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APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE FOR HIGH SCHOOL TRANSITION TEAMS

The transition of the two Royal Oak high schools officially began last week when the High School Design Team met. The Design Team is composed of students, parents, staff, and administrators from each school along with a member of the Board of Education. At the April 28 meeting, the team finalized a Five Phase Transition Process, defined the role and responsibility of the four Transition Teams that will be created using an application process.

The Transition Teams will be made up of students, staff, parents and community members. Members will be asked to make a two-year commitment. Teams will begin meeting in late August. The 2004-05 school year will be devoted to creating a vision for the new high school, gathering information and developing an implementation plan for the 2005-06 school year. An application process will be used to select the members of each team.

Applications to serve on a Transition Team will be available beginning Monday, May 17 at the Board of Education Offices, 1123 Lexington Blvd.; at all of the Royal Oak Schools; on the district's website, <http://www.royaloakschools.com>; or by calling the Board of Education Offices at 248-435-8400 ext. 228.