Thank you for your interest in the Architecture in Schools Program! Our goal is to bring design professionals into school communities so students can be introduced to the creative endeavor of architecture.

We are partnering with AISD’s Prime Time program - the largest free after-school program in Austin, serving Title 1 schools all over the city.

We equip Lead Teachers with supplies and a curriculum meant to engage 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade students with hands-on opportunities to observe, critique, and create their own designs for the built environment. We will use exercises and projects to examine how buildings contain space, how materials impact that space, and how buildings affect people. Each session is built around exploring a facet of the idea that architecture is making space out of stuff for people.

Each term consists of seven or eight (depending on the campus) one hour sessions that happen on the campus once a week. We pair two Lead Teachers for the term, and target session sizes of 10-12 students. Teacher support is provided by K-12 committee members and former Lead Teachers.

We would love to help you get involved! For more information, please contact:

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Spring 2020 Sessions:

Reilly ES
- Term 1: 1/29 - 3/11
- Term 2: 3/25 - 5/6
both from 3:30 - 4:30 pm

Zavala ES: 2/20 - 4/16
from 3:30 - 4:30 pm

Joslin ES: 2/4 - 3/31
from 3:15 - 4:15 pm