



berkley high school

Berkley High School

Berkley School District

Berkley, Michigan
Completed in 2003
11,600 sf
\$10,350,000

2004 Outstanding Student Center / Service Area

American School & University

2004 Outstanding Design

AS&U Educational Interiors Showcase

This \$1.45 million project, with 11,600 sq ft of additional or renovated space, includes a school store, expanded cafeteria seating and new offices. In addition to a complete exterior window replacement and extensive interior renovations, the new 7,000 square foot Collaborative Center is the focal point of the high school. The Center is situated at the end of a beautiful colonnade of mature shade trees. Window mullion patterns reflect the leaf structure while the main structure of the addition is a “Tree of Knowledge”, a structure with five “branches” reaching toward the courtyard and supporting the roof structure. The Center provides an extension to the cafeteria, as well as an inviting space for various size groups to gather. There are a variety of seating options to encourage multi-level collaboration between students, staff, parents and the community. The space also has a variety of technology resources, including pod workstations, two projection screens and a sound system.

“There are two lasting gifts we can give our children. One is roots and the other is wings.”

ANONYMOUS QUOTE

DISPLAYED ON THE COLLABORATIVE CENTER WALL



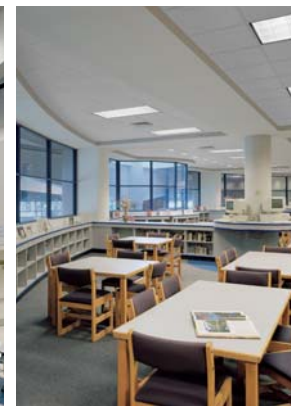
gymnasium



cafeteria



collaborative center addition



media center