

# MIDDLE SCHOOL/INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL | NEW CONSTRUCTION/ADDITION | ENTIRE SCHOOL/CAMPUS BUILDING

## **Lyndhurst Middle School**

Lyndhurst, NJ

#### **Di Cara I Rubino Architects**

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#### **DESIGN TEAM**

Harrison Hamnett, PC, Structural Engineer Johnson & Urban, MEP Engineer Neglia Engineering, Site/Civil Engineering Epic Management, Construction Manager

#### OWNER/CLIENT

Lyndhurst School District Lyndhurst, NJ Anthony Grieco, Superintendent

### **KEY STATS**

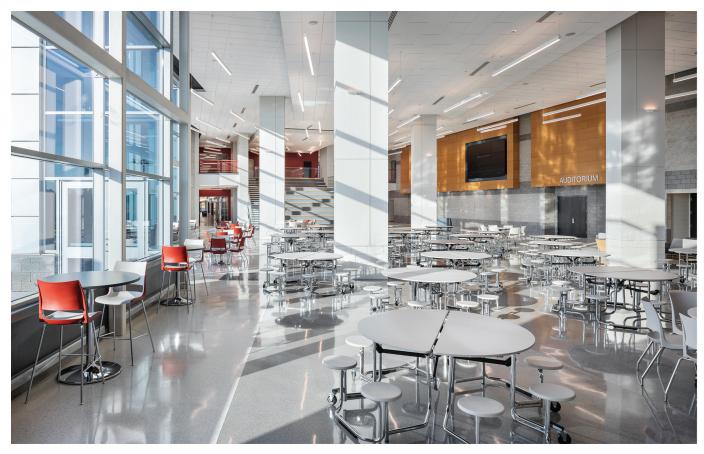
Grades Served: 6–8
Capacity of Students/Occupants: 650
Size of Site: 9 acres
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Gross Area of Bldg./Space: 145,000 gsf Space per Student: 223 sq. ft. Project Cost: \$53,000,000 Occupation Date: 10/13/2020

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Lyndhurst Middle School, designed by Di Cara|Rubino Architects, is the first new school constructed in the Township of Lyndhurst in nearly 85 years. Through a dynamic collaborative design process, abundant innovative learning spaces that support modern teaching methodologies can be found throughout the school. Almost every space in the school was examined for its potential to serve as a learning environment. Breakout spaces located in corridors outside of classrooms, think tanks, and the





grand "learning stair" in the central student commons all promote engagement, discovery, group problem solving, and the open sharing of ideas.

The 145,000 sf school is built to accommodate 650 students for grades 6-8. Notable features include a three-story academic wing, a visual and performing arts theater, and a full-size gymnasium with auxiliary gym, locker rooms, weight room and new multipurpose athletic field. The academic facilities include science labs, a state-of-the-art culinary arts facility and 27 active learning classrooms, many of which are dedicated to instruction in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM). Technological amenities can be found all through the school, with classrooms boasting the latest AV/IT features, Wi-Fi service and charging stations, and a massive video display screen made up of multiple LED monitors located in the central student commons.

