Maker







what is a Makerspace?

A relatively new concept derived from the maker culture, makerspaces represent the democratization of design, engineering, fabrication, and education to serve as a place where people gather to share resources and knowledge, use tools and machinery, and to create manufactured works that wouldn't be possible to individuals working alone.



why are they Significant?

Makerspaces are zones of self-directed learning that promote multidisciplinary thinking and learning in order to foster a highly collaborative educational dynamic by providing the ultimate workshop for those that learn best by doing.



where is their Future?

With the constant increase in tools, machines, and materials being utilized, makerspaces will continue to grow and adapt to the technology while empowering the next generation of makers, do-it-yourselfers, artists, designers, engineers and more to create our better future.



Evolution of the classroom

Education is ever-evolving and over the past few decades there have been some significant changes. As technology continues to progress faster than ever before so have our teaching methods.

Shop Class

You could once find shop classes in nearly every high school in America, giving students the ability to develop vocational skillsets.









Technology

Unfortunately funding for shop class was cut as schools had to re-allocate budgets to afford computers, and for software to support those computers, and for constant updates to support that software.



But that technology led to new innovation, with affordable software to train designers and engineers with a newfound entrepreneurial spirit.









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The entrepreneurial spirit led to the need for quick prototyping to test product concepts through the use of 3D printers, laser cutters, desktop CNC routers and more, creating the "Maker" culture.



Equipment

The biggest draw of the makerspace is to pull everyone's resources together and share equipment. With multiple people, everyone can learn about the latest technology and how to utilize it effectively.



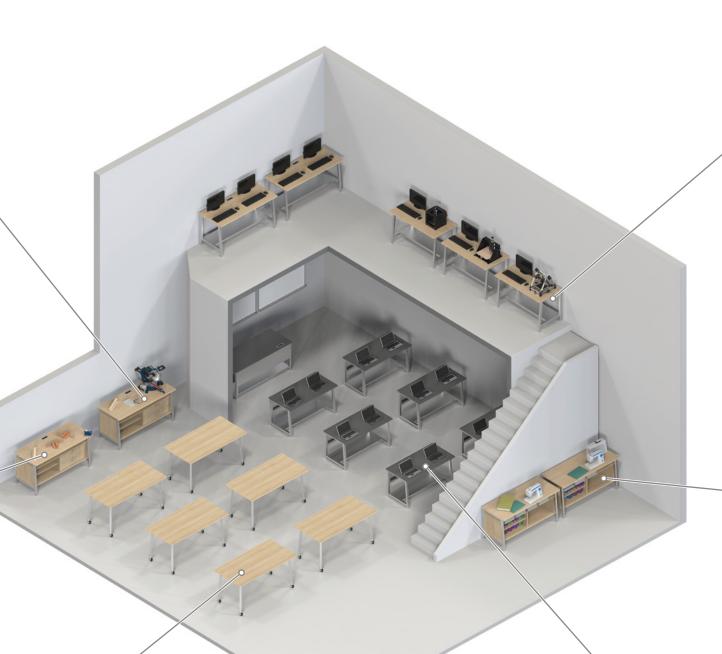
Workspace

Makerspaces are dynamic spaces and the work being executed can range from heavy woodworking to precise soldering.



Collaboration

Makerspaces represent a group of individuals coming together to design, prototype and create manufactured works that wouldn't be possible to create with the resources available to those working alone.





Makerspaces put a strong focus on providing their makers with the latest and greatest in technology, as well as the tools to further cultivate their creativity.



Organization

With the constant increase in materials, tools and machines being utilized, organization is key in any makerspace.



Education

Makerspaces create a unique learning space where everyone has some form of knowledge that they are able to share with the rest of the group.

Shared Tables





Power silver

The Maker power unit provides 4 available windows that can be equipped with any combination of power, USB charging and data.





With the constant increase in tools and machines being utilized, Maker tables were designed to adapt to the technology they support, and grow with the users they facilitate.

7A lower shelf table with modesty panel and power 8A lower shelf table with modesty panel and casters 8B lower shelf table with casters 8C lower shelf table with power SURFACE arcade laminate METAL silver







Work Tables



artists, designers, engineers and more.











design the furniture. innovate the space. engage the users.