



ADEN SCHOOL

Located at extreme northeast Hamilton County. The school sat next to a grocery store (filling station/post office) just south of Friendly Zion Baptist Church.

This one-room school consolidated with Ellis Mound, another one-room school, to form Aden Grade School District. The pupils then had first, second, third and fourth grades at Ellis Mound and fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades at Aden.

In 1957, a new brick school was opened, located three miles east of Illinois Route 242 North. The first Aden school building was torn down in August 2010.