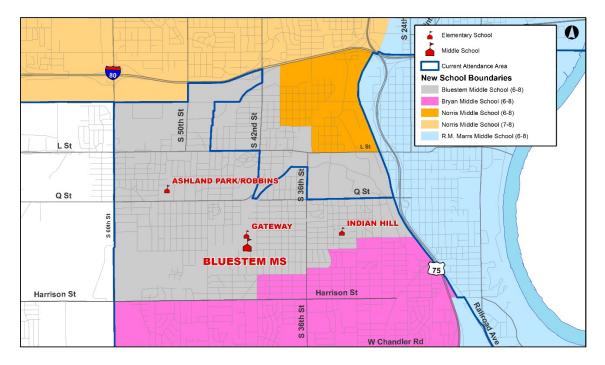


Bond Phase 2 Construction and Boundaries Update Bluestem Middle School (42nd & Y)



Construction:

- Construction for Bluestem Middle has already begun.
 - Construction is scheduled to be complete in time for the start of the 2023-24 school year.

Boundary Changes:

- As Bluestem Middle opens, scheduled for fall 2023, boundary changes surrounding the school will go into effect.
 - A portion of Bryan Middle's northern boundary and a portion of Norris Middle's southcentral boundary will become the new Bluestem Middle boundaries.
- Gateway Elementary, Indian Hill Elementary and the majority of Ashland Park-Robbins Elementary will be assigned to the new Bluestem Middle.

Grade Level Configuration:

- Bluestem Middle will open as a grade 6-7 school.
 - At the start of the 2024-25 school year, Bluestem Middle will expand to become a grade 6-8 school.

Omaha Public Schools is committed to regular, ongoing communication with impacted families throughout Bond Phase 2. For more information, please visit <u>www.ops.org/SAP</u> or contact Student and Community Services at (531) 299-0302.