

PRINCIPLES OF LEARNING SPACES from Designs for Living and Learning

Let's continue to consider these as we plan your spaces

1. Think beyond a traditional classroom.
2. Create connections, a sense of place and belonging.
3. Keep space flexible and materials open-ended.
4. Design natural environments that engage our senses.
5. Provoke wonder, curiosity, and intellectual challenge.
6. Engage children in symbolic representations, literacy, and the visual arts.
7. Enhance the children's use of the environment.
8. Launch the process of transforming an environment
9. Face barriers and negotiate quality standards.
10. Seek children's ideas about environments.