

Facility Planning Guiding Principles - Elementary

- **Optimal Learning Environment**
 - K-5 Building – Consistency, Less transitions between grades
 - 650 – 700 Enrollment Capacity
- **Variety of Learning Experiences**
 - Space for whole group, small group, interventions near the classroom, large group instruction areas
 - Space for support services – OT/PT/individualized instruction with appropriate ADA requirements, ENL, counseling, clinic
 - Flexible furniture to increase student collaboration spaces – inquiry, personal experiences
 - Staff collaboration spaces – work areas for discussion, planning, and reflection
 - Instructional technology and infrastructure
- **Safety and Security**
 - Secured entrances
 - Cameras
 - Traffic flow and parking

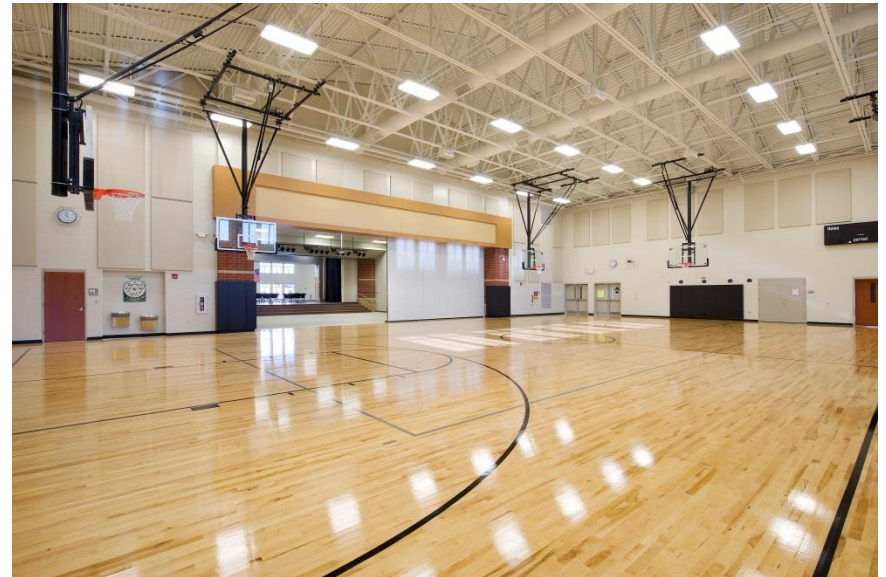
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Example Desired Elementary Classrooms to Create an Optimal Learning Environment



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Example Desired Elementary LGI, Cafeteria, Gym with Stage to Create an Optimal Learning Environment



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Example Desired Elementary Cafeteria to Create an Optimal Learning Environment



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Example Desired Elementary Library/Media Center to Create an Optimal Learning Environment

