

Further Reading

Art Room Design Features

- 1. **Lighting:** Good lighting is crucial for artists.
- 2. **Storage:** Organized storage for paints, brushes, and materials ensures efficiency. Click on cabinets and shelves to see how different items are stored.
- 3. Ventilation: Proper airflow helps maintain a safe environment, especially when working on wood and with chemicals such as adhesive glues and dyes, thinners and some paints.
- 4. **Safety Features:** Fire extinguishers, first aid kits, and eye wash stations are essential for safety.
- 5. Water points: for cleaning hands and tools.
- 6. **Entry and exit points:** For accessing and exiting the art room. Huge windows are also used as safety measures in case an emergency exit is required. They also add to the ventilation lighting up of the art room.
- 7. **Display areas:** These are spaces for showcasing artworks, allowing appreciation of one's own and others' creations for self and peer assessment and for inspiration. They include display boards for 2D artworks, pedestals and shelves for 3D artworks.
- 8. **Disposal points:** Containers used to segregate and dispose waste properly, thus reducing the environmental impact of art supplies. They also help conserve resources by recovering materials that can be reused.
- 9. **Drying racks:** for proper drying of pieces of wet artwork in a safe environment to prevent damaging the artworks.
- Electrical outlets: for use with various equipment and appliances that require electrical power for example heating elements, glue gun, iron box, light boxes etc.