



## Breakout and Meeting Areas—Elementary School

Flexibility is the key to a great breakout area. Tables and chairs should be easy to organize into large or small groups in order to help students exchange ideas, and soft seating arrangements keep students comfortable during extra help sessions or mentoring.

### Requirements for a Great Breakout and Meeting Area

For **students**, the breakout and meeting area must let students easily arrange themselves into groups of various sizes and workspaces should allow all team members to see each other without straining. Soft seating provides comfortable seating during teacher-student meetings.

For **teachers**, the breakout and meeting areas should accommodate both student groups as well as teacher-student mentoring sessions. Flexible furniture makes it easy to arrange and rearrange the space as needed.

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For **administrators**, the best breakout and meeting space will be furnished with products that achieve the goal for that space. They need to know that everything in their order will be available when needed and delivered on time. Installations must be quick and efficient.??

### Breakout and Meeting Area Solutions from School Outfitters

School Outfitters' research and development team designed a breakout and meeting area that caters to the needs of students and teachers alike. We've selected a variety of flexible furnishings that accommodate student groups as well as teacher-student sessions. The **meeting area** serves the primary function of this space, and **informal gathering areas** offer inviting furnishings for smaller groups.

The **meeting area** supports students during breakout sessions, project planning or research. This area includes:

- **Collaborative tables**
- **Mobile seating**
- **Mobile tech storage**

**Collaborative tables** feature spacious work areas where students can spread out project materials or devices. The table shapes are designed to let all students see each other, giving everyone an equal opportunity to participate.

**Mobile seating** is easy to move and arrange into groups.

**Mobile tech storage** can be rolled directly to student work areas to distribute or collect devices. Locking doors and charging ports secure devices overnight.

**Mobile whiteboards** give students a writing surface for brainstorming or presenting ideas. Rolling casters make it simple to move anywhere in the room.

**Informal gathering areas** feature comfortable, inviting furniture that encourages students to use the space. This area can

include:

- **Soft Seating**
- **Power-enabled furnishings**

**Soft seating** creates a cozy, comfortable gathering space where students can meet with a club or simply hang out and socialize.

**Power-enabled furnishings** give students a convenient place to charge their devices.

### **Choosing your Breakout and Meeting Area Solution**

School Outfitters makes it simple to outfit your school's breakout and meeting area. Choose the option that best fits your budget and needs and get an itemized quote with just one click, including all three of our specially-designed solutions. Our helpful sales representatives are happy to answer any questions about our solutions and how you can put them to use in your school. Just give us a call 1-800-260-2776.