



INSTRUCTIONAL SPACE ADDITIONS/RENOVATIONS

Wilson, New York

Owner / Client: Wilson Central School District

Area: 35,000 square feet

Cost: \$ 4.0 million

While working with the New York State Office of Parks, Recreation, and Historic Preservation, as well as the State Education Department in 2002, TRM instituted a masonry repair/installation of this Federal Style Classic. Work on the original building also included asbestos abatement, complete mechanical system retrofit and upgrading of classrooms for modern technology requirements. Classroom additions and Home and Careers Suite were also incorporated, while respecting the campus' overall historical integrity.

One of the major goals of this capital improvement campaign was the modernization of the WCS communication and technological infrastructure.

As such, TRM and WCS began examining the school's physical structure as it relates to the educational philosophy of instruction and curriculum. Prioritized physical features included proper spaces for infrastructure, electronic equipment storage closets, and communications room. Instructional objectives included proper space, lighting, environment, and equipment within various rooms.

The new WCS Home and Careers Suite was designed to meet the needs of changing social and economic patterns in careers and technology. Planning consideration was centered on seven content areas, including child development and guidance; consumer education; food and nutrition; individual and family health; fashion, textiles & apparel; family living and parenting education; and housing and furnishings.

All reconstruction upgrades were carefully phased so as to affect the day-to-day school operations as minimally as possible.



“It is without hesitation that I can state that through TRM’s commitment to completing successful projects, both the district and the community of Wilson have been greatly improved.”

Daniel T. Connor Superintendent of Schools, Wilson Central School District

