SPACE TYPES & REQUIREMENTS

Art

School Type: K 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

Functional Area Descriptions
The art program provides a general curriculum that encourages students to express their thoughts and feelings in two and three-dimensional modes. Students explore many fundamental techniques with an emphasis on developing an understanding of self-expression through art. Provide standard classroom windows in the art room with views. Where possible, orient windows to the north to allow natural lighting without glare. Provide display cases and tack boards for displaying student work. For high school, the room should accommodate up to 30 students. For elementary schools, provide only one art room.

1 Art Room
The general work area provides space for individual and small or large group activities. Space is required for tables and chairs, flat files, and shelves/cabinets. Provide display cases and tack boards for displaying student work. Provide a door from the general work area to an outdoor patio.

Locate the instruction area at the front of the classroom, with easy access to the storage room. This area typically contains a demonstration desk, a marker board, and an interactive white board. Provide a student clean-up area separate from the general work area that includes a sink and provides space for students to clean themselves and their equipment.

Adjacency Diagram

Planning Requirements

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2 Kiln
The room requires space for a kiln, a quench sink, damp and dry storage, and a small worktable. This is a wet area. Provide an extra wide door for equipment access. Provide interlocked outside supply air and exhaust air fans in the kiln room to prevent conditioned air from the adjacent classroom space from being exhausted. This space is required to be on an exterior wall.

3 Art Workroom/Storage
The storage area contains shelving for art supplies and equipment. Provide a lockable teacher preparation area and vented storage cabinet for paints and thinners. Deep well storage and large flat storage should also be provided for in this area. Provide multiple sinks to allow for appropriate clean-up with proper filtration for drainage.

4 Staff Collaboration
The staff collaboration space may be included with the instructional area or can be combined into a shared suite for visual/performing arts teachers or any other curriculum grouping.

5 Outdoor Patio Area
Provide a paved exterior space adjacent to the art room to function as an extension of the art room. This space should be large enough for the entire class to work individually or in groups.

NOTE: Images shown are intended to provide real-world examples and spark design creativity.
Exploratory (Specialized) Learning Spaces

NOTE: 3D illustrations are shown for informational purposes and are not intended to limit design options.