

# Ross High School project moving indoors as roof encloses project

*Officials plan on Christmas break move-in*

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FREMONT - The new Ross High School is on schedule and on budget, according to Jon Detwiler, Fremont City Schools superintendent.

And the entire project is under the roof as Detwiler said the project continues with most of the remaining work left for the interior of the building, a welcomed move as temperatures continue falling below freezing in Ohio.

The project is the final puzzle piece of a project that includes a complete build of five elementary buildings and high school addition.

The FCS board approved a \$49.5 million guaranteed maximum price amendment in October 2019 for construction of the Ross building.

Detwiler said the district will move into the new building during Christmas break.

"These are going really well, there's a lot painting going on," Detwiler said.

The entire building is heated, Detwiler said, as work continues inside and out without any issues slowing down the process.

When the building project finishes, Detwiler said the goal for the school is to have a dedication and open house.

Due the pandemic, last year's open houses had to become virtual for the five elementary schools that opened in August.

As the pandemic slows and vaccinations ramp up, Detwiler said the goal will be to have a dedication for all the buildings and a burying of a time capsule.



Detwiler said the district will reveal the contents of a time capsule that was found at the Atkinson School site, 1100 Delaware Ave.

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