About this space

Resource Room

Elementary School

The resource room for elementary school is designed to accommodate students on individual education plans by addressing their physical, sensory and cognitive needs in the classroom. Individual student desks allow students with special needs to work independently or in a one-on-one session with their resource teacher or aid, while collaborative tables allow for small group projects, assignments or tutoring sessions. A variety of storage options allow students easy access to supplies and give teachers the ability to keep the classroom organized.

Requirements for a Great Resource Room

For **students**, the resource room should offer a comfortable environment where they can develop strong relationships with their teachers and aides. Furniture that allows for small group work and individualized mentoring assists special needs students in catch up work, and ensures they remain on grade level with their peers.

For **teachers**, the best resource room should feature furniture that's easy to arrange and rearrange according to their students' needs. Individual desks and collaborative spaces should be available for independent and small group work. There should be space between work areas, allowing teachers and aides to move between students as they work, or pull up a chair alongside a working student for individualized mentoring session.

For **administrators**, the resource room should be furnished in accordance with recommendations based on the needs of their special education students. Products must be readily available and delivered on time. Installation should be quick and efficient

Resource Room Solutions from School Outfitters

School Outfitters' research and development team designed a resource room that caters to the needs of students and teachers alike. We've selected furnishings that accommodate flexibility in the classroom, ensuring that teachers can move and rearrange the furniture in the best way for their students. A dedicated **individual work area**, **group work area** and **storage area** make creating a great resource room simple.

The **individual work area** gives students their own space to work independently or with a mentor.

- **Individual student desks** give students an area for independent assignments and one-on-one learning sessions with a resource teacher or aid.
- **Stools** offer sturdy seating and a backless design that allows students to freely move and shift positions as they work.
- **School chairs** made from durable, soft plastic flex with students as they lean back or change positions. The smooth, anti-static seats prevent annoying shocks, and a grip handle in the chair's back makes them easy pick them up and move around the room.
- **Magnetic dry-erase room dividers c**an be easily rolled to workstations for use, and the top-to-bottom writing surface accommodates students in wheelchairs or with limited to reach. They may also be used to section off workspaces if needed.
- **Over-the-ear headphones** help reduce ambient noise for students that need quiet in order to focus. These may also be used for audio listening assignments or blended learning lesson delivery.

The **group work area** was designed to assist teachers and students in creating a space that accommodates small group projects or collaborative learning.

- **Small collaborative tables** can be used individually to seat two or three students for small group work. Their small footprint allows students to easily interact during group work and a height-adjustable design accommodates students with limited reach.
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The **storage area** makes collecting and distributing supplies simple and keeps unneeded materials out of the way.

- **Mobile bin storage carts** can be rolled directly to student work areas, making distributing and collecting supplies easy. Clear bins make it simple to locate needed materials, and they can be completely removed from the unit for use at workstations. Large and small bin sizes accommodate a variety of storage needs.

- A **lockable storage cabinet** secures materials that may require teacher supervision. Teachers may also opt to use this cabinet to secure their personal belongings.
- Open **shelving** provides a space for materials that need to remain in a consistent location, such as reference materials or workbooks. They may also be used for displaying students' projects or artwork.

Choosing your Resource Room Solution

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