



## North Stonington Public Schools

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Dear Parent/ Guardian:

Phase 1 of the School Modernization Project continues to make progress. Phase 1 will be completed when the renovations to the Gymnasium are complete and the new Wheeler Middle/High School is opened next March. Phase 2 is the "Renovate as New" of the elementary school which will be in full-swing when Phase 1 is completed next year. You should know that we are at the beginning stage of adding a small addition to the elementary school. They have fenced the back portion of the elementary school and they will begin excavation. All classrooms on the backside of the school are continuing to be used.

The pouring of the footing and foundation continues for the new middle/high school. Demolition of the Gymnasium is reaching the end and should be completed in two-weeks. Soon brick masons and carpenters will be making the necessary renovations. The masons will set bricks and blocks and the carpenters will frame walls. At the end of next week, the underground plumbing will begin to be installed for the middle/high school. Some electrical work and data wiring will begin shortly.

We have a number of the end-of-the year activities taking place. Due to all the construction and limited parking for day and night events, we suggest that you go onto our website for previous correspondence. The traffic patterns and parking will not be what you are used to and some events will be affected.

As I continue to state, the School Modernization Project will require everyone's patience and while there may be some trying circumstances, it will all be worthwhile in the end when we will enjoy completely modernized state-of-the-art facilities.

Sincerely,

Peter L. Nero  
Superintendent of Schools