

# Eastport-South Manor Central School District

## Smart School Bond Update



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## What is the Smart Schools Bond?

The Smart Schools Bond Act (SSBA) was passed as part of the 2014-15 New York State budget and approved by voters in a statewide referendum held on Nov. 4, 2014. The SSBA authorized the issuance of \$2 billion in bonds to finance educational technology and infrastructure to improve learning opportunities for students throughout the state.

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- **ESM awarded \$2,279,065**
- **Award based on ESM enrollment**
- **Funds used to improve infrastructure at all five ESM buildings from Wi-Fi capabilities and phones to security enhancements to visitor entrances and video cameras among other improvements**

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### What has been done so far:

- Public Hearing Closed
- Preliminary Plan posted on District website
- Preliminary Plan submitted to SSBA Review Board

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### What's next?

- BOE approval of architectural contract: **9/12/18**
- SSBA Review Board approval of Preliminary Plan: **August 2018-July 2019**
- Architectural design phase: **September 2018-February 2019**
- Submit architectural designs to NYSED-**February 2019**
- NYSED approval of architectural designs: **February 2019-August 2019**
- Bid period/award contracts: **September-October 2019**
- Construction Phase: **November 2019-June 2020**
- Project online: **July 2020**

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**Questions or Comments**



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