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DoD Awards Funding for Holloman Middle School Replacement and Holloman Elementary School Enhancements

HOLLOMAN AIR FORCE BASE, N.M. – The Department of Defense announced today the award of a \$59,610,471 grant from the Office of Local Defense Community Cooperation to the Alamogordo School District to replace the current Holloman Middle School. The grant also includes funding for enhancements to the newly-completed Holloman Elementary School campus.

The current Holloman Middle School campus was constructed in 1973; the allocation of this funding will provide students the opportunity to learn and thrive in a 21st century learning environment. Additionally, the new facility will have a higher capacity and outdoor learning spaces.

“Having quality schools on the installation is a driving factor for military families with school-age children. Replacing aging facilities has a tremendous value to quality of life at Holloman,” said U.S. Air Force Col. Nicholas Pederson, 49th Wing vice commander. “We are thankful for our partnership with Alamogordo Public Schools and the support of the community.”

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