



Pacific Crest Middle School Bend, OR

Pacific Crest Middle School marks a point of departure from the typical school and educational delivery system for the Bend-La Pine Schools. The district's Design Committee set out to create a school that was flexible and adaptable, encouraging collaboration between students and staff. BBT worked closely with stakeholders to construct a facility that is programmatically and aesthetically in step with their educational vision.

The building is divided into three Learning Communities to provide adaptability and a sense of belonging. Each Learning Community has collaboration spaces that encourage staff and students to use for small group or individual use, surrounded by learning spaces. The Family Room and Media Center are the heart of the school. They are the first spaces that you connect with as you enter the building.

The building is shaped to form outdoor learning courtyards. The design includes gable roof forms with finishes in warm earthy tones that complement the natural surroundings. Transparency and visual connections within the school and to the outside are integral design features of the project.



New Construction/Addition

Entire school/campus building

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DESIGN TEAM

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OWNER/CLIENT

Bend-La Pine Schools
Bend, OR
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KEY STATS

Grades Served: 6-8
Capacity: 800
Size of Site: 27.5 acres
Building Area: 121,000 sq. ft.
Space per Student: 162 sq. ft.
Cost per Student: \$39,067
Square Foot Cost: \$241
Project Cost: \$28,500,000
Completion Date: August 2015

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