

#### ANN ARBOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS

## ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

### How will environmental sustainability be enhanced in our schools?

Our goal to create optimized learning environments is based on best practice and research to utilize natural and LED light, ensure fresh air free from pollutants, maintain classroom temperatures, and optimize acoustics for maximum cognitive function and productivity.

- Prepare our schools to adapt to climate change
- Chart a course for carbon neutrality
- Utilize interior and exterior finishes that are long-lasting and require minimal maintenance and replacement
- Install dimmable LED lighting
- Install renewable solar & geothermal energy sources
- Increase recycling and composting

#### **GOALS FOR 2019 BOND**

Ann Arbor Public Schools and the Board of Education are embarking on this Bond Program because we believe:

- Our community values a quality education for every child
- AAPS buildings and grounds are aging and in need of major capital investment
- The quality of the built environment directly impacts student achievement and the core mission of the District
- We have received beautiful schools and properties from previous generations, and it is our responsibility as good stewards to prepare for future generations in AAPS



# Rooftop Solar Panels

# VOTE NOV. 5



