

Chronological List of School Openings

This list provides the date of the opening of each school in the Seattle School District. Excluded are operations in portables, private homes, donated sites, leased sites, service sites, small annexes, and in the other temporary facilities. The list includes new buildings added to a site but excludes building additions.

Schools opening in the same year are listed alphabetically. Schools annexed into the district have an X attached to the end of the year they first operated in the district. Minor name variations and shortlived American Hall of Fame changes in 1903 are not listed. In cases where the school board voted on an official name within one or two weeks of a building opening, that official name is used here. See individual school histories for more detailed descriptions.

Opened	Original Name	Later Names	Landmark
1870	Central I		
1873	North		
1873	South	Main Street (1889)	
1876	Bell Town		
1877	Sixth Street		
1883	Sixth Street	Central (1884)	
1884	Denny		
1889	Central II		
1889	South		
1890	Mercer (Thomas)		
1890	Minor		
1890	Pontius	Columbia (1891), Lowell (1910)	
1890	Queen Anne		
1891-92	Green Lake		
1891x	Salmon Bay		
1891	Market Street	Rainier (1891)	
1891	Olympic		
1891x	Ross		
1892	Day		1981
1892	Latona		
1893	Pacific		
1894	Cascade		
1895	Denny-Fuhrman	Seward (1905)	1980
1896	Queen Anne	West Queen Anne (1908)	1977
1899	Beacon Hill		
1899	Lake		
1902	Green Lake		
1902	Main Street Annex		

1902	Seattle	Washington (1906), Broadway (1908), Broadway-Edison (1946), Seattle Community College (1966)	1974
1902	20th Avenue	Longfellow (1903), Meany (1941)	
1902	University Heights		1977
1902	Walla Walla	Mann (1921)	2012
1903	Interbay		
1903	Ross		
1903	Warren Avenue		
1904	Allen		2008
1904	Beacon Hill		
1904	Interlake	Lincoln Annex (1971)	1981
1904	Madrona		
ca. 1904	Salmon Bay	South Salmon Bay (1907)	
1905	Hay	Original Hay (1989), Queen Anne Elementary (2010)	1980
1905	Parental	Boys' Parental (1915), Burbank (1931)	
1905	Seward		
1905x	South Seattle		
1905	Summit		1988
1906	Franklin	Washington (1912)	
1906	Latona		1998
1906	Stevens		1981
1907	Bagley		
1907x	Brighton		
1907x	Brighton Beach		
1907x	Broadway (Ballard)	Ballard Special (1916)	
1907x	Central (Ballard)	Ballard HS (1909), Irving (1916)	
1907	Coe		1999
1907x	Columbia City	Columbia (1910)	
1907x	Dunlap		
1907x	East Side	Irving (1910), Ballard Special (1918), Fulton (1929)	
1907x	Emerson		
1907	Lincoln		2016
1907x	Maple		
1907x	Rainier Beach		
1907x	South Park		
1907	Van Asselt		2019
1907x	Wetmore	York (1921)	
1908	Alki		
1908	Bay View	Webster (1908)	2015
1908	Fairview		
1908	Lawton		
1908x	Riverside		

1908x	West Seattle	Lafayette (1918)	
1908	Whittier		
1908	Whitworth		
1908x	Youngstown		
1909	Emerson		1998
1909	Greenwood		
1909	Hawthorne		
1909	Leschi		
1909	Queen Anne High School		1985
1909-10	Van Asselt		
1910	Adams		
1910	Colman		2005
1910	Gatewood		1988
1910x	Georgetown (two buildings)		
1910x	Maple		
1910	West Woodland		
1910	York	Muir (1921)	
1911	Ravenna		
1911x	Yesler		
1912	Franklin		1986
1912	Jefferson		
1913	Alki		
1913	Harrison	King (1974)	
1913	Lake	McGilvra (1914)	2014
1913	Lawton		
1914	McDonald		
1914	North Queen Anne		
1915	Concord		1998
1916	Ballard		
1917	Latona		
1917	Seward		1981
1917	West Seattle		1981
1917	Youngstown	Cooper (1939)	2002
1918	Allen		
1918	Fauntleroy		
1918	Jefferson Annex		
1918	Maple School Annex		
1919	Bagley Annex		
1919	Bryant		1998
1919	Crown Hill		
1919	Fulton		
1920	East	Garfield (1921)	

1921	Edison		
1921	Gatzert		
1921	Highland Park		
1921	M. Washington		
1922	Brighton		
1922	Columbia		
1922	Hay	Original Hay (1989), Queen Anne Elementary (2010)	
1922	Roosevelt		2002
1923	Garfield		2003
1924	Dunlap		1998
1924	Montlake		2013
1926	Bryant		
1926	Hughes		2015
1927	Cleveland		1980
1927	Hamilton		2006
1927	Magnolia		2015
1927	J. Marshall		
1928	Laurelhurst		
1928	Whittier		
1929	Madison		2002
1930	Bagley		2015
1930	M. Washington Annex		
1931	Monroe		??
1932	Loyal Heights		2015
1941	Minor		
1943x	Olympic View		
1944	Duwamish Bend	Holgate (1952)	
1944	High Point		
1944	Rainier Vista	Columbia Annex (1955)	
1948	View Ridge		
1949	Arbor Heights		
1949	Briarcliff		
1949	Genesee Hill		
1950	Eckstein		1981
1950	Lafayette		
1950	Van Asselt		
1952	Blaine		
1952	D. Denny		
1952	Sharples	Kurose (1999)	
1953x	Maple Leaf		
1953x	Pinehurst		
1954x	Addams		

1954x	Broadview		
1954x	Goodhue		
1954x	Haller Lake		
1954x	Lake City		2009
1954x	Oak Lake		
1954	Olympic Hills		
1954	Viewlands		
1954x	Wilson	Wilson-Pacific (1978), Cascadia & Eagle Staff (2017)	2014 (site)
1955	Wedgwood		
1956	Northgate		
1956	Rogers		
1957	Asa Mercer		
1957	Sealth		
1958	North Beach		
1958	Roxhill		
1958	Sand Point		2012
1959	Cedar Park		2012
1959	Ingraham		2017
1959	Sacajawea		
1959	Whitman		
1960	Rainier Beach		
1961	Decatur		
1961	Graham Hill		
1961	Rainier View		
1962	Schmitz Park		
1963	Boren		
1963	Hale		
1963	Thomson	Broadview-Thomson (1981)	
1963	Washington		
1964	Fairmount Park		
1964	McClure		
1970	Green Lake		
1970	Sanislo		
1971	Beacon Hill		
1971	Dearborn Park		
1971	Kimball		
1971	Luke		
1971	Maple		
1973	South Shore		
1988	Gatzert		
1988	High Point	West Seattle ES (2007)	
1989	Hawthorne		

1989	Hay		
1989	Olympic View		
1989	Whitworth		
1991	Colman	T. Marshall (1996)	
1991	West Woodland		
1999	Ballard		
1999	Cooper		
1999	Highland Park		
1999	Whittier		
2002	Madrona		
2003	Brighton	King, Jr. (2010)	
2003	Coe		
2008	South Lake		
2009	South Shore		
2011	Denny		
2016	Arbor Heights		
2016	Genesee Hill		
2016	Pinehurst		
2016	Thornton Creek		
2017	Cascadia		2014 (site)
2017	Eagle Staff		2014 (site)
2017	Olympic Hills		
2021	Luke		
2023	Baldwin		
2023	Kimball		
2023	Viewlands		
[2025]	Alki		
[2025]	Asa Mercer		
[2025]	Rogers		