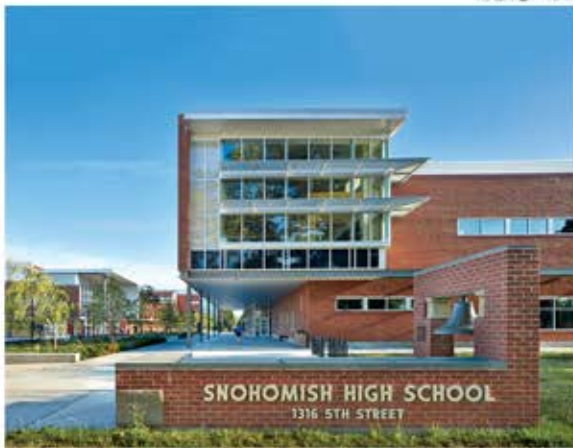


## Snohomish High School Snohomish, WA

The campus rejuvenation project pursues the transformation of the school, through the definition and repurposing of exterior negative space and the emphasis of texture, revealing coherence out of the disorder of the existing campus. Phasing complexities abound. Construction occurred while the school was fully occupied. Phasing was exceptionally complex with areas of the school being converted to interim functions and then back, in order to vacate build-



ings for demolition or modernization. Ultimately the construction took over 10 years to complete, and resulted in replacing half of the buildings while modernizing the rest.

Designing the spaces between the buildings was the key to unifying the campus. Cohesion and wayfinding were enhanced by

brick "markers" at main circulation paths and gathering points. The central outdoor spine of the campus, "Snohomish Way" became a place for student gatherings, celebrations, and community events as well as a means to travel between buildings. Snohomish Way gives a collegiate feel to the campus. Interior and exterior are linked through large glazed walls, allowing visual access across the campus.

### New Construction/Addition

Entire school/campus building

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#### KEY STATS

Grades Served: 9–12  
 Capacity: 1,500  
 Size of Site: 35 acres  
 Building Area: 264,377 sq. ft.  
 Space per Student: 176 sq. ft.  
 Cost per Student: \$54,982  
 Square Foot Cost: \$312  
 Project Cost: \$82,474,106  
 Completion Date: May 2013  
 Sustainability Rating Status: WSSP

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