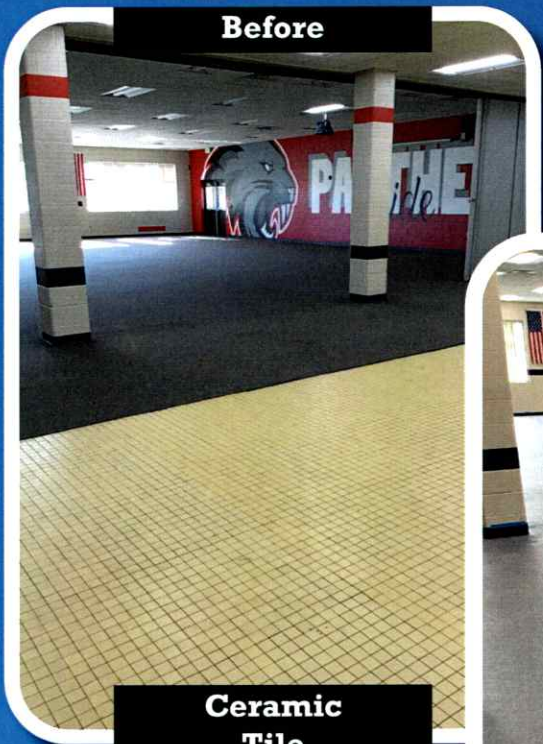
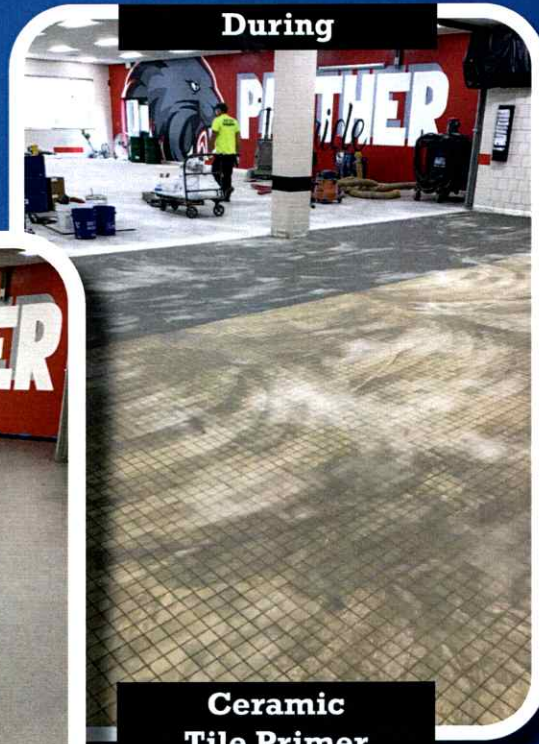
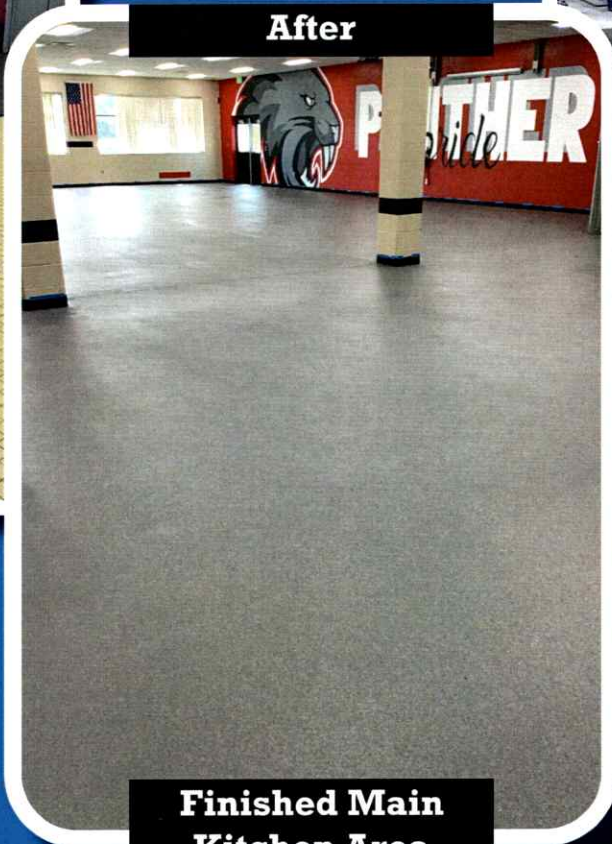


Before**Ceramic
Tile****During****Ceramic
Tile Primer****After****Finished Main
Kitchen Area**

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Northern Industrial Flooring worked with the Prairie Heights staff on breaking this project down to three areas. The first, the elementary cafeteria, required grinding and blasting for preparation, then a special Ceramic Tile Primer (CTP) was applied for adhesion followed by installing a Res-Tek Pur-Guard urethane cement flooring system with MAC-Guard MMA top coats. From there we moved into the kitchen, dishwashing and serving areas with the same prep and flooring system but with a more aggressive nonskid surface. The last area, which was the largest area, would be the middle school cafeteria, with removal of the carpet and mastic, leveling the floor between the ceramic tile and the bare concrete and removal of the non-asbestos VCT tiles and mastic. We also had

a significant cold joint where the new addition was located and we needed to create a joint that would flex and move with the old and newer portions of the building.

The final outcome was a stylish monolithic gray quartz floor with slight non-skid in both middle and elementary cafeterias and with a more aggressive, non-skid in the kitchen, serving and dishwashing areas. The MMA topcoats are extremely hard and will hold up to the heavy abuse of a kitchen and cafeteria in a school setting.

The kitchen and cleaning staff absolutely love the new flooring as it is easy to clean and the non-skid in the kitchen, dishwashing and serving areas provide a much safer work environment for everyone! The almost indestructable floor has opened up new opportunities for the school to use this space for more than just the cafeteria and lunch rooms.