Building Report | E/W Tech Renovations & Addition

11.15.19

The following are pictures from the week ending in 11.15.19 in regards to the East/West Technology Buildings Renovations and Addition Project. Fortunate for us the early surprise of wintery weather (snow and cold) did not slow this project. More and more spaces on the west side of project are progressing well as far as finishes, while the east side is almost ready to be start receiving finishes. The addition has suddenly become a hub of activity as the ceiling framing is being installed, masonry openings are being finished, the clerestory glazing is being installed, and the exterior soffits are being framed and prepped for finishing. All three portions of the building are now on regular power, as being as well being heated by the geothermal HVAC systems (not fine tuned, but at least rudimentary). A lot of permanent building lighting has been installed which means the temporary lighting installed by the electrical contractors can be removed. Schedule wise we have surpassed the 70% completion mark.

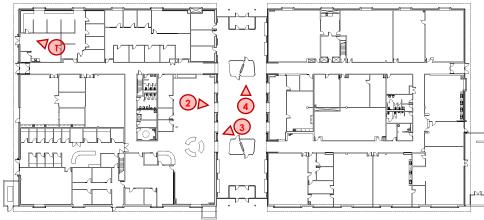


Photo #1 was taken inside the Storage/Work Room in the I.S. Office Suite. This is the first of the areas in either building with an open ceiling (exposed structure) to be painted. Photo #2 shows the progress of finishing the new openings that used to be windows in West Tech that now connect the Computer Lab to the Academic Commons in the addition. Photo #3 highlights the glazing contractor installing the clerestory window glass panels into the frames up high in the addition. Photo #4 was also taken in the addition and shows the interior contractors continuing their efforts to frame the curved ceiling that will travel from one end to the other above the high-bay space in the addition.









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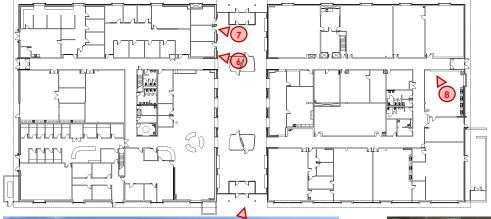


Photo #5 was taken outside of the future south entry of the addition looking up at the soffit and the work happening there. Photo #6 shows the concrete around the supporting columns for the addition being place. This concrete is separated purposefully from the rest of the floor slab in the area to help control cracking. Photo #7 shows the masons finishing the brick around the conference rooms off of the Academic Commons in the addition. Photo #8 highlights more of the work being completed by the interior contractors. Here you can see some wall board being laminated to the new concrete block wall in East Tech







