

# SPACE

Every Bible study unit requires space. Developing non-traditional and off-campus units can resolve some space issues. Consider approaches such as these: telephone classes, students-away classes, nursing home classes, classes meeting in homes; classes meeting in public places near the church and weekday classes.

## Every Church Has Three Types Of Space:

- Worship
- Parking
- Education

Usually, when any one of these spaces is full, growth will stop. When any of these spaces reaches 75% to 80% capacity, the space is considered "full".

**For Most Churches,  
when preschool space is full,  
the church virtually ceases to grow.**

## Space can often be discovered right where you are:

- *Available space:*  
*Empty classrooms*  
*Rooms being used for storage.*
- *Adjusted space:*  
*Rooms that can be renovated*  
*Rooms that can be used by multiple groups at different times*
- *Adjacent space:*  
*Nearby homes, apartments, or businesses*
- *Adaptable space:*  
*Fellowship hall, hallways, gymnasium, worship center may accommodate one, three or more classes with or without moveable partitions.*

**Current Number  
of  
Class Spaces:**

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**Formula Goal:**

*One space  
for every  
Bible Study unit*

**Evaluation:**

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