Safe. **M**odern. **A**ccessible. **R**enovated. **T**ech-Ready Schools

VOTE
S.M.A.R.T

YES: SCHOOL BOND
YES: SALES TAX

Our children need your support. They are trying to learn in rundown schools that desperately need heating, roofing and plumbing repairs. With an average age of 55 years, many Guilford County Schools lack modern technology, wireless infrastructure as well as technology and security measures.

You can make a difference.

On May 17, VOTE YES for the $1.7 billion school bond and the fraction of a penny (0.0025%) sales tax to help repay the bond.

Vote YES: School Bond	Vote YES: Sales Tax
• 30 schools to be renovated, rebuilt and constructed.	• Applies to all visitors to the county.
• Security and tech upgrades to 100% of schools.	• Helps ensure property tax rates are not increased.
• Career & Technical Education expanded to schools across the county.	• Only 5 extra pennies on every $20 spent, and does NOT apply to groceries, vehicles, gas and RX drugs.

Learn more about the S.M.A.R.T bond and sales tax by visiting **smartschoolbond.com.**

VOTE YES and YES on the bottom of your ballot on the May 17th primary.

S

Safe: All schools will be upgraded with safety and security measures such as interior and exterior cameras, digital locks, campus wide intercoms and operable systems with first responders.

M

Modern: Our children are learning in school buildings constructed before the first lunar landing, and we have to accelerate the process to prepare our facilities for the next 50-100 years. Newer schools are also 1.5 times more efficient to operate.

A

Accessible: In-demand specialty programs such as STEM, Arts, Early/Middle College options and a wide range of Career & Technical Education programs will be expanded to ensure they are accessible to children at all income levels.

R

Renovated: The needs of every school will be addressed, including rebuilding 19 schools, renovating 12 schools and constructing 3 new schools. New school designs will align with modern safety, security and technology standards.

T

Tech-ready: Classrooms and facilities will be upgraded with equipment and technology to support today's approach to learning. Outdated instructional technology, devices and equipment will be replaced with new tech for teacher and student use.