### **CAMPUS OBSERVATIONS**

#### Classrooms

- The classroom buildings are one-story and layout to form a courtyard. Creates a pleasant setting.
- All classrooms are accessible from exterior walkways.
- Classrooms can access outdoor areas, there are small lawn areas for outdoor activities.
- The Science labs require additional casework to function better for science lab setting
- There is a desire to improve the Arts labs for Career Technical (CTE) programs.

### Library/ Media

 There is a desire to have a student commons / "Innovation Lab" area.

#### **Food Service**

 There is a need for a small food service facility; the current space is inadequate and is not equipped as a warming kitchen.

## **Multi-purpose Room**

- The existing MPR is too small to assemble the whole school.
- There is a need for a larger MPR to be used for performing arts, assembly functions as well as physical education activities.

## Admin & Support Spaces

- Administration functions well.
- Consideration should be given to expanding the administration space needs as the school grows with the District anticipated enrollment growth.

#### Physical Education

- There is a need to improve indoor and outdoor Physical Education opportunities.
- There is a need for a small locker/changing room and multipurpose room to support P.E. functions.

### **CAMPUS OVERVIEW**

Creekside High School (CHS) is the alternative education high school for the Irvine Unified School District and draws its 9th-12th grade students from throughout IUSD's other high schools. The school relocated in September 2007 to our new site at the corner of Barranca Parkway and Harvard Street.

Creekside High School, the second oldest high school in Irvine Unified, was established in the summer of 1974 as the Alternative High School in the Irvine Unified School District. It was the result of the efforts of a group of students, parents, teachers and administrators who challenged the assumption that the comprehensive high school is an appropriate learning environment for all students.

Creekside's graduation requirements are the same as the other high schools in the district. Additionally, Creekside participates in a process of ongoing self-study and program improvement and has received the maximum six-year term of accreditation from the Accrediting Commission of Schools for the Western Association of Schools and Colleges.

<u>Mission Statement</u>: "to prepare students academically, socially, and emotionally to be responsible, contributing members of a diverse, rapidly changing, and increasingly interdependent and interrelated global community."







# **General Condition & Aesthetics**

- Campus layout is centered around a main courtyard and is used often for large assemblies.
- A landscapes edge is needed to buffer school along the access road coming off Barranca.
- This is a relative new school, built in 2007, however there are some areas that require repair due to settlement of the ground at the doorways along the building perimeter.
- Overall the campus has a nice layout and is a pleasant environment.

# **Building Systems**

 All buildings are served by Bard packaged heat pumps controlled by "school stats" that run on occupant override and shut off on a programmed schedule. No EMS. • Site does not have photovoltaic panels

# Technology

- Computer labs are heavily used for CTE media arts programs.
- Wireless access is provided throughout the school grounds.
- Desire for interactive boards in classrooms and Media Center.

#### **Outdoor Spaces, Fields, Landscaping**

- Adjacency of park has restricted use.
- In need of additional physical education fields and indoor fitness room.
- Student use of hardcourts during break and lunch. Site prefers central location for ease of use and visibility during these periods.

 Outdoor quad area would benefit from more shade and seating and increase functionality of this space.

# Wayfinding

• Main office is clearly identified.

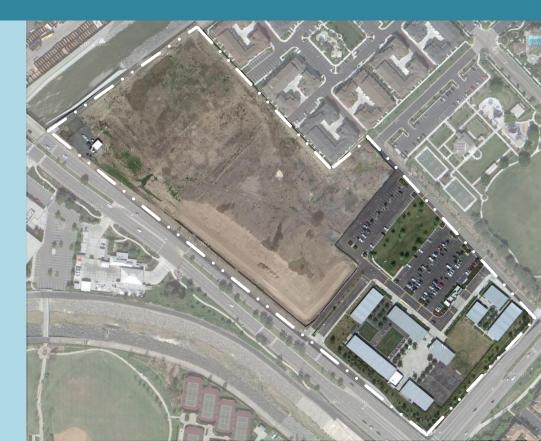
# Vehicular Access/ Parking/ Drop-off

- · Parking lot and drop-off functions well.
- There is adequate number of parking stalls.

# **Creekside Education Center**

3387 Barranca Parkway | Irvine, CA 92606 Site Analysis







# **CLASSROOM COUNT**

| Computer Lab       | 3  |
|--------------------|----|
| Science Lab        | 2  |
| Art Room           | 2  |
| General Classrooms | 11 |
| TOTAL              | 16 |

# **LEGEND**

| <b>←*</b>         | Main Entry               |
|-------------------|--------------------------|
| $\longrightarrow$ | Secondary Entry          |
| •••               | Drop-Off                 |
|                   | Playfields/<br>Landscape |
|                   | Hardcourts               |
|                   | Parking                  |



# **UTILIZATION LEGEND**

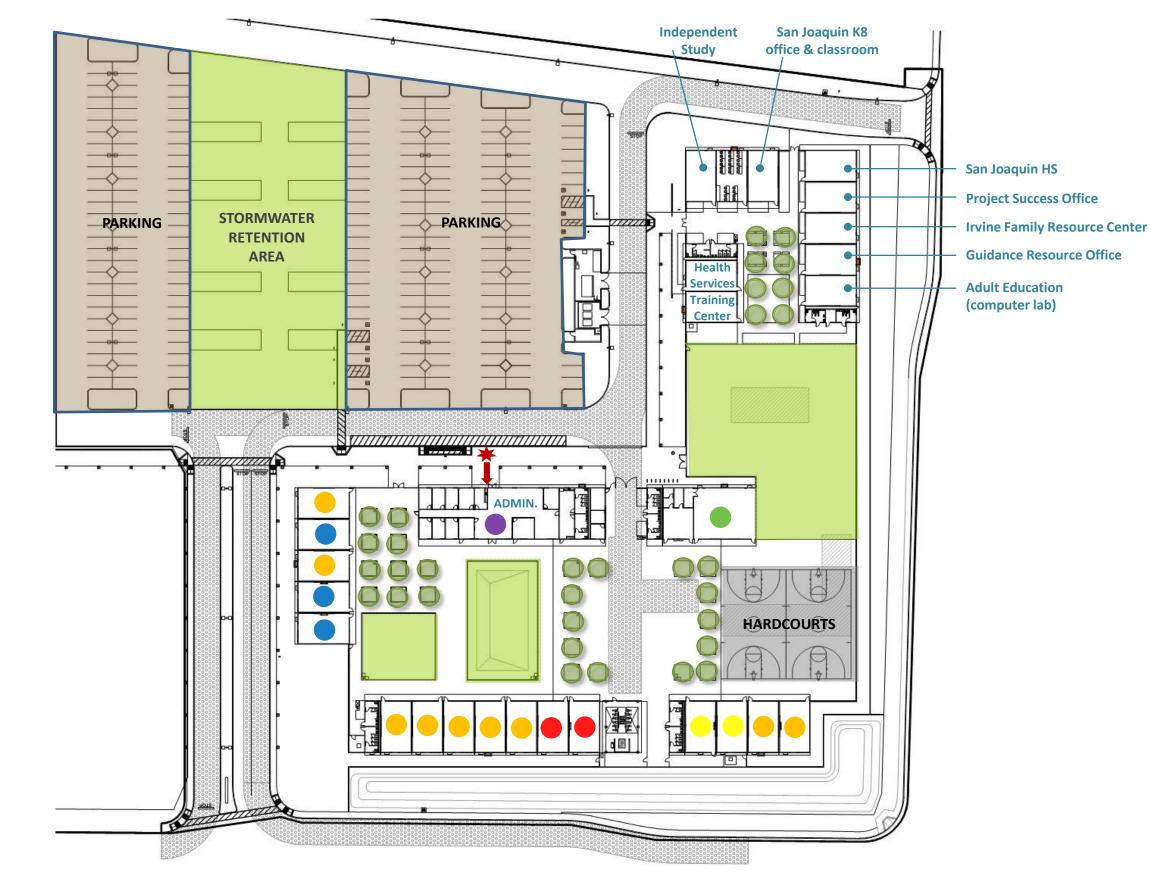








Administration





















Courtyard near Guidance Resources

Food Service

Main Office

Office Waiting Area









Director's Office Faculty Lounge Faculty Workroom Psychologist Office

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Counselor Office Security Office Typical Classroom Typical Computer Lab









Typical Science Lab Ceramics Yard Art Classroom MPR









Food Service Independent Study Portable

San Joaquin High School Portable

Project Success Portable











Health Office Records Technician Office **Training Center** 









Irvine Home School **Guidance Resources** I.T. Support Basketball Courts