

Library Design Feedback from Library Assistants 23 September 2022

Directions:

Look at the furniture examples for tables, chairs, shelving and help desks and indicate your preference by circling or highlighting the appropriate letter. Yes, you can pick several letters 😊

Shelving

Do you prefer black or white shelving? Or another colour? Let us know what and why?

A = Black	B = White	Other colour?		
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What sorts of seating should we have?

Experience in public libraries tells us people are reluctant to sit on a sofa with strangers, so single seating often works better. Do you have any preferences with the three chairs shown? High back? Low back? What about something that could be formed into a shared lounge if people so desired like the B2B lounge?

A = Sofia	B = Florence	C = Rhea	D = B2B Lounge	
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Laptop tables

Do you think a solid base is better than a frame base? Do you prefer a brighter colour so it can be seen?

A = Chrome	B = Red Frame	Anything else?		
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Help Desks

Would it be good to have a mobile help desk? What about one with fold out benches? How much room should the help desk take up in the library and why? Would it be better to have two rather than just one? How do you feel when you approach a desk with two people sitting at it? How do you feel when you approach a desk with one person sitting at it?

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Other comments?

*One area I truly enjoyed about your presentation was . . .

*One possible area of improvement to consider is . . .

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