough space for everyone. We currently have 3 grade one classes, are they going to be able to accommodate that or are they only considering 2 classes for each grade? There may be other years where there is a large number of students that need over 2 classes.	
Thought: time and space for all the children	T159

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<p>Lack of space</p> <p>Thought: Overcrowding in the facility.</p>	<p>G38</p> <p>T162</p>
<p>Lack of staff input</p> <p>Thought: Opportunities to consult with staff.</p> <p>Staff should be consulted on their needs and have input into the upgrades. Not just through a thoughtstream but face to face. This should be done throughout the process.</p> <p>Thought: Input of staff</p> <p>Will staff be given enough input into the design of the facility? Shouldn't the people who will actually be using the space get a say in how it will work?</p>	<p>G37</p> <p>T34</p> <p>T138</p>
<p>Losing the crosstown bus</p> <p>Thought: Gym space, library space, busing, dismissal times</p> <p>Thought: Crosstown Bus</p> <p>My concern with moving to the other school is that they will take away the cross-town bus. We are a family that lives close to the Primary School right now and having a cross-town bus to the other school is a big help.</p>	<p>G21</p> <p>T1</p> <p>T22</p>
<p>Lower sinks and toilets for the lower grades.</p> <p>Thought: Enough washrooms. Lower sinks and toilets for the lower grades.</p> <p>Thought: I would like to see the small children get their own bathroom.</p>	<p>G24</p> <p>T70</p> <p>T81</p>
<p>Need for a music room or fine arts space</p> <p>Thought: Need for a music room or fine arts space</p> <p>Thought: Music program</p> <p>HPS currently has a wonderful music program, will space allow this program to continue and possibly expand to the 4-6 students as well??</p> <p>Thought: That there will be no area for a music room.</p>	<p>G44</p> <p>T33</p> <p>T131</p> <p>T141</p>

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Need for a music room or fine arts space

G44

I feel that the music room is a huge importance for the elementary students. And not just K-3. why not open it up to the grades 4-6 as well. I would hate to see that once the building layout is finished there would be no where for the music program. Music does wonderful things for our children and the current program at HPS is wonderful. If you were at the HPS xmas concert this year you would of seen that. What child does not like music. It makes kids happy, proud, uses their memories, and teaches them. Even as adults, think of how often you relate to a song for an event or past memory you have or just to cheer you up in a day. So please, please make a room for music. Even if it is a shared room with drama, etc. Please do not forget music program. Our students love it.

Need for a playground suitable for K-3

G45

Thought: Playground Equipment/outdoor space

T11

We need to remember the importance of the outdoor spaces as well as the indoor space.

Thought: A SHELTERED PLAYGROUND

T20

One of the greatest loses for HPS students will be their playground. The playground could be located to the south where the bus loop is or to the west where student parking is. This would allow for the students to be sheltered from the wind. This would also be a little smaller and easier to put a fence around for safety purposes.

Thought: Need for a playground suitable for K-3

T32

Thought: Playground

T41

I think the kids need a playground, either the existing one moved or fundraise for a new one.

Thought: Playground

T89

Needing a new playground for the kids that is close to the school for bathroom breaks and is sheltered from wind.

Thought: PLAYGROUND

T107

Where the current playground is located isn't really all that great of a location. The wind comes from the North West so it would be nice to put it on the south east corner of the school to give it some protection from the winds especially in the winter. this is where the current pick up location is. And add a playground that more appropriate for young children with a fence around it.

Thought: Playground

T130

There needs to be age appropriate playground equipment, and enough of it for the students. It is important that it is blocked from the north and west winds.

Thought: Play ground space

T150

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Need for a playground suitable for K-3

G45

With the addition of all the students in the primary school, I am concerned that there will not be enough space for the different grades to play or have a break. There seems to be very little playground equipment and nothing suitable for the smaller kids. Hopefully this will be looked at before the kids move over.

Older students helping younger students

G70

Thought: Older students helping younger students

T84

Would be great to see older kids assigned days to help kids with recess supervision, crossing street, reading, learning new skills etc

Parking and pickup/dropoff at the new facility.

G47

Thought: Traffic

T6

Is there adequate parking for parents picking up children without interfering with residential areas

Thought: Parking for drop off and pick up need to be improved.

T15

The pick up and drop off loop at JCC is poorly designed, making picking up children frustrating and dangerous even for the older children. Huge improvements need to be made.

Thought: Drop off and pick up

T23

My concern is the congestion at drop off and pick up. Right now at the primary school it is packed during those times and hard to find a place to pick up or drop off your child. I cant imagine doing it with more grades!

Thought: Traffic in the area

T38

It is already difficult to find parking when picking up children at the school. The safety of children walking is already a problem with the amount of traffic.

Thought: Safety

T42

My concern with having all the students together in one school and having all the parents come at the same time to pick up kids is going to lead to chaos. As the school is now there won't be enough parking space (parking lots or along the street) for parents to park to pick their kids up. People will be in a hurry and my concern is someone is going to get hurt, more so the little kids who aren't paying attention to all the cars and people going in every direction. This may be solved by having staggered dismissal times for different grades.

Thought: areas to work out of ,class room sizes, congestion in hallways as well as

T47

in drop off areas for students

What are some things you are concerned about regarding the facility upgrades?

(continued)

Parking and pickup/dropoff at the new facility.

G47

Thought: Parking

T61

After school is a busy time for traffic at both schools right now with parents/caregivers picking up children. I would be concerned of where all of these vehicles are to park.

Thought: Parking

T65

Make sure that there is enough parking and the flow of traffic is well thought out.

Thought: I would like to see younger children have own drop off and pick up

T82

Thought: HOW IS PARKING GOING TO BE HANDLED

T102

There is already a shortage of parking to add in another block of vehicles especially when there are school events going on that would concern the whole school, and even pickup of students after school traffic will be congested. Have you discussed with this the town and how are you working together to fix this before the problem becomes worse

Thought: Parking

T121

The nature of the existing parking and pick up/drop off areas limits the number of users to the point of making this exercise practically impossible. What is going to be done to improve these areas?

Thought: Safety of students due to increased traffic

T128

Increased traffic including students and parents, younger kids need to be safe

Thought: Safe pick up and drop off area

T134

We need to make sure that the flow of traffic works and that students are able to safely get from their buses, or cars and into the school.

Thought: The pick up and drop off area for the students and parking

T140

I see how it is now at the Hanna Primary School for pick up and drop off and at the end of the day it is chaos. Parents park where ever they can. I can just imagine how adding another 150 students to J.C.C. is just going to be worse for parking for assemblies, concerts, picking your child up or dropping them off every day. People are always in a rush and I just want the safety of the students to be considered when they decide where the drop off and pick up points will be. With student extra curricular activities starting right at 3:30 p.m. everyone is there to get their child at the same time. So please consider how and where you will work out the pick up/drop off. Currently parking at J.C.C. for some events is very limited (example grad, dance festival, etc). They need to look at making a bigger parent parking lot for designated parking (and not just on the street). The staff parking lot will also need to be expanded for the extra staff.

Thought: Parking

T144

As it is now, there seems to be very little space for pick up and drop off at J.C. Charyk. I am concerned about all the extra children walking, playing etc. and the large number of parents, students and buses that will driving in and out of the school area.

What are some things you are concerned about regarding the facility upgrades?

(continued)

Parking and pickup/dropoff at the new facility.

G47

Thought: Parking and pickup/dropoff at the new facility.

T152

School identity and school pride for the high school students

G52

Thought: School identity and school pride for the high school students

T36

We wonder how the older students in the school will feel about having the little kids in their 'space' and if this will have any effect on school moral and enthusiasm.

School yard facilities

G53

Thought: Playground Equipment

T68

Moving the playground Equipment from Hanna Primary to JCC so the young students have their own playground.

Thought: School yard facilities

T120

Will a new playground be constructed for the children that will address the needs and desires of a K-12 student body?

Thought: Playground equipment

T122

The Primary School has new playground equipment that was fundraised for. Its designed specifically for younger kids. My concern is that equipment won't be moved over to JCC and the younger students won't have any playground equipment to play on that is designed for their age group. They either won't be able to play on the equipment currently there because its too big/too high or they will try to play on it leading to safety concerns (falls, etc.). If the equipment from the Primary School is moved over where is it going to go? The school is quickly running out of area to expand.

Thought: Renovation of inside and outside space

T137

Will there be enough money to cover renovation outdoor areas as well -- i.e. Playground, entrances, busing areas, etc. to make them safe more appropriate for the primary students who will be joining the school?

Thought: The playground, is or isn't it included in the funding?

T142

What are some things you are concerned about regarding the facility upgrades?*(continued)***School yard facilities****G53**

I am concerned about the playground, is or isn't it included with the modernization funding? If it isn't I would hope that would be determined ASAP and the HPS and JCC principals would be informed immediately. As if it is not included then fund raising needs to start, along with grants, and donations ASAP. It took the last lady who put all her time and effort into getting what play structure is at J.C.C. now, 2-3 years to do that. It needs to be determined what will happen to the playground. As Alberta Education enforces outdoor activity for our students in the gym and in the classroom so much per week, we need to determine what is happening with the playground structure. The structures that are at HPS are used by many kids every recess and are great play structures for them. Some kids like the curvy slides, some the straight ones, the monkey bars, the slide bar, etc. The current J.C.C. playground needs an expansion to accommodate the extra students and the age range of kids!

Separate bathrooms and change rooms**G55****Thought:** Separate bathrooms and change rooms**T94**

The first line speaks for itself.

Thought: Washroom areas**T151**

Will there be separate washroom areas for the smaller kids? I am concerned that they will be mingling with the older kids when using the washroom!!

Separate bell times to avoid interaction of younger and older students**G56****Thought:** Separate bell times**T85**

I feel it would parents at eeze if younger kids got out of classroom and school before older kids to avoid confusion and interaction this time of day.

Separate playground areas for the different ages**G49****Thought:** Playground areas**T62**

I would like to see separate playground areas/designated outside areas for the different ages. For the junior high & high school kids as much as the elementary kids. I don't want to see the high school kids with no place they can go while on their breaks.

Separation between primary and secondary grades.**G57****Thought:** The safety for the K-3 in the entry, exit, and playground.**T3**

What are some things you are concerned about regarding the facility upgrades?

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<p>Separation between primary and secondary grades.</p> <p>Feel it's important to ensure a distance for this age group from the proximity of the high school and the students vehicles.</p>	G57
<p>Thought: Appropriate segregation</p> <p>I need to ensure that my young children will be able to act like children and not be forced to adjust to a facility and situation designed for an age group that is much higher</p>	T25
<p>Thought: Safety</p> <p>I think the elementary kids need to be separated from older kids, i.e. separate locked doors, separate bathrooms, lunchrooms, playgrounds.</p>	T39
<p>Thought: Segregation</p> <p>I would like to see some segregation for the younger grades, at least up to grade 3 (just like the Primary school). They are vulnerable & easily impressionable this young and I don't think they need to see/hear the ongoings of the older students.</p>	T46
<p>Thought: Keep elementary separate from the older students.</p>	T49
<p>Thought: Division of areas</p> <p>I would be very concerned if there were not division of areas between the age groups. What is age appropriate interaction, play & learning for a K-3 child is very different from a grade 6-7 or a grade 9-10 child. I would hope that these areas are separated and if there are times where age groups are co-mingling at certain times of the day, I would expect a high level of supervision. Interactions between younger and older children can be very beneficial for both groups if it is done right.</p>	T56
<p>Thought: Separation of high school students from elementary students</p> <p>I would be concerned of properly separating the students to make it seem as though they are in their own school. Very distinct areas.</p>	T60
<p>Thought: Segregation</p> <p>Make sure that the younger students are in their own wing to decrease bullying.</p>	T66
<p>Thought: Physical separation of age groups; meaning washroom facilities, school entrance, classroom locations, computer labs etc. This would include physical access controls that would prevent mixing of older students.</p>	T77
<p>Thought: Administrative separation of age groups; meaning recess times, controlled access both to and from any common areas.</p>	T78
<p>Thought: Separation between primary and secondary grades.</p>	T91

What are some things you are concerned about regarding the facility upgrades?

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Separation between primary and secondary grades.

G57

There needs to be a physical ability to separate the primary grades so integration can be controlled and planned (don't want the primary students having high school students walking through while they are at their lockers). But do want to be able to have high school come over and help primary with reading for example.

This separation will also allow the high school students to put information/posters/art on the walls without strict sensor ing for younger grades.

Thought: Overlapping of younger and older students.

T93

I have been to other K-12 schools where the k-6 were very separate from the junior high and the junior high was very separate from the senior high. Meaning they would have separate entrance doors and hardly if ever pass each other in a hallway. I would especially like to see this for the K-6.

Thought: Separation of Entrances between primary and secondary.

T95

There needs to be enough entrances to keep order and separation.

Concerned that smoking area (unofficial) isn't near a pathway that elementary would travel into the school or to the playground.

Thought: Neutral zones

T96

Things like the home ec. room...even now it is very close to the grade 4 and 5 class rooms. For rooms like this , they may be used by multiple grades, they need to be in areas that will not overlap with the younger grades.

Thought: Keeping the younger children separate from the older children.

T97

I would like to see the K to 3 a separate school within the big school.

Thought: Grade/age segregation

T115

We don't want the behaviour of the "more mature" students affecting the younger students.

Thought: Student safety

T119

There should be separate entrances for the older kids and the younger kids. The younger kids take longer to come in and many of them sit on the floor to put on/take off footwear. They could be trampled by older, aloof children.

Thought: Safety of younger students

T135

We need to have clear separation between older kids and younger kids and to not allow older kids to have access to younger kids except under close supervision

Thought: The kids need to be segregated (elementary versus Jr. and Sr. high)

T143

What are some things you are concerned about regarding the facility upgrades?

(continued)

Separation between primary and secondary grades.

G57

I feel it is very important to keep the students separate, elementary versus Jr and Sr. high. I feel the K-3 students should be in a wing on their own, where after they leave the door is shut and the older kids do not have access to their area. They need to have right sized water fountains, and small bathrooms, for them. Their is a huge size difference from a ECS student to a grade 4 or 7. So keep things small for the K-3 kids. Have the 4-6 in their own wing of the school, same for Jr. High and Sr. High. Then you can bring the K-6 kids together for assemblies. In the old elementary school it was K-6 and the K-3 were on one side and then down the long hallway was the 4-6. We all gathered in the gym for assemblies, concerts, etc. It was exciting as the older you got the further back you got to sit in the gym. Things like that are importance for the elementary students. Keep it separate, so they still feel like they are a primary/elementary school, keep things small !!!

Thought: That there will not be a proper separation of elementary (K-6) from junior high/high school (7-12).

T148

Thought: Keeping the children separated.

T163

staff losing their jobs

G58

Thought: staff losing their jobs

T75

will jobs get cut or be changed around?

Thought: LOSS OF EMPLOYMENT

T104

Hanna is a small town and we don't want to loss any jobs that some are locals are depending on.

That money will run out before proper upgrades can be accomplished.

G59

Thought: Do not want to see half measures taken.

T16

This facility upgrade needs to be better than "good enough" as it will likely be a very long time before it is upgraded again. A long term view needs to be taken.

Thought: Money

T90

Having enough money to finish the building and getting everything we want. Issues come up in a renovation and that could take away from our budget. Don't want us to spend money we aren't getting from alberta ed.. But also don't want the job done by cutting corners. Is the money for the upgrade for JCC going to be used for the demolishing of Hanna Primary?- because all the money should be going to JCC and the demolition money should come from somewhere else.

Thought: That money will run out before proper upgrades can be accomplished.

T147

What are some things you are concerned about regarding the facility upgrades?

That the footprint of the school is not being expanded.

G60

Thought: The existing building will not be expanded

T76

It would be nice to see the existing facility expanded not try and change the old. By adding more space will ensure that all needs of the students are met
As well the old part of school probably needs updating as well

Thought: That the footprint of the school is not being expanded.

T139

It would be nice if the school could be larger than the current existing footprint. There needs to be enough space for all students to learn and grow. Also to allow the teachers to feel they have their space as well. Also with this being said, if you do have extra classes one year of one or two grades, will you have extra classrooms available in the school to put that large grade of classes?

The planning process feels very rushed

G62

Thought: The planning process feels very rushed

T136

Teachers and students will be living with this facility for a long time to come. Let's make sure that we get it right.

The population of the student body is too high for a k-12 school

G64

Thought: Concerned students fall between cracks

T50

I have a son who has special needs in the classroom. THough not high needs there are strategies etc. that need to be implemented to help him in the classroom. I am concerned that with the combining of the two schools kids like him will fall between the cracks and not receive the help they need.

Thought: The population of the student body is too high for a k-12 school

T86

I would be ok with a k-12 school if there was 100-200 students but 700-800 I feel needs to be split up into elementary & high school.

The wide age group of students who will be in one facility.

G69

Thought: The wide age group of students who will be in one facility.

T160

What are some things you are concerned about regarding the facility upgrades?

Younger children moving to a non-peanut safe school earlier.

G66

Thought: Peanut free

T111

For people with allergies! How to maintain their safety!

Like children in kindergarten

Thought: Younger children moving to a non-peanut safe school earlier.

T124

With the new facility upgrades children will now move to JCC, which is a non-peanut safe school, at a much younger age. We feel that these children lack the maturity to take responsibility to handle their allergy and keep themselves safe. With the current primary school being peanut safe this limits the chances of young children with allergies coming into contact with allergens. If the facility upgrades included changing the JCC to a peanut safe school it would allow younger children to be better protected until they are responsible enough to protect themselves. Due to the high possibility of cross-contamination we feel that the entire facility must be a peanut safe zone.

Thought: I have a child with a anaphaltic peanut allergy.

T164

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Q2: What are some of the potential benefits of upgrading this facility?

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Priorities Summary

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	overall rating	participant count	average rating
Ability to create opportunity to improve educational experience for all.	66	39	1.69
Opportunity for a drama/music room, and theatre.	66	32	2.06
Having more modern technologies and updated equipment in the school.	64	39	1.64
Space designed by teachers and staff	64	31	2.06
Upgraded building	63	38	1.66
Up to date technology	61	37	1.65
Opportunity to improve overall school design	56	31	1.81
A state of the art facility for students and staff.	55	31	1.77
We see limited benefits in upgrading this facility.	53	14	3.79
Mentoring Opportunities	49	30	1.63
Get good facilities that the school and community can use.	47	28	1.68
Safer school buildings	47	26	1.81
Better institution for our children to learn in	44	28	1.57
Access for the primary kids to advanced technology/science facilities.	40	28	1.43
more space for new programs	37	24	1.54
Shared resources.	37	25	1.48
Opportunities to think outside the box	36	20	1.80
Opportunity for collaboration between staff and students.	36	25	1.44
Grade 4-6 will be in a primary school	32	20	1.60
Kids deserve it	32	14	2.29

Q2: What are some of the potential benefits of upgrading this facility?

	overall rating	participant count	average rating
Lower potential for sick building dangers to the students	32	18	1.78
Lower cost of maintaining one building instead of two	31	22	1.41
Having my children all at the same place for pick up after school	29	19	1.53
Opportunity to improve instructor facilities	29	21	1.38
More usable practical space.	24	16	1.50
A long term benefit	23	20	1.15
School spirit	12	12	1.00
Attract more families to Hanna	10	7	1.43
all the kids will be in one school	8	5	1.60
Economies of scale	8	5	1.60

What are some of the potential benefits of upgrading this facility?

Ability to create opportunity to improve educational experience for all.

G5

Thought: Ability to create opportunity to improve educational experience for all.

T52

Thought: Teachers/students that have special talents/skills being able to share them

T60

Teachers are no longer restricted to their school as far as volunteering for special projects. Parents do not have to split their time/talents between two schools

Access for the primary kids to advanced technology/science facilities.

G6

Thought: Access for the primary kids to advanced technology/science facilities.

T41

Will allow access for Primary students to high school quality computer & science labs. Elementary schools don't have a chemistry lab, but for a special unit hopefully they could use the chem lab to do/watch an experiment.

all the kids will be in one school

G9

Thought: all the kids will be in one school

T5

all the kids will be in one school so if they have older brother or sister they can help.

Thought: All kids together

T14

All the kids together, easier to do mentoring, big brother, sister things. We used to have a program where the older kids helped us with reading and math, in my school.

Thought: Having siblings under one roof

T38

Thought: My children won't be separated between schools upon them entering school

T73

Now when my children enter school they won't have the separation, between grade 3 to four. So they will be together during all their school years. At least they will have the support of each other as siblings and that is nice to see as a parent.

A long term benefit

G26

Thought: Long term

T28

I think the long term benefits will be great for the future of all. Having updates facilities, modernized equipment and possibly space to spare for the future is a wonderful thing for the community and possible growth.

What are some of the potential benefits of upgrading this facility?

A state of the art facility for students and staff. G48
Thought: A state of the art facility for students and staff. T75

Attract more families to Hanna G10
Thought: Attract more families to Hanna T30
Thought: A modernized school is appealing to potential new residents to Hanna. T45

Better institution for our children to learn in G13
Thought: A newer facility T6
 The kids would have a newer facility, better heat and a better structure to learn in.
Thought: New safe, clean modern facility T11
 Clean, new space, hopefully more storage.
Thought: Better institution for our children to learn T29

Economies of scale G17
Thought: From a business standpoint yes saving money on overhead costs, staffing, utilities, etc. However, are the education of our children really seen as a "business" move? T26
Thought: Economies of scale for T44

Get good facilities that the school and community can use. G18
Thought: Get good facilities that the school and community can use. T18

Grade 4-6 will be in a primary school G19
Thought: GRADE 4 - 6 WILL BE IN A PRIMARY SCHOOL T49

What are some of the potential benefits of upgrading this facility?

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Grade 4-6 will be in a primary school

G19

Currently the grades 4-6 have been treated like they are in high school as they do not receive the 15 min recess breaks in the morning and afternoon that they should be getting to allow them to expel the energy they need.

Having more modern technologies and updated equipment in the school.

G21

Thought: Staff and student will have better science labs, and video conference oppertunities.

T1

Thought: Modernized equipment and facility

T3

The kids will be in a brand new environment without the poor air quality that they have had at HPS.

Thought: Opportunity to incorporate newer technologies

T33

Thought: Modernization and technology.

T46

Thought: Improved resources & access

T57

A state-of-the-art facility would be helpful in attracting talented teachers to this area. Improved resources will serve to diversify the options for graduating students.

Thought: Having more modern technologies and updated equipment in the school.

T68

Having my children all at the same place for pick up after school

G22

Thought: One stop for pickup

T13

One school to stop at to pick up kids.

Thought: The ability to pick up all your children in one place.

T23

Not having to run to two different schools to pick up your children when necessary would be beneficial.

Thought: Having my children all at the same place for pick up after school

T24

Thought: ONE LOCATION FOR PICKING UP KIDS

T50

For those parents who have kids in both schools it will be more convient to pick up students when they are all at the same school

Thought: A common pick up/drop off location

T56

Families with children at both existing schools would not need to drive to both schools to get their children.

What are some of the potential benefits of upgrading this facility?

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Having my children all at the same place for pick up after school G22

Thought: All my kids are in the same school. T67

The only benefit that I can see to remodelling the existing facility is that all my kids are in the same school. This will make it easier for when I pick them up, but in a town like Hanna, this really isn't an issue!

Kids deserve it G25

Thought: Kids deserve it T40

The kids deserve a nice, new, clean building to learn in and be in everyday. (As well as the staff)

Lower cost of maintaining one building instead of two G16

Thought: Cost of maintaining one T12

The cost to maintain, upkeep one building instead of two.

Thought: LOWER COSTS T47

Costs will be lower in maintaining one school instead of 2

Lower potential for sick building dangers to the students G27

Thought: Lower potential for sick building dangers to the students T71

The building will be compliant with modern building codes, lessening exposure to allergens and contaminants

Mentoring Opportunities G29

Thought: possibly more opportunity for fine arts programming, opportunity for high school students to be able to help with younger students (primary grade levels) T17

Thought: Mentoring Opportunities T42

Having high school students buddy with elementary for learning opportunities. Have those interested in teaching careers or early childhood care come and help in elementary classes.

Thought: POSITIVE ATTITUDES TRANSFERRED T48

What are some of the potential benefits of upgrading this facility?

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<p>Mentoring Opportunities</p> <p>For the high school students that are a positive influence, they can show and help the primary students how to act and behave (but only when they are on their best behaviour and not discussing appropriate topics). Also helps teach the gr 4 students and up how to treat young children</p>	G29
<p>Thought: Mentoring opportunities between older and younger students.</p>	T51
<p>Thought: Mentoring</p>	T53
<p>Thought: Older students being able to volunteer/help teachers and younger children</p> <p>Opportunity for high school students to volunteer for programs that are ran by the primary school. Ex. Home economics students helping with hot lunch program for the younger children. High school students wanting to do work experience in a classroom</p>	T59
<p>Thought: Interaction between the grades</p> <p>This will allow the older students to mentor some of the younger students.</p>	T61
<p>Thought: Utilizing high school students to do some programming with younger students.</p>	T69

<p>more space for new programs</p> <p>Thought: more space for new programs</p> <p>possibly better space for adding a music program, or a fine arts program to the school</p>	G31 T31
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<p>More usable practical space.</p> <p>Thought: More usable practical space.</p>	G32 T74
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<p>Opportunities to think outside the box</p> <p>Thought: Opportunities to think outside the box</p> <p>Being able to do some long term planning and thinking about the future needs of our students and community. Instead of making things work, we have an opportunity to design a school that will work for us and our dreams. This could be an opportunity to add a theater type auditorium (for community or school productions), an extra gym, small group meeting spaces for younger students and small group meeting spaces for older students, or a possible day care (for the community and for students to do practicums and work experience in). There are lots of possibilities for our community and our students at this moment but we need to be open minded to considering them.</p>	G33 T10
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What are some of the potential benefits of upgrading this facility?

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Opportunities to think outside the box	G33
Thought: Potential to add things that are missing from current facility	T65
Why not look at adding a fine arts theatre or something like that? We should at least investigate the possibility. For too long, the focus in our community has been sports and athletics. Many students have other interests that have been somewhat ignored.	
Thought: Having a modernized school for our children with great opportunities.	T66
I have seen first hand at the wonderful school that was built at Cessford (Berry Creek Community School). I would hope that some of those ideas would be used in the modernization of this school. They have great open spaces for children and it was bright. Let the sunlight in. This is the chance to do some amazing things to J.C.C. so look at the opportunities to think big and make big changes. And that doesn't mean just change the paint. I mean rip down the walls and start fresh. New school, new thoughts, big dreams. Look at creating pods for in between the classrooms of the same grades. Bring the classes together for interactions for a project or reading.	

Opportunity for a drama/music room, and theatre.	G34
Thought: possibly more opportunity for fine arts programming, opportunity for high school students to be able to help with younger students (primary grade levels)	T17
Thought: Opportunity for a drama/music room, and theatre.	T72
I think this is the opportunity to create an amazing theatre structure for students for the music program, drama and community groups. Now is the time. Consort has a fine arts centre so why not Hanna? We could have a battle of the bands contest here in Hanna. The drama club could put on a play, the Hanna music festival could use it for music contests, or dance competitions. It would be a great addition to the school for all students and the community to use. Have a good sound system. If funding wouldn't cover it then how about community partnerships or donations as well for the facility.	

Opportunity for collaboration between staff and students.	G35
Thought: Opportunity for collaboration between staff and students.	T64

Opportunity to improve instructor facilities	G36
Thought: Opportunity to improve instructor facilities	T36

What are some of the potential benefits of upgrading this facility?

Opportunity to improve overall school design G37

Thought: Opportunity to improve classroom design T34

Thought: Opportunity to improve overall school design T35

Thought: Having a modernized school for our children with great opportunities. T66

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Thought: Better design features in the school. T70

Safer school buildings G40

Thought: Safer school buildings T9

Thought: Potential for more school safety T22

Hopefully the schools will implement and utilize a better security system which allows the front office to vet incomers better. Having the internal set of doors closed in bootrooms that require the front office to see the individual via camera and buzz them in might be an idea.

School spirit G41

Thought: School spirit T20

Currently HPS has a very positive school climate while JCC is a bit weaker on that end. With the proper cultivation, such as school houses that each student gets put into and games to challenge the other houses this could create a more unified student body.

Shared resources. G42

Thought: Shared resources. T15

Teachers and kids can share resources that they might not already have.

What are some of the potential benefits of upgrading this facility?

Space designed by teachers and staff G43

Thought: Space designed by teachers and staff T55

IF teachers and staff are given a proper opportunity to talk about what design will provide the best space for educational purposes the building could work well for staff.

Upgraded building G46

Thought: Modern facility T2

The primary students will actual be in a facility that school board will maintain rather than allow to determinate.

Thought: Improvements to the building T16

Modernization would be a good thing and enlarging the shop area would be beneficial.

Thought: Newer, renovated school. T27

Thought: modern facility T37

- energy efficient
- hopefully more room
- possibility of having areas that the Hanna community can use

Thought: Upgraded building T39

The only the benefit we see to this is that there will be an upgraded more modern building that is not falling apart and can be completely utilized.

Thought: having a modernized school for everyone. T43

Thought: Modernized buiding T54

Thought: A modernized facility. T63

JCC has needed some modernization work.

Up to date technology G45

Thought: Better technology T7

The kids would have access to the technology that the 4-12 get to use.

Thought: Better access to tools like laptops/smart boards/better gym facilities.f T8

I hope that new students will get a better quality if education due to better access to technology and a faculty with a larger support group

What are some of the potential benefits of upgrading this facility?

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Up to date technology

G45

Thought: Up to date technology

T21

Students will have more access to 21st C/ learning tools to help them succeed. Hopefully there will also be an opportunity to have programs that are tailored to a variety of needs, and not just the CTS unit. A modern arts facility that focuses on music, art and theater (maybe Rosebud would be interested in a junior program) and cosmetology area for students interested in that field of study. Strathmore had a program similar, including a small theater for school plays and a cosmetology area which were well done.

Thought: having access to technology

T62

We see limited benefits in upgrading this facility.

G51

Thought: If you were adding on to the facility I would see more benefits

T25

Thought: We see limited benefits in upgrading this facility.

T58

Q3: What are some things you would like students, staff and community members to be able to experience and achieve in the modernized facility?

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Priorities Summary

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	overall rating	participant count	average rating
Keep elementary and high school separate	110	44	2.50
Adequate space to educate our kids	103	45	2.29
I need my children to continue to receive the benefits of a smaller school	94	39	2.41
Safe environment for learning and play for all.	77	36	2.14
A healthy environment that would foster a quality education	74	39	1.90
A space that is thoughtfully designed.	68	34	2.00
More physical education space	63	33	1.91
Fine Arts/Drama/Music	62	35	1.77
Access Project REACH and FRW's and their programs.	58	29	2.00
Students receive more hands-on learning.	51	29	1.76
Academic excellence and preparation for workforce/post secondary education	49	27	1.81
A more secure dismissal routines for primary students.	46	24	1.92
Welcoming atmosphere	45	28	1.61
A modernized school with a fresh start for a united school & staff.	43	26	1.65
Positive teaching environment for instructors	42	27	1.56
Expand the RAP program, so students can work towards trades and other	39	25	1.56
Little stress during the process for staff & students.	38	23	1.65
A modern usable space for today and the future.	37	22	1.68

Q3: What are some things you would like students, staff and community members to be able to experience and achieve in the modernized facility?

	overall rating	participant count	average rating
Increased opportunity for educational diversity	36	22	1.64
Performing Art Space	35	20	1.75
Staff would have better technologies and equipment to support hands-on	33	22	1.50
Mentoring and Leadership Opportunities	32	25	1.28
up to date technology	31	22	1.41
Utilize green technologies in the facility and expose the students to them	29	21	1.38
Top-notch library.	27	17	1.59
Keep us up to speed with renovation details.	25	19	1.32
Lunch room	25	16	1.56
have the school be a community gathering place	24	14	1.71
Get industry and businesses more involved in the school and its	23	13	1.77
Two offices	22	16	1.38
Want to be a top ten school in this province.	22	14	1.57
Better work environment for staff.	20	18	1.11
Cutting-edge facilities	17	11	1.55
Have a more modernized facility to host events	16	13	1.23
Culinary Arts Training Facilities	13	10	1.30
Home Living Training Center	13	6	2.17
Day Care Facility	9	5	1.80

What are some things you would like students, staff and community members to be able to experience and achieve in the modernized facility?

Academic excellence and preparation for workforce/post secondary education **G8**

Thought: get a better education with upgraded facilities. **T25**

Thought: High school students to be able to acquire valuable skills and experience for both summer employment and employment after graduation (i.e. customer service skills). **T62**

Thought: Academic excellence and preparation for workforce/post secondary education **T70**
Giving students and their families opportunities to share interactions and developmental activities to further literacy, wellness, social skills and healthy relationships

Access Project REACH and FRW's and their programs. **G9**

Thought: Access Project REACH and FRW's and their programs. **T9**

Office spaces for FRW's that are private but also big enough for them to work with students.
Elementary counselling needs space for play therapy or art therapy (small table and room to move around)
Project REACH runs programs with children after school and during lunches so they need space to do this. They also run small groups during class time and need space large enough but that is able to provide a more confidential setting.
Both FRW's and Project REACH need to be accessible to students, parents and community members and would need office spaces confidential meetings.

Adequate space to educate our kids **G11**

Thought: Adequate space to educate our kids **T3**

Thought: Classrooms **T32**

Good sized classrooms. With proper storage of materials. Bathrooms close to classrooms with kid friendly toilets, sinks and water fountains. Sinks located in the classrooms. Lockers for students jackets and backpacks (therefore doors in the school need to separate this area as young children's lockers do not have locks on them and other students during school or after hours shouldn't have access to this area)

Thought: Adequate classroom space **T47**
Make sure all students have adequate classroom space specifically designed for that grade's learning needs. Ex: up to date science lab, industrial shop area

What are some things you would like students, staff and community members to be able to experience and achieve in the modernized facility?

A healthy environment that would foster a quality education G1

Thought: Quality education. T2
 The only thing that should be a priority.

Thought: Education T21
 Regardless of where the children go to school, I would like to see enough educators so that the children receive the best education possible. If this is going to happen, I would hope that all students involved would receive an upgrade in terms of accessibility to educational resources & services & educators, NOT a downgrade. Don't build the Taj Mahal of schools if there aren't going to be enough teachers and support staff to follow through on educating the children at the highest possible level. I would like a safe, happy and supportive place to send my children to school regardless of the building. Quality of education is much more important than what the facility looks like.

Thought: Quality education T29

Thought: A healthy environment that would foster a quality education T30

Thought: Quality education T61
 I want to make sure that my children receive the best possible education. This means that they don't have to share gym space, classroom space etc. with other classes that could potentially be distracting. They deserve their own space and area to learn to their best ability.

A modernized school with a fresh start for a united school & staff. G4

Thought: school unity T18
 They don't have to sit around singing kumbaya, but having a more positive school environment at JCC would be nice. More focus on opportunities for ALL students and not just shop would be good.

Thought: That the students and staff needs are top priority T28
 The students need to have the appropriate space to learn and grow. They need to feel safe in their environment and have their needs meet. The staff levels need to be made according to the needs of the students and need to be looked at on a regular basis. If the facility is built in consultation with those using the building then hopefully this will be a positive experience

Thought: A modernized school with a fresh start for a united school & staff. T71
 The two schools can come together to unite and be one staff to look forward to a positive future. Not J.C.C versus H.P.S. or vice versa but one staff at a new school moving forward to the future. It's a new start, just like a new school year. Embrace it and use each others knowledge as tools for working with the students.

What are some things you would like students, staff and community members to be able to experience and achieve in the modernized facility?

A modern usable space for today and the future. **G2**

Thought: A newer building T5
 I want them to be able to enjoy a more,modern and,newer building

Thought: Updated facility T19
 I hope that the money won't just be spent on updating the CTS unit and the mechanical needs of the building. It'd be a shame for the community to lose a facility and not gain something for their sacrifice such as a fine arts facility/theater and more.

Thought: A modern usable space for today and the future. T75

A more secure dismissal routines for primary students. **G5**

Thought: A more secure dismissal routines for primary students. T1

A space that is thoughtfully designed. **G7**

Thought: Take the ideas of the parents into account. From what I can see and hear, T22
 it is a small group at the top making all the decisions and not allowing input from the masses.

Thought: School T33
 A school we will be happy and proud with in the end result. Do it right the first time so that it is able to have enough space for all students from our community, present and future, to enjoy and learn in.

Thought: Prep areas T35
 Have enough prep areas around the school- photocopiers, paper supply, paper cutters etc.

Thought: No wasted space T53
 The facility must be designed to take advantage of every square foot available. If more space is deemed necessary to provide the children with all that they need, measures should be taken to improve the facility accordingly (i.e. engage private industry and private citizens of means). We would much rather see a class room over a lunchroom if it would prevent bringing in a portable later on. Please take great thought into the design and determine what is needed most to provide the best education possible. Don't have wasted space, use it wisely!

Thought: A space that is thoughtfully designed. T60

What are some things you would like students, staff and community members to be able to experience and achieve in the modernized facility?

(continued)

A space that is thoughtfully designed.

G7

Let's do this right, and not be held back by what already exists. The classrooms and other areas need sufficient space, storage, and flexibility to be able to teach our students in the way they need to be taught. Let's not aim for "good enough". Let's also remember that what is an appropriate configuration for a high school math class will not be appropriate for a junior high art class or a kindergarten class. Keep in mind the differing requirements of ALL the students.

Thought: No regrets with the modernization and the process.

T72

We are moving forward so make sure all input is looked at and all things are considered. We don't want to be in the school 6 months and say "ohh, someone should of thought of that." Consider everything and let the community feel that they are being heard and have a say. It will make them feel proud to know their suggestions and ideas helped contribute to their son/daughters school and education.

Better work environment for staff.

G12

Thought: Better work environment for staff.

T26

Thought: Staff room

T34

Have two staff rooms- one for elementary and one for junior high/high school. So that the staff room isn't always full. Have enough space for teachers to eat lunch and relax.

Culinary Arts Training Facilities

G14

Thought: Culinary Arts Training Facilities

T48

A modern kitchen where students can learn the benefits of nutrition and the skills behind food preparation.

Cutting-edge facilities

G15

Thought: Cutting-edge shop facilities

T45

What are some things you would like students, staff and community members to be able to experience and achieve in the modernized facility?

(continued)

Cutting-edge facilities

G15

Bring in new woodworking tools and machinery.

Bring in milling machines.

Bring in robotic arms to train on.

Computer Automated Design capabilities (software licenses - likely an open and unlimited license would be required - should be purchased for a sufficient number of terminals in the classroom). This is to teach drafting skills to the students.

Heavy-duty mechanic space (i.e. tools and work areas).

Thought: Up to date lab facilities

T46

The chemistry and biology lab facilities need to be able to handle the most current teaching for high school students. Make sure there is sufficient glassware and chemicals stocked on site. Up date all of the gas connections to the labs and the fume hoods. Biology labs need to be able to properly prepare students for careers that are directly related to the study of the subject (i.e. they should have skeletal models, centrifuges, and microscopes). A physics lab would benefit from an observatory with telescopes. The physics lab should also have a wind tunnel to test aerodynamic forces on projects that can be designed and built using our new shop equipment. An electronics lab should be built to address the future of our world as it becomes more and more dependent upon electricity and electronic products. This would have top of the line multimeters, oscilloscopes, servo motor test benches, etc).

Day Care Facility

G16

Thought: Day Care Facility

T10

This would be beneficial to our community as there is a need for quality child care for working parents. This would provide a place for high school students that are taking their Early Childhood Certification to do their practicum work or students to do work experience.

Expand the RAP program, so students can work towards trades and other

G18

Thought: Expand the RAP program, so students can work towards trades and other careers besides trades.

T64

Fine Arts/Drama/Music

G21

Thought: Music program and band

T4

Space for a large music/band room for a great music program provided to all students in the school.

What are some things you would like students, staff and community members to be able to experience and achieve in the modernized facility?

(continued)

Fine Arts/Drama/Music	G21
Thought: Fine Arts Art, drama, music	T8
Thought: Fine Arts/Drama Art, drama, and having a full fine arts program would be an excellent program to add to this school	T27
Thought: Fine Art Space A clay kiln, glassblowing equipment, easels, art benches, painting and wood carving tools and equipment.	T50

Get industry and businesses more involved in the school and its	G23
Thought: Environmental and Geological The Canadian Badlands has some of the most unique landscaping in Alberta and Canada. The oil and gas industry is bound to both the environment and the geology of the land. Therefore, laboratories should be set up to allow students the ability to study both of these subjects in depth. This would be a great way to bring industry into the school environment.	T54
Thought: Get industry and businesses more involved in the school and its programming.	T65

Have a more modernized facility to host events	G24
Thought: Have a more modernized facility to host events Upgraded/stage and sound system. Increased seating	T20

have the school be a community gathering place	G25
Thought: Continued access by the community to the school facilities We are thinking of things like adult volleyball, children's basketball, and perhaps gymnastics.	T15
Thought: Extracurricular activities, concerts etc.	T23
Thought: Community It would be great for the community to have a space to host larger events.	T24

What are some things you would like students, staff and community members to be able to experience and achieve in the modernized facility?

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have the school be a community gathering place

G25

Thought: have the school be a community gathering place

T59

Thought: I would like to see community members view the school as a hub for the community and would be proud to actively participate in its programming.

T68

Home Living Training Center

G26

Thought: Home Living Training Center

T49

Modern children still need to know the basics of living life at home. This means they need materials to teach them how to sew, how to look after a house (i.e. plumbing, heating, electrical, cleanliness). How to grow a garden to feed yourself. How to manage personal finances is a major topic that is currently not taught in schools and it needs to be. How to grow flowers, trees, shrubs, etc, in a greenhouse.

Increased opportunity for educational diversity

G28

Thought: Increased opportunity for educational diversity

T39

Can we plan how to either incorporate fine arts opportunities, more trades opportunities, more options for high school courses with teachers not correspondence or plan so these element additions will not require more renovations down the road?

Thought: Our children having many opportunities for options.

T56

New facility lay-out should allow for extra option classes to be taught for children who want to further their education.

I need my children to continue to receive the benefits of a smaller school

G27

Thought: I need my children to continue to receive the benefits of a smaller school

T6

My children must continue to have smaller classes, more access to gymnasium times, and creative teachers or there will be no benefit to a small town upbringing for my family

Keep elementary and high school separate

G29

Thought: Keep elementary and high school separate

T16

What are some things you would like students, staff and community members to be able to experience and achieve in the modernized facility?

(continued)

Keep elementary and high school separate

G29

With the upgrading of facilities I would like to see as much of a distinction or separation of students as possible. Such as separate recesses / lunch hours between elementary grades and high school grades.

Keep us up to speed with renovation details.

G53

Thought: Keep us up to speed with renovation details.

T42

The good AND the bad.

Little stress during the process for staff & students.

G54

Thought: Little stress during the process for staff & students.

T41

Lunch room

G30

Thought: Lunch room

T11

A place for the elementary students to eat their lunches

Mentoring and Leadership Opportunities

G31

Thought: Mentoring programs for younger students

T7

Possibly getting older students to help younger ones ie reading mentor, help with math, science ect.

Thought: Mentoring and Leadership Opportunities

T12

To have a school environment that mentoring between older students and younger students can happen.

Thought: Utilize students to accomplish needs in the community (i.e. high school

T66

child care students offer after school care for younger students, which fills community need and gives students practicum experience)

What are some things you would like students, staff and community members to be able to experience and achieve in the modernized facility?

More physical education space

G32

Thought: A modernized outdoor play area for the younger kids that promotes physical activity and play

T31

Thought: Physical education facilities

Replace aging gym equipment with equipment in good repair. Excellent scorekeepers for tournaments.

T44

Thought: More physical education space

If we are losing the primary school gymnasium, there needs to be a space that replaces this

T57

Performing Art Space

G36

Thought: Performing Art Space

T51

Drama and Music room. It is insufficient to have a drama or music class occurring on the stage of a gym while there is a physical education class going on. We want drama and music to have their own state-of-the-art rooms. The stage and gym should be capable of having musical and drama performances with state-of-the-art equipment to assist in these performances (i.e., lighting, speakers, etc.).

Positive teaching environment for instructors

G39

Thought: Positive teaching environment for instructors

T14

Space, schedules and resources will have to be managed well

Safe environment for learning and play for all.

G42

Thought: Positive learning environment for students

T13

We do not want the primary children to lose the excellent family atmosphere they presently have in the Primary School. We also do not want the high school students to lose any sense of community they feel in their school.

Thought: Safe environment for learning and play for all.

T40

Thought: Students to feel safe and to have the best learning opportunities possible.

T55

What are some things you would like students, staff and community members to be able to experience and achieve in the modernized facility?

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Safe environment for learning and play for all.

G42

Younger children need to feel no intimidation while learning in a large age-range facility.
 Children with allergies need to be protected so that they feel comfortable and are free to learn without fear.
 Class sizes should still continue with a small student-teacher ratio.
 Opportunities for physical education should not be compromised.

Staff would have better technologies and equipment to support hands-on

G43

Thought: Staff would have better technologies and equipment to support hands-on learning and more creativity.

T67

Students receive more hands-on learning.

G44

Thought: Students receive more hands-on learning.

T63

Top-notch library.

G47

Thought: Top-notch library.

Provide a facility that is tapped into all available information resources using current technologies (computer terminals, Wi-Fi or Ethernet, etc).

T43

Two offices

G35

Thought: Office

Having two offices. This will allow for secretaries to recognize and know parents and who their children are better. This will also be easier for parents to approach the school if they are dealing with someone they are familiar with. It will also make the jobs of the secretaries easier to manage.

T37

up to date technology

G49

Thought: up to date technology

Having the most up to date technology available, and also having classes available to the students as well as community that can be done through video conferencing to open up more learning options.

T17

What are some things you would like students, staff and community members to be able to experience and achieve in the modernized facility?

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up to date technology

G49

Thought: Technology

T74

With the era we seem to be moving in technology is a big part of education these days. I'm not saying it is everything, cause there is something to be said to sitting down with a book, or playing a game with cards, or a puzzle. But we need to education our children with technology, as they will not survive in the work world today without it. Maybe have a technology room for different grades.

Possibly in pod rooms between the classes. Not exactly sure how but it needs to be incorporated for all students and staff at J.C.C.

Thought: Increased access to technology.

T76

Utilize green technologies in the facility and expose the students to them

G50

Thought: Utilize green technologies in the facility and expose the students to these technologies as well as training in how they operate.

T69

Want to be a top ten school in this province.

G51

Thought: Want to be a top ten school in this province.

T52

There is no justification for 75% of the Grade 12 math class failing a provincial exam (and the course!). We want our kids to be getting the best education such that they may have the best options available to them after high school. Especially for those who wish to pursue college or university studies, they cannot do without the finest teaching and facilities. We expect the quality of the school administration to match the quality of the walls within which they teach.

Welcoming atmosphere

G52

Thought: Primary atmosphere

T36

Having a welcoming, colourful, friendly designed school- remember this is for young children not modern fashion designers- think practical!

Thought: A PLACE WHERE YOU WANT TO GO

T38

This school should be cheerful and upbeat, improving the moods of our students and staff to make them want to go to school. Use colours that help improve moods but not so extreme that is too much

Thought: Welcoming atmosphere

T58

What are some things you would like students, staff and community members to be able to experience and achieve in the modernized facility?

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Welcoming atmosphere

G52

Everyone will feel that they have a space of their own, that is suited to their age and they can feel safe and secure there.

Thought: Fun!!!

T73

School should be fun, it's not all about books all the time. Let the staff, and students get together and have some fun. There will be times to combined the grades for activities or assemblies, to make things fun for kids of all ages.