

Bolan, Kimberly. *Teen Spaces: The Step-by-Step Library Makeover, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition*. Chicago: American Library Association, 2009. 225 p. \$40.00 (ISBN: 978-0-8389-0969-0).

The title of Bolan's second edition of this work accurately describes its content. The book does indeed provide a sequential, step-by-step manual for planning and creating attractive, functional teen spaces in public libraries. In addition, the book includes generous value-added items such as checklists, floor plans, templates, and other resources to assist librarians with this process. Numerous black and white photos provide examples of specific space descriptions.

The breadth and depth of content in this title make it well worth spending some extra budget money for anyone in a library – either public or school – who is responsible for creating a teen space that works and is appealing to this audience. The author also provides excellent information on getting teens involved in the process, as well as ideas for on-going promotion of the teen library and developing policies and practice for its use. Finally, Bolan's accompanying webpage with worksheets, templates, and links to her Flickr account with color photographs of exemplary teen sites makes this a must-have title!

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