



VALLEY STREAM 13 SCHOOL DISTRICT

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- Cafeteria Expansions at Willow, Howell & Dever
- Cafeteria Addition at Wheeler
- Installation of HVAC Uni-Ventilators
- Classroom Re-Design
- Final Completion of Student Restrooms

It has been a whirlwind of activity as our four District schools receive much-needed and well-deserved facelifts.

Highlights include:

Wheeler Avenue School

- Front of building reconstruction
- Auditorium renovation

James A. Dever School

- Front of building reconstruction

Howell Road School

- Sidewalk reconstruction
- New water heater

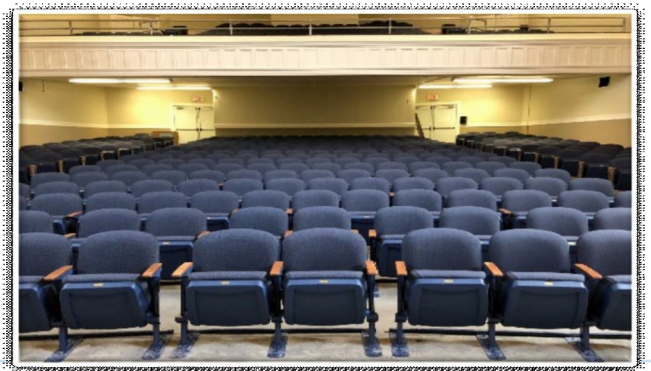
Willow Road School

- New play equipment

In addition, all four schools have received the following improvements:

- ◆ New exterior and classroom doors
- ◆ Playground resurfacing
- ◆ Renovated student bathrooms
- ◆ New P.A. systems
- ◆ Upgrades to our District safety and

security procedures, including the addition of contracted security personnel, and the installation of cameras and security vestibules to allow for proper screening and access control of visitors. We have also implemented a swipe-card employee I.D. system in all four of our district schools for an additional layer of security.





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PLAYGROUND RESURFACING:



Dever



Howell



Wheeler



Willow

RESIDENCY UPDATE: Between May and October 2018, Eleven students were removed from District 24 and the Central HS District, and there are several active ongoing investigations. To report suspected violators, call:

VS13 Business Office: 516-568-6110 **Residency Office:** 516-872-5694 **VS13 Hotline:** 516-872-5677
Village of VS Code Enforcement: 516-592-5143 **TOH Building Dept.:** 516-812-3061 **TOH Hotline:** 516-489-5000



Valley Stream Thirteen District Mission Statement

The Valley Stream Union Free School District Thirteen offers our life-long learners a robust curriculum through the partnership of home, school, and community. We expose our children to important literature and ideas, to master fundamental skills, and develop problem-solving and critical thinking skills. We promote social responsibility encouraging students and staff to set high personal goals.



Did you know? Our Valley Stream UFSD Thirteen Board of Education Meetings and many school events are LIVE-STREAMED and also available to view on our website, www.valleystream13.com