

JEFFERSON PARISH PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM
FACILITIES PRELIMINARY STATUS REPORT
SEPTEMBER 5, 2005

Of the 84 school facilities, the following observations have been made. **These observations will not be conclusive until actual walk-throughs are completed once utilities are restored.**

Preliminary reviews are:

- 16 Schools are in usable condition
 - 8 Schools are in usable condition with isolated problems
- These 2 categories bring to 24 the number of schools which are usable or partly usable
- 6 Additional schools appear to have significant damage, thus making a total of 30 schools which have been preliminarily assessed
- 54 Schools are of unknown status

Of the 4 administrative offices buildings:

- 1 Office building has significant damage
- 1 Office building has isolated damage
- 2 Office buildings are of unknown status

A property preservation team is rapidly being assembled to prevent further damage to buildings. The city of Gretna, through the efforts of board member Mark Morgan, has agreed to house and feed this team.

Attached is a delineated preliminary status report on Jefferson Parish Public School System facilities.

A meeting of the school board is scheduled at the Claiborne Education Building in Baton Rouge on Wednesday, September 7, 2005 at 1:00 p.m. The entire agenda is devoted to school system issues created by Hurricane Katrina.

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Preliminary school status as per Board Members Gene Katsanis, Judy Colgan, Mark Morgan, and David Taylor, Assistant Superintendent of Facilities

Of the 84 Jefferson Parish Public Schools, the following **appear** to be usable:

1. Birney Elementary School
2. Audubon Elementary School
3. Alexander Elementary School
4. Maggiore Elementary School
5. Schneckenberger Elementary School
6. Roosevelt Middle School
7. Ellis Elementary School
8. Adams Middle School
9. Bissonet Plaza Elementary School
10. Metairie Academy Elementary School
11. Haynes Academy Middle School
12. Ella Dolhonde Elementary School
13. Jefferson Elementary School
14. Gretna Middle School
15. Gretna # 2 Kindergarten
16. West Jefferson High School

The following schools **appear** to be usable with isolated problems:

1. Riverdale Middle School (a tree fell on the 7th grade building)
2. Middleton Elementary School (gym/shed destroyed)
3. Hart Elementary School (air conditioner on roof put a hole in the roof causing a classroom to be wet)
4. McDonogh 26 Elementary School (water in the cafeteria)
5. Chateau Elementary School (small portion of the roof is missing)
6. King High School (gym roof is missing)
7. Meisler Middle School (gym roof damaged)
8. Clancy Elementary School (some roof damage to new pre-K building)

The following schools **appear** to have significant damage:

1. East Jefferson High School (extensive roof damage)
2. Bonnabel High School (extensive roof damage to 100, 700, and 800 buildings)
3. Thomas Jefferson Academy-currently under construction for conversion to a magnet high school (severe roof and water damage)
4. Woodmere Elementary School (water and wind damage)
5. Solis Elementary School (significant wind damage)
6. Terrytown Elementary School (significant wind damage)

Known damage to administrative office buildings is:

1. Administration Building on Manhattan Boulevard (significant roof and water damage)
2. Warehouse/Administrative Annex on River Road (isolated significant roof and window damage)