

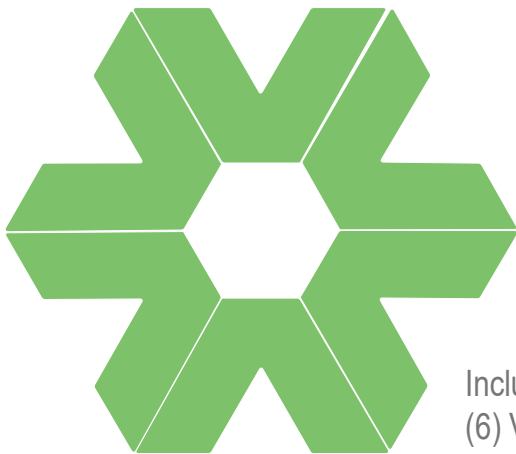


# Preschool Soft Seating Buying Guide

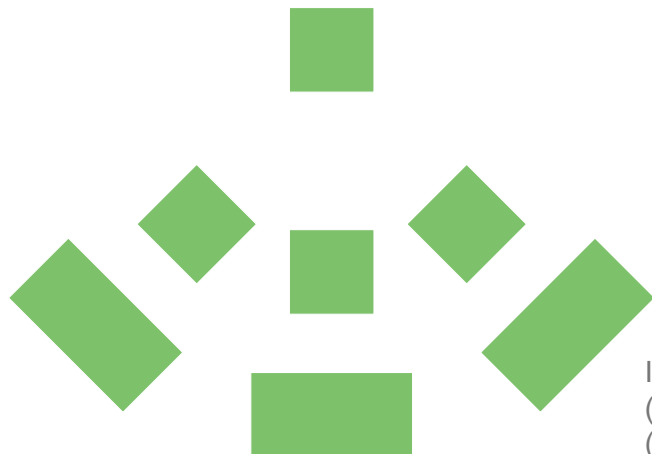


Soft seating is a plush, comfortable, and safe option for early learning environments. With bright colors and unique shapes, foam seats for kids offer a variety of creative options for flexible classrooms. Here is a quick overview of the different soft seating styles available for preschools and daycares.

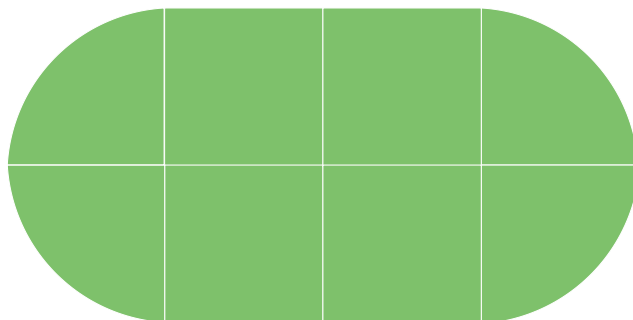
## Popular Preschool Soft Seating Configurations



Includes:  
(6) V Shapes



Includes:  
(4) Squares  
(3) Rectangles



Includes:  
(4) Squares  
(4) Quarter Rounds

# School Outfitters Tips



Choose soft seating in different widths and heights to accommodate a wide range of body types.



Soft seating is easy to clean and resistant to stains and abrasions, making it ideal for withstanding active learning spaces.



Flame-retardant foam is available with many soft seating options. Our knowledgeable Sales team can help get your space in line with your local fire code.



Consider where your soft seating will be used. Coordinated sets are best for classrooms, while common areas will benefit from having a mix of styles available.



Adding casters to soft seating makes it easy to rearrange your layout on the fly and can support flexible learning spaces.



Some soft seating features a foam core, making them extra soft and safe. Other styles have a wooden frame to add stability and increase the weight capacity.

## Product Types

### Modular Seat Shapes



Modular soft seating is extremely versatile and perfect for flexible learning spaces. These geometric seats for kids are colorful and easy to rearrange. Each unique shape can be combined with other shapes and sizes to create dynamic seating areas while adding stylish whimsy to any preschool space.

[Shop Modular Seat Shapes](#)

### Chairs & Couches



Preschool couches and lounge chairs offer both educators and students a familiar seating option. Some students feel more comfortable with **armchairs** and **couches** in their learning space because it mirrors their own home furniture. Preschool lounge seating is specially designed to seat multiple students and support lots of weight, making it ideal for busy classrooms, libraries, and other early learning spaces.

[Shop Chairs & Couches](#)



### Floor Cushions

Preschool floor cushions are a popular alternative to traditional seating and feature thickly padded seats that can be easily moved, stacked, and stored using attached handles. Most styles are simple square or circle shaped sit-upon cushions, while some are designed to look like **sitting logs** and still others are made with **rounded bases** to support active learners. These extremely versatile seats can even be used for impromptu outdoor lessons. Easy to distribute and organize, cushioned floor seating for preschools is a great option for group activities and collaborative learning.

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### Beanbags

A classic style of lounge seating, preschool beanbags can fit in with many early learning room designs. Contemporary beanbags are made with tough, thick vinyl upholstery to prevent tears and punctures, making them ideal for busy student areas. Especially useful as a comfortable soft seating option in libraries and reading corners, ultra-plush bean bags can accommodate a wide variety of body types. Lightweight and easy for students to move on the fly, these colorful seats allow preschool students to sit, lean, and lay while they read or listen to lessons.

[Shop Beanbags](#)



### Soft Seating Sets

Preschool soft seating sets are the best way to quickly equip early learning spaces. With coordinated colors and shapes, full foam sets can provide alternative seating for students in classrooms, libraries, daycares, and more. Some sets come with **matching pieces** in a variety of heights so that as children grow at different rates, they can still enjoy the same furniture as their peers. Classroom foam sets can be colorful, comfortable additions to many preschool spaces.

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## Certifications



### GREENGUARD Gold Certified

GREENGUARD Gold Certification is GEI's second tier of certification. Products that are GREENGUARD Gold Certified meet an even lower level of chemical emissions plus health-based criteria for additional chemicals. GREENGUARD Gold products meet the indoor air quality needs of sensitive environments like schools, daycares and health care facilities.



### **CPSIA Compliant**

Products that are compliant to the Consumer Product Safety Improvement Act of 2008, or CPSIA, meet the rigorous requirements set by Congress on several hazardous substances commonly found in consumer products, especially products for children ages 0-12. CPSIA regulations enforce restrictions on levels of lead and phthalates, as well as third-party testing by accredited laboratories.



### **CertiPUR-US® Certification**

Products with CertiPUR-US® Certification are made with polyurethane foam that meets third-party standards for content, emissions and durability. Analyzed by independent, accredited testing laboratories, CertiPUR-US® approved foams are made without CFCs, PBDEs, TDCPP or TCEP flame retardants, heavy metals, formaldehyde, phthalates regulated by the CPSIA, and feature low VOC emissions for indoor air quality.