TABLE 4-7.3. GENERAL ACTIVITY ROOM

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| **Description/ Usage** | This shared activity room should be versatile and open to allow for a variety of indoor activities for up to 30 youth. As with all of the activity rooms,  it is sized as a basic module to afford flexibility in use. This space allows youth to socialize during group games, hold club meetings, do homework, theater/drama, and receive instruction in topics like arts and crafts and the sciences. |
| **Min. Ceiling Ht.** | 3.05 m (10 ft.) clear. |
| **Finishes** | **Walls.**  Gypsum wallboard—first 1.22 m (4 ft.)  with a protective wall covering wainscot and paint above 1.22 m (4 ft.). |
|  | **Floor.** Provide durable, low-maintenance hard surface flooring such as VCT (consider seamless or moisture-resistant flooring in wet/crafts areas). Consider area carpets or rugs. Vinyl or rubber base. . |
|  | **Ceiling.** ACP. |
| **Plumbing** | Provide a sink with hot and cold water and a floor drain. |
| **HVAC** | 20 C (68 F) minimum, 26 C (78 F) maximum. |
| **Fire Protection** | Provide system per paragraph 3-5.3. |
| **Power** | As a minimum, provide duplex outlets at 2.44 m (8 ft.) on-center and provide one duplex outlet at each CATV outlet. Consider additional duplex outlets depending on intended usage. Outlets at the sink must be GFI and comply with all codes. |
| **Lighting** | Provide 540 Lux (50 ft. candles) in game/play areas. Consider providing dimmable lighting and down lights at individual activity areas. Coordinate fixture locations so lights are not obstructed or shadows cast. |
| **Communication** | **CCTV.**  Provide at least one outlet.  **CATV/Internal Video.** Consider providing one outlet.  Navy does not permit CATV in the General Activity Room.  **PA/Audio.**  Provide a speaker.  **Telephone.** Provide one line with internal two-way communication.  **Data.**  Consider providing at least two outlets.  **Security.** Do not create corners or “nooks” that are not visible from other areas of the room. Provide vision panels in interior doors and large windows in the interior walls to corridor and/or Commons. |
| **Casework** | Provide solid-surface countertop with base cabinets. Also consider providing wall storage cabinets for arts and craft supplies and projects. |
| **Furnishings Fixtures & Equip. (FF&E)** | Consider items such as the following depending on intended usage: tables, chairs, soft and padded furniture, bookshelves, large pillows, area rugs, television, video games, table games, tack board, dry-erase board, easels. |
| **Special Requirements** | Provide tackable surfaces on the walls.  Provide exterior doors to outside activity area.  Army requires exterior doors to be alarmed. The Navy does not require exterior doors.  Provide a dedicated storage closet (included in the space program) with hanging rods and/or shelves.  Consider providing a folding room partition.  The Navy does not recommend folding partitions. |
| For use during project execution by the appropriate Service agency | |
| **Occupancy** | Staff. |
|  | Patrons/Youth. |
| **Min. net m2 (ft2)** | Room. Storage Closet. |