The $170 million Duncanville ISD Bond will allow the district to address security needs, priority maintenance, and reconfigure campuses to create an early childhood center, add more choice options for families, update Duncanville HS, expand career and technical education programs at the high school, and replace buses over 16 years old.

**PROPOSITION A**

**Renovations and Capital Improvements** $144,739,000
- Major architectural renovations to allow for grade realignment of campuses
- Career & Technical Education addition at Duncanville High School allowing for CTE program alignment and expansion of current programs
- Capital improvements include replacement of HVAC systems, lighting, roofs, energy management controls, and ADA compliance updates (elevators, lifts, restrooms, playgrounds, doors, sidewalks and entrances)

**Transportation** $7,438,000
- School bus replacements and fuel tank replacement

**School Safety and Security Updates** $5,000,000
- Security cameras, security window film, fire panel updates, sprinkler systems, security fencing, signage, intercom system upgrades, automatic door closures, and/or new locks for all Duncanville ISD campuses

**Technology Infrastructure** $4,000,000
- Technology infrastructure and network upgrades for all Duncanville ISD campuses

**PROPOSITION B**

**Instructional Technology** $8,823,000
- Interactive monitors for engaged learning and development for all Duncanville ISD campuses and facilities

**EARLY VOTING** OCT. 23 - NOV. 3  **ELECTION DAY** TUESDAY, NOV. 7
**TAX INFORMATION**

- Bonds May Affect I&S Tax Rate
- Maximum Increase of $0.0485 to I&S Tax Rate
- For a home valued at $200,000, the I&S increase is estimated to be no more than $8.08 per month
- Although the bond election may impact the I&S tax rate, the total tax rate will be lower than the prior year

**Citizens 65+**

Duncanville ISD property taxes for citizens age 65 or older will not be affected by this – or any – school bond election as long as a homestead and over 65 exemption application have been filed with the local appraisal district.

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**DID YOU KNOW?**

- The **Duncanville ISD total tax rate has gone down every year for the past five years.** The District is committed to ensuring continued fiscal responsibility to the community by only asking voter approval of a bond that maintains the total tax rate at an amount equal to or below the previous year’s tax rate.

- It’s been **nearly 10 years** since Duncanville ISD held its last bond election. All projects associated with Bond 2014 were completed by 2019, and the district saved approximately $3 million on bond projects.

- The 2014 bond funded updates primarily at the elementary and middle school levels. The 2023 bond proposal would allow the district to **focus on Pre-K and the high school.**

- The Citizens’ Facility Advisory Committee, made up of two dozen citizens, community leaders, campus staff, and parents, met over the course of the summer to study and prioritize the district’s needs, and this bond proposal is based on their recommendations.

- The bond will replace approximately 40 school buses that are **more than 16 years old and/or no air conditioning.** New buses will create route efficiencies and support timely bus schedules.

- Many of the proposed projects in Proposition A are aimed at **maintaining current facilities** and extending their useful lives for as long as possible.