

# About this space

### Outdoor Food Court—Middle School & High School

Adding an outdoor food court to your school allows students to enjoy meals or free periods outdoors. Wide tabletops and comfortable outdoor seating allow the space to double as an area for collaborative work or study sessions.

### Requirements for a Great Outdoor Food Court

For **students**, the outdoor food court should include spacious tabletops that give students enough room to eat, spread out books or project materials, or work on devices. Seating should be comfortable enough to accommodate long periods of use.

For **teachers**, the best outdoor food court should feature tables and seating that can be easily moved and arranged into groups when the space is needed for group work. Tabletops should be spacious enough to accommodate books or project materials.

For **administrators**, the outdoor food court should be comprised of furnishings selected with the needs of the school in mind. All products must be available at the time they are needed, the delivery must arrive on time and installation should be quick and efficient.

#### **Outdoor Food Court Solutions from School Outfitters**

School Outfitters' research and development team designed an outdoor food court that caters to the needs of students and teachers alike. We've selected furnishings that work well for both socialization and mealtime and well as collaborative work or study sessions. **Group dining areas** and **informal gathering spaces** make creating a great outdoor food court simple.

**Group dining areas** allow students to enjoy their lunch period outdoors. This area includes:

- · Picnic tables with built-in benches
- . Outdoor waste and recycling containers

**Picnic tables with built-in benches** are designed for outdoor use to withstand weather conditions and other outdoor wear and tear. Spacious entry points make it easy for students to enter or exit their seats.

**Outdoor waste and recycling containers** ensure your outdoor food court stays neat and tidy, as students have an accessible place to dispose of trash and recyclables.

**Informal gathering spaces** provide specific bench-seating areas that are perfect for students' free periods or after-school socializing. Bench seating in this space includes:

- Outdoor benches with backs
- · Outdoor benches without backs

Outdoor benches with backs offer comfortable support for students who want to lean back as they share a snack or socialize.
Outdoor benches without backs let students choose how they want to sit and which way they want to face.

## **Choosing your Outdoor Food Court Solution**

School Outfitters makes it simple to outfit your school's outdoor food court. Choose the option that best fits your budget and needs and get an itemized quote with just one click, including all three of our specially-designed solutions. Our helpful sales representatives are happy to answer any questions about our solutions and how you can put them to use in your school. Just give us a call 1-800-260-2776.