

# About this space

# Hallway—Elementary School

### The Need for a Hallway Common Area

Turning an unused area of your school's hallway into a common area gives students a cozy, inviting space where they can relax as they study or work on assignments. Soft, lightweight seating options are easy for students to pick up and move into arrangements for small group work.

## Requirements for a Hallway Common Area

For **students**, the hallway common area should be an inviting, informal gather space with soft seating and other lightweight or easy to move seating that students can arrange and rearrange as needed. Easy access to power outlets allows students to keep devices charged and ready for use.

For **teachers**, the hallway common area should include flexible furniture and comfortable seating to encourage students to utilize the area for study or group work. Collaborative tables assist teachers that opt to use the area for extra help sessions or to facilitate after-school club meetings.

**Administrators** require a hallway common area that's furnished with products that align with their goal for the space. They need to know that all products are available at the time they are needed and that their order will arrive correctly and on time. Installations must be quick and efficient.

### Hallway Common Area Solutions from School Outfitters

The School Outfitters team designed a hallway common area with furnishings that encourage students to use and appreciate the space. The **Group Project Area**, **Informal Gathering Area**, and **Tech-Enabled Area** are designed to work together to create an environment that accommodates small group gatherings, independent study or socialization.

The **Group Project Area** gives students their own space they can use to for collaborative projects or breakout groups. This area includes the following:

- Project table
- Soft seating

A **project tables** offer a spacious work area where students can spread out project components or materials for collaborative work

**Soft seating** works great with the project table or arranged by itself for brainstorming or collaboration. Padded seats keep students comfortable for long periods of sitting, and a lightweight design makes it easy to pick up and move this seating as needed

An **Informal Gathering Area** encourages students to spend more time in your common area, socializing with friends between classes or after school. This area is also an ideal space for after-school clubs to meet. This area includes:

· Soft seating

**Soft seating** is lightweight and easy-to-move, so students can quickly arrange themselves into groups as needed. Soft padding keeps users comfortable.

The **Tech-Enabled Area** accommodates technology use by incorporating furniture with built-in outlets for charging devices. Furnishings in this area include:

- Power-enabled table
- Soft seating

A **power-enabled table** gives students a place to charge devices as well as a work surface that's perfect for spreading out books, papers or project materials.

Padded soft seating keeps students comfortable for long periods of time. Plus, its lightweight design allows students to quickly arrange themselves into groups as needed.

### **Choosing Your Hallway Common Area Solution**

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