

Darien High School Cafeteria Space

- Originally built to house **274** students
- Originally built with overflow capacity housed on first floor for an additional **66** students
 - Space reclaimed and now represents three much needed classrooms
 - Both spaces yielded **340** seats
- *High School enrollment in 2005 was 1091* students
- *Current enrollment = 1365* } **Increase of 274 Students**
- Current cafeteria houses 274 students seated at round tables designed for 8 people
 - 18 additional chairs have been added allowing for a **total of 292 seats**
 - Outdoor seating includes 6 tables of 8 students equaling 48 additional seats in non-inclement weather
 - No formal overflow seating provided

Projected DHS Student Population (Comparison of Traditional Roll v. Milone / MacBroom Study)

	Roll	M/M
2016-17	1356	1356
2017-18	1375	1395
2018-19	1408	1421
2019-20	1412	1409
2020-21	1400	1421
2021-22	1401	1415

- Milone and MacBroom project greater increases
- Roll over data is based on conservative estimates

Projected DHS Student Population by Grade 2016/17-2021/22

	9th	10th	11th	12th	Total
2016-17	351	329	344	332	1356
2017-18	351	351	329	344	1375
2018-19	377	351	351	329	1408
2019-20	333	377	351	351	1412
2020-21	339	333	377	351	1400
2021-22	352	339	333	377	1401

- Enrollment projection peaks at 1,412 and levels off at 1,400 through 2022
- Numbers do not account for additional students based on new developments

Traditional Scheduling – The Problems Persists

- 4 lunch periods
- Grade level lunches
- Numbers do not account for students who have a lunch period plus a free period adding additional stress to seating
- Numbers do not support the lunch waves
 - No grade level fits in existing space

Potential Development / On the Horizon:

Project	Estimated Units	Students Expected	Estimated 45% Secondary	Estimated 55% Elementary
Corbin	66 units	30	14	17
Palmer	59 units	27	12	15
Federal Realty	142 units	65	29	36
Kensett	14 Units	6	3	4
		129	58	71

Possible growth

1401 + 58 = **1459 students in 2022**