

**SPECIFICATIONS FOR NEW BUILDING SITES**

In planning new school facilities, the following school groupings will be used:

- Pre-School
- Elementary Schools
- Middle Schools
- High Schools

Exceptions to this plan will be necessary in smaller attendance areas. The proximity of existing students, future potential students and school capacities will be the prime consideration for school locations. In larger attendance areas, the recommended and desirable sizes of schools in student population shall be as follows:

- Pre-School: 5 – 200
- Elementary: 200 – 650
- Middle School: 300 – 1200
- High School: 500 – 2000

The following standards for school site areas are desirable:

- Pre-School: 1 – 5 acres
- Elementary: 12 – 15 acres
- Middle School: 20 – 30 acres
- High School: 40 – 50 acres

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