



BEST PRACTICE: CASE STUDIES



Smart Schools are Energy-Wise

Winnona Park Elementary School, Decatur, GA



THE SITUATION:

Winnona Park Elementary School made an educated move when it began renovating portions of the 83 year-old school designed by architect J.W. Sayward. The school decided to reduce its energy bill and improve the aesthetics of its library and multi-purpose room by updating the lighting from standard parabolics to the RT5™ Volumetric Recessed Lighting by Lithonia Lighting.

THE SOLUTION:

The program saved energy and more evenly distributed brightness levels, while using fewer fixtures. Ann Whitley, lead media specialist at Winnona Park Elementary School believes the new lighting system, "creates a better and more enjoyable environment for both the students and faculty by reducing glare on computers and reading/instruction areas. Plus the fixture is pleasing to the eye without drawing attention to the ceiling."

The energy savings combined with the visual harmony of the RT5 relighting campaign, allows Winnona Park Elementary to spend its money and time concentrating on something a little more important—students and learning.

