Impactful Design on a Budget

Planning and designing impactful and cost-efficient learning spaces

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Space is a powerful designer of our experience.

By creating the right environment, we are designing a mindset for teaching, learning, gathering and socializing.

Impactful Design

- In a world that is constantly changing, the spaces we are designing need to change as well.
- Design helps change ideas, provokes creativity, and inspires positive thinking.
- Design that creates safe spaces to experience and express emotions.
- Connecting social emotions and learning patterns through design.



Design makes a difference

"The feedback has been amazing everybody loves coming to school it is so bright, it is so beautiful—teachers are happy, children are happy and of course that propels everything else forward."

ALANA GELNICK, ASSOCIATE PRINCIPAL & ELC DIRECTOR, SAR

"The new design is getting everyone excited for the future of our school. The community is engaged and wants to be a part of the change."

DGANIT RONEN, PRINCIPAL, WTA



"I couldn't believe it, since we started using our new sanctuary the prayers have shot to the sky."

ROSENBAUM YESHIVA OF NORTH JERSEY

How do we do it?

- 1. A clear understanding of the school's core values and mission statement.
- 2. Conduct brainstorming sessions to identify critical needs and areas of interest, developing a strategic plan that addresses immediate and future needs of the school.
- 3. Explore how we can improve our existing spaces to create new learning environments that promote health, innovation, equity flexibility and sustainability.





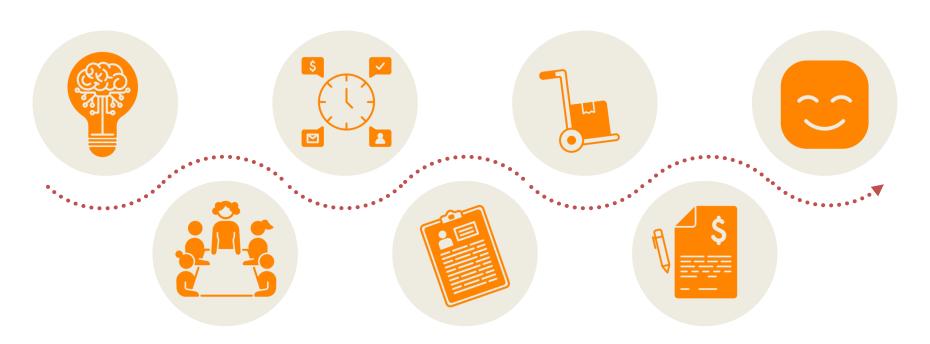


The Process

Create a conceptual masterplan & a project-based plan in phases Have a professional team lined up from the start to save time & money

Sourcing the right product by deeply understanding your needs

Finishing on time, on budget and with a smile



Have all the decision makers at the table early in the process

Provide programming of individual user needs by area, developing for aesthetics, function and cost

Budgeting & value engineering, collaborating with vendors to get best pricing

Bringing all the stakeholders to the table

THE TEAM

- Architect
- Engineers
- School administration (educational & budgets)
- School board representative
- School maintenance team
- Contractor
- Community feedback and collaboration

"Teamwork is the ability to work together toward a common vision. It is the fuel that allows common people to attain uncommon results."

ANDREW CARNEGIE



Project based - Master/ Conceptual plan

- Creating a masterplan, project based plan
- Identifying potential projects and designs that can be considered for phased construction.
- Individual concept plans on different scales, scope of work, budgets for area/ projects within a master plan.



Creating a project-based plan

DIFFERENT SCALE PROJECTS

- Different area sizes. Diversity in scale
- Different budgets
- Different growing needs

DIFFERENT PHASES BASED ON PROJECT

- Short-Term Functional/Cosmetic Changes
- Fundraising
- Community reach for feedback
- Plans and approvals







Case Studies

Lobby

- Welcoming
- First impression
- Transition into learning
- Create an "experience"
- The values of the institution



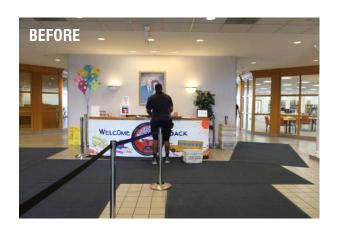


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Lobby

- Real time changing information on activity, menu, news
- Seating
- Connection to the Community: Donor wall

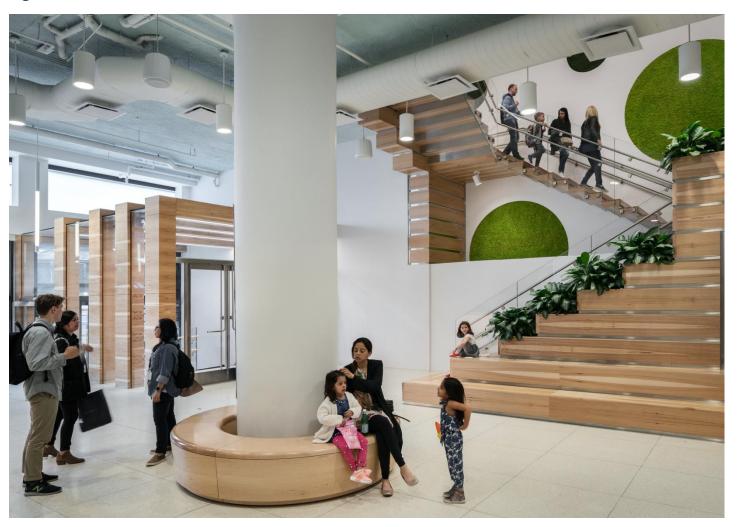




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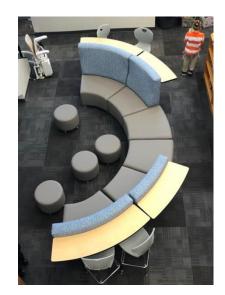
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Lobby



In Between Spaces Corridors

- Valuable Real estate
- Creating a "third space"
- Extending learning to all parts of the building
- Flexibility to allow change over time







CASE STUDY: CORRIDORS

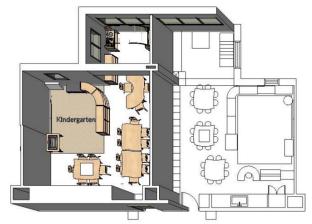




Pilot Classroom

- Adaptable & Functional
- Inviting & Comfortable
- Designed based on the teaching and learning that takes place







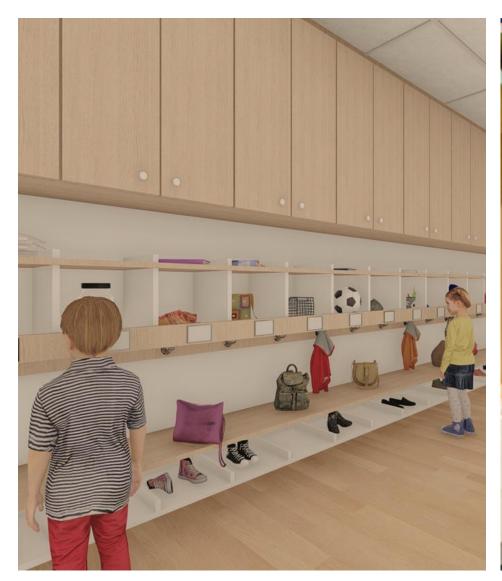
ROOM 1 KINDERGARTEN ROOM 2 3 YEAR OLDS

Lockers

- Personal space
- Organized learning environment
- Generic vs. personalized
- Safe and visible
- Resourcing design creatively and competitively



CASE STUDY: LOCKERS





Outdoor Spaces

- Connection to nature
- Physical and emotional health
- Natural light and air
- Option for different learning modality and educational activity







CASE STUDY: OUTDOOR SPACES



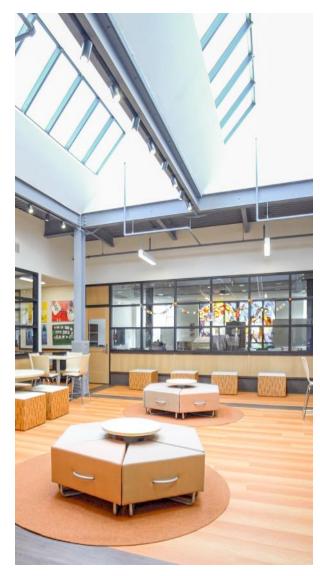




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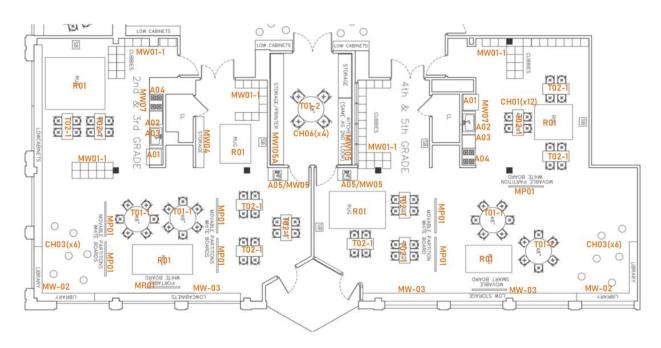


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- Tagging the plans
- Working with coordinated updated documents

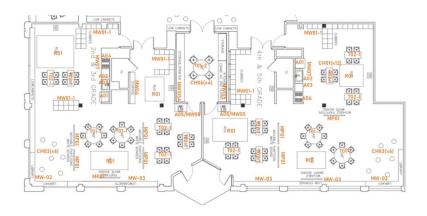




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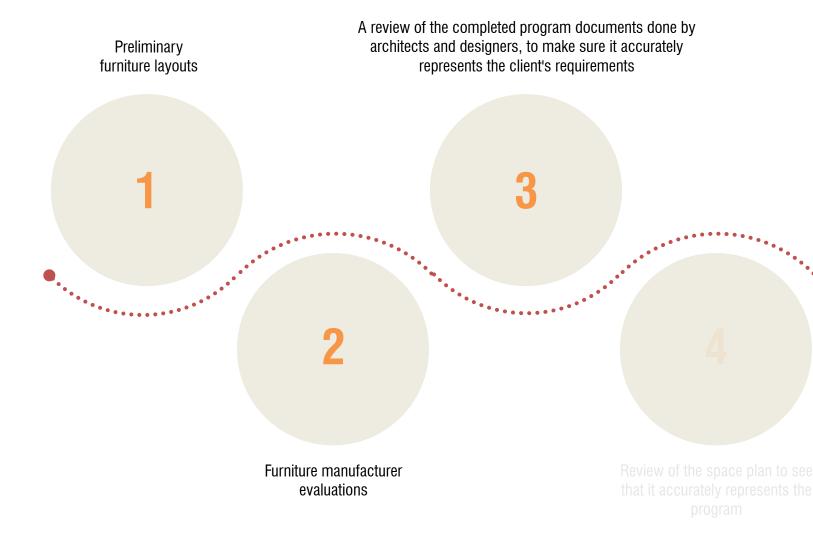
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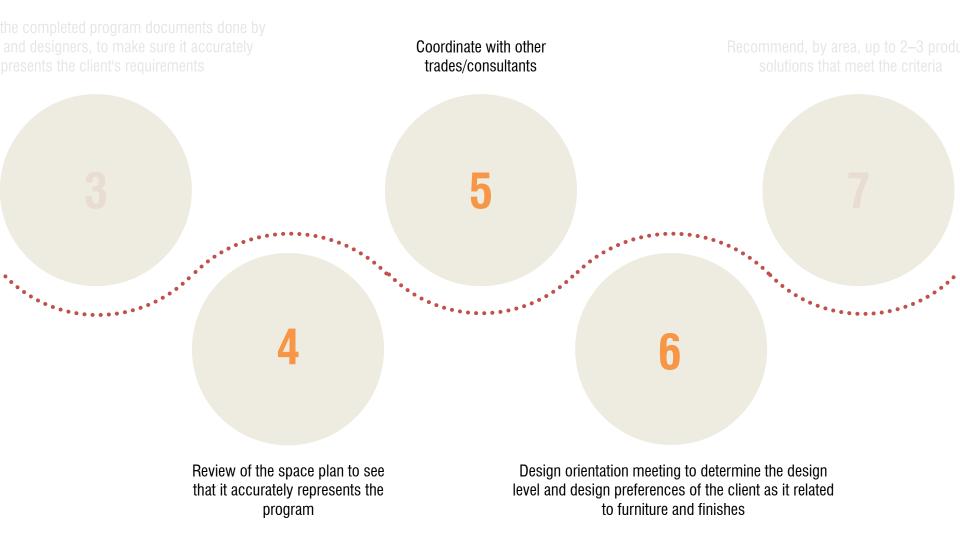


21	A82	1	20' Single bowl stainless steel sink-American Standard 1958-35:2711.0'9E digewater 20' Single Basin Stainless Steel Kitchen Sink for Drop In or Undermount Installations with Single Fauset Hote - Dran Included	
22	A03	1	Faucet Delta 9159-DSTTrinsic Pull-Down Kitchen Faucet with Magnetic Decking Spray Head Finish-chrome	
23	A84	1	33" Range+self verting hood	
24		6	stage cushions. Thanet Flound Pillow Model: T3005 Series, Fabric Finish tbd	
			Basement Teachers HQ	
25	Т09	1	KI 48° Pound lable/29°H Inquire leg base Starlight silver white laminate top kensington maple pvc edge	
26	T14	1	Desking System KI Connection Zone, One position L shape table 24*x50*	
27	CH08	5	KI Apply 4 Leg Chair Wood Veneer Shell, Lipholstered Seat	
28	MW010	1	Custom Mill work: storage wall -see sketch	
			Room 005 Help Desk	
		1	Desking System KI Connection table 30"x60"	
		2	2uma Chair 18" H	
			SGI Room 009	
29	T01-1	1	KI 48" Pound table>22"H -Inquire leg base white kensington maple laminate top white pic edge	
30	CH01-1	4	2uma Chair 18" H	
			Multipurpose Room	
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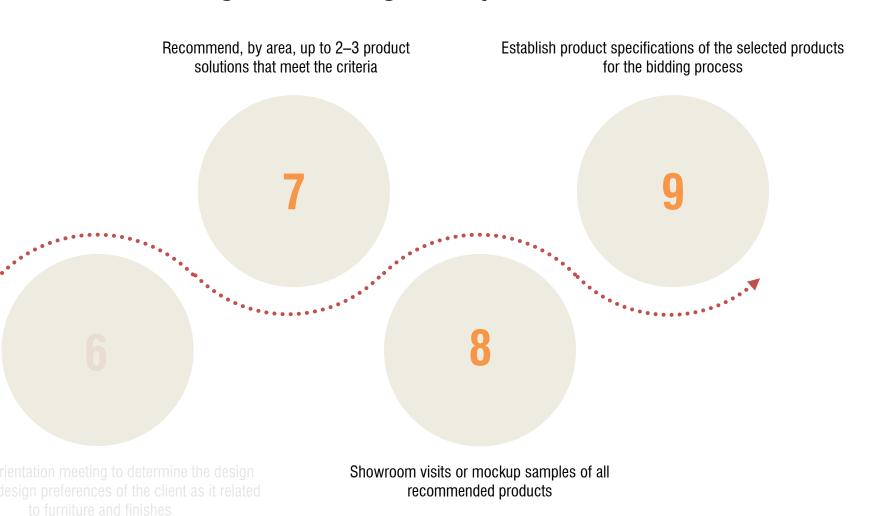
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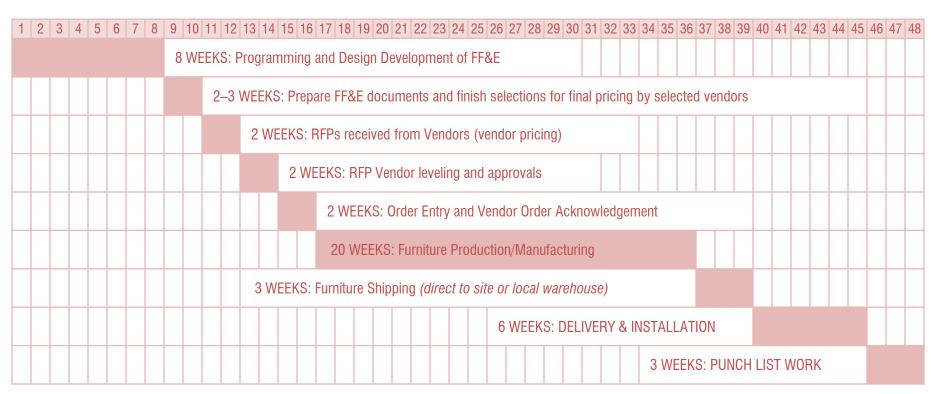
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Project Timeline

- Its important to have the team in on time—it saves time and money!
- Coming in early allows for more flexibility and choices

SAMPLE FF&E 48 WEEKS



Thank You

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