

# Welcome to MNW Elementary Center

The summer of 2009 found Manson Northwest Webster Community School transitioning to a Pre-K through grade 6 elementary center at its Barnum site. Excitement surrounds the advantages offered to both teachers and students. Moving from a building of 59,000 square feet to a complex of 89,000 square feet offers significant opportunities for expansion in technology, specialty areas and the arts. **Spacious well lit classrooms (1)** offer a cheerful and conducive atmosphere for learning. Movable barriers between grade-alike classrooms allow for large



ing and team teaching. **Technology (2)** is everywhere in the elementary. A large infusion of classroom and student-centered technologies in addition to two computer labs and two mobile labs, greet the students each day.



A dedicated, fully equipped **science room and laboratory (3)** allows for student exploration and inquiry beyond the typical text book or desk top elementary science lesson.



Both the **band and vocal program rooms** have a pit arrangement (4) allowing the directors full attention to and from the student performers.



Student creativity is unleashed in Mrs. Skophammer's **art room (5)**. From charcoal to clay, students experience many forms of artistic self expression.



A large **media center (6)** containing a multitude of books and one of the several computer labs, provides the students a source for reading improvement and research, as well as recreational reading. Student productions will be presented in a 300-seat **auditorium (7)** while



PE, recesses and sports take place in the full-size **gymnasium (8)** or a smaller gym used by the preschool.

