

CSIR HELPFUL HINTS

Displays on Walls or From Ceilings

- Q: Where can a teacher hang student work or teaching charts/displays in a classroom?
- A: Student work, teaching charts/displays maybe hung on the walls, windows, or from a string line no more than 2” off the wall or window, with the following conditions:
- No more than 20% of the wall area may be covered. The material hanging from the string line is part of the 20%. If building has fire sprinkler system, the percentage of coverage is 50%.
 - Do not attach materials to the window in doors or window covering (blinds).
 - Do not cover emergency escape/rescue windows, electrical receptacles, light switches, pull stations, or light fixtures.
- Q: What are the rules for the corridor?
- A: The rules are the same as for a classroom.
- Q: What can hang from the ceiling?
- A: The following may hang from the ceiling with listed restrictions; applies to classroom, media center, or corridor:
- Flags and banners not more than 2” from the wall and parallel to the wall. They count toward the 20% or 50% total.
 - They cannot interfere with sprinkler heads, fire alarm devices, exit signs or any other life safety feature or device.
 - They cannot interfere with doors, paths of travel, or emergency escape/rescue windows.
 - May hang no more than (12) 8½” by 11” flags or paper to identify study area or work area.
- Q: Can I hang a fabric material in front of my outside window?
- A: Yes under the following conditions:
- If the fabric has a certificate, indicating it is flame retardant or is made of a material Inherently Flame Resistant.