



**Scale and Scope of Project**

A 138,000 square foot middle school was designed to house 1300 students and was located on a 30-acre site with fully developed athletic fields, bus loop and staging area. Becica Associates was awarded the contract for design and construction phase services. 7th and 8th grade classroom wings were designed based on creating small communities for learning. Three groups of five classrooms are arranged in each wing. Fully integrated technology infrastructure is provided throughout the school, community and the world wide web through fiberoptic lines. Air conditioning is provided throughout the facility for year-round use. Cooling is provided via an environmentally friendly gas absorption chiller that has no ozone depleting refrigerants. Overall building economy was achieved by maximizing floor area efficiency, careful selection of materials and a straightforward design solution.

**Services Rendered by Becica Associates LLC**

- Pre-Design Services
- Educational Programming
- Architectural / Engineering Services
- Interior Design
- Construction Phase Services
- NJDOE & DCA Approvals

**Construction Cost**  
\$13.2 Million

**Completion Date**  
September 1996

**Ann A. Mullen School**  
1400 Sicklerville Road  
Sicklerville, New Jersey

