

Construction News

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Biddeford High School

Schedule at a Glance

Admin Wing Exterior Wall Framing	Beginning of Nov.
Admin Wing Slab & Roof	Beginning of Nov.
Music Wing Windows	Mid-Nov
Classroom Wing M/E/P	Mid-Nov.
Stairtower Steel	Begins late-Nov.



An ironworker awaits the next piece of steel.

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If you've taken a trip by the site recently, you'll notice that steel erection for the administration and library addition began in late October, giving shape to the largest and most prominent aspect of this project. Ironworkers have been "swinging" steel six days a week to maintain the brisk pace that will get this building weather-tight by early winter, and they'll be gone nearly as quickly as they arrived! The concrete slab for the first floor has been placed, and the second floor slab will be placed in mid-November. While steel was being set, work continued on the music wing addition as interior and exterior walls were framed and the roof put on during the month of October. Currently, the exterior walls are sporting water-resistant sheathing in preparation for windows and exterior masonry. M/E/P (mechanical/electrical/plumbing) rough-in is ongoing. To accommodate the new elevator and stair tower addition, crews this month demolished existing classroom space to tie-in the new concrete masonry walls to the existing building structure.

Upcoming Activities November 2010

Over the next week crews will begin exterior wall framing on the library and admin addition, as well as preparations for roofing to begin in late November. The second floor concrete slab will be placed in mid-November. Work has also begun on rebuilding the now gutted classroom wing, and interior walls and roofing will be complete in early November. M/E/P rough-in and sprinkler rough-in will begin mid-month. We encourage you to stop by the site to see the structural walls of the addition as they take shape. It's a wonderful opportunity to see how the space will look once complete. As the holiday season begins, we wish you all a very happy and healthy Thanksgiving!

The Changing Landscape (photos from Friday, October 29, 2010)

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Steel goes up for the new library and administrative wing, as the exterior of the first classroom wing awaits masonry.



Students from the welding and metal fabrication class take a tour with Clerk of the Works Steve Drane to view the new steel.