

GUIDING CHANGE: Boundary Adjustments 2025

Current Reality	Desired Result	Unacceptable Means
 New Bayport Elementary and Lake Elmo Elementary opening in the fall 2026. Addition and remodel at Oak-Land Middle School to accommodate current and future growth. Growth in the southern part of the district. Space available in central and northern elementary schools and Stillwater Middle School. Feeder System to Middle School (elementary schools aligned with a middle school). Classroom space set aside for pre-K programming at each of our elementary schools. GATE currently housed at Stillwater Middle School. Amigos Unidos is currently housed at Lake Elmo Elementary. 	 Decisions will be based on the best interests of ALL district students. Ensure schools in the southern part of the district have capacity to meet current and future needs. Consider demographic make-up of the student body. Gather feedback from various stakeholders to provide insight (School Board, administrative team, staff, and community group). Provide for a safe and efficient transportation system within board policy and procedures. To the extent possible, keep the feeder system to middle schools. To the extent possible, keep neighborhoods together (This does not mean that students will be sent to the school nearest their home, but rather that all students within a neighborhood be sent to the same school). To the extent possible, each elementary school will have a minimum enrollment of 400 students. 	 We will not violate state laws, school board policy, or negotiated agreements. We will not violate class size ranges for each grade level section. Desirability Sustainability Feasibility