**Group 4 discussion of library facility use based on photos of a library**

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| **What is the limitation?** | **How does this affect function of the space?** |
| Static computer lab | Plugged into specific space, so can’t do anything else in that area. Better to have ipads or laptop lab. |
| Poor line of sight (ie. study rooms in corners, chairs circled to make “private areas”) | It’s hard to have a lot of different groups interacting at once if the librarian and his/her assistants or volunteers can see them all at once from the central point of the library (circ desk) |
| Not enough power! | With 1:1 computers there are no centrally located power sources so students cannot gather in the center of the room if their computer needs charging |
| Boring or limited areas for displays or interactive areas like breakout/small group | Students don’t want to be there, teachers avoid the space and don’t find it useful for their content.  |
| Non-moveable Furniture | Makes it difficult to do group work, no flexibility in space organization, no diversity in seating for different learning styles |