

Huntley High School

Huntley, IL

Huntley High School has seen enrollment growth from 2,400 to 3,000 and previously lacked a cohesive school identity and sufficient flexible environments for Huntley's 21st-century learning programs. The renovation of an old gymnasium into a Learning Resource Center (the Hub) consists of a lofted Idea Lab as well as student-centric micro environments. The Hub is an on-campus home for a large population of students enrolled in self-paced independent studies that require space to collaborate and drive their own success, yet remain appropriately supervised.

The design of the new main entry boasts a lobby that enhances school pride and establishes an iconic and well-defined site access point to ease the congested nature of the old campus. The Active Commons provides students a vibrant, central location adjacent to the café for socialization and maximized seating during lunch.

The additions also include a new fieldhouse and an athletic entrance strategically placed for after-hours use. The resulting renovation provides flexible, multipurpose use and reflects Huntley's innovative style.



Remodel/Adaptive Reuse/ Restoration

Entire school/campus building

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KEY STATS

Grades Served: 9-12
 Capacity: 3,000
 Size of Site: 92 acres
 Building Area: 466,000 sq. ft. (140,000 sq. ft. in additions and renovations)
 Space per Student: 155 sq. ft.
 Cost per Student: \$10,533
 Square Foot Cost: \$226
 Project Cost: \$31,600,000
 Completion Date: August 2016
 Sustainability Rating Status: EnergyStar

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