STEAM Physical Space Checklist

❑ Do you have places for independent work where distractions  
 are minimized?

❑ Is there room for small-group work with whiteboards or surfaces to record group thinking?

❑ Is there space to record student thinking during whole group

discussion?

❑ Do you have student-accessible storage for rapid prototyping of materials?

❑ Is there a student presentation area?

❑ Are there places where student work can be showcased?

❑ Do you have a place for a computer station?

❑ Do you have a place for a tinker station?

❑ Where will you build a text resource mini library?

❑ Where can you set up a video/photo booth where students can video record experiments and take photos of their work?

❑ Do you have designated storage for student STEAM notebooks?

❑ If you have technology, do you have a designated space to store it safely and for students to check it out?

❑ Are supplies organized within students’ reach?

❑ Are there comfortable spaces for students to work and think

(consider throw pillows, bean bags, video game chairs, etc.)?

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