



IMPROMPTU® LECTERN

Testimonials from Global Educator Institute (GEI)

Safco® Products Impromptu® Lectern has been endorsed by GEI. These products have been donated by Safco, and have been analyzed by teachers and administrators in school environments where they are incorporated into classroom activities. While in the classroom, these products are subjected to an in-depth analysis that evaluates effectiveness, durability, value and ease of use. Below are testimonials from the GEI educators who reviewed the Impromptu Lectern.



"I loved having a podium in my classroom. It helped to keep me organized.

Because the Impromptu Lectern was on wheels, I put my laptop or clipboard on it and walked around the room (I felt like a doctor doing rounds!). It is well made (I put it together myself!) and my students decorated the translucent piece in front with pictures of goldfish (behind the glass to look like fishing swimming in the podium!).

Lastly, I love the shelf!"

Amy C., Connecticut, *GEI Reviewer and Teacher*

"Several colleagues, including my principal, commented on how cool and nice looking the podium is. They all also felt the need to push the podium around and comment how convenient it is to walk around the classroom with a laptop."

"The Impromptu Lectern helped to keep me organized and to walk around the classroom whilst monitoring work with my gradebook."

"The Impromptu is well built and very functional. I found it helpful to have the rolling podium with my gradebook as I walked around the room, providing feedback to students."

Amy C., Connecticut, GEI Reviewer and Teacher

"The kids did enjoy standing at the lectern. It was useful to the members of my speech and debate team as they learned their speeches or topics."

"It looks very sturdy but is not heavy – I liked that a lot. Additionally, the wheels roll nicely."

"I appreciated the tray under the top of the lectern. Notes could be stored there and used when appropriate."

"The Impromptu Lectern is very nice, and I would recommend the product to others who need a lectern."

"For teachers who are looking for a compact lectern that is easy to move around for flexible learning arrangements, the Impromptu Lectern is ideal. It's nicely designed, attractive to look at, has a convenient storage tray, and sturdy wheels. It would be a nice addition to any classroom."

Amy R., Ohio, GEI Reviewer and Teacher

"This is a great lectern. It is modern and very mobile. It rolls easily on both carpet and hard surfaces. It is great for teacher lectures and student presentations."

"Our middle school speech and debate students use this lectern when giving their speeches in class. It is nice because they are able to easily move it around the room themselves, and they feel very empowered standing behind it."

"The lectern is modern and easy to wheel around the room. We store ours in the corner when not in use, and even young students are able to move it with ease. The modern design complements any classroom."

"The slim design makes the lectern easy to store, out of the way and does not clutter the classroom."

"The students love to give presentations with the lectern and of course great for teacher use as well!"

"This lectern is modern and mobile. It glides across any surface with ease. When it is not needed, its slim design and mobility makes it easy to store in any space. Students and teachers alike are able to use the lectern for presentations and speeches in the classroom."

Carrie W., California, GEI Reviewer and Teacher

"The quality of this product is great and worked well giving me space to place objects and papers while in front of the class teaching."

"The students liked having a place to stand in front of the class while giving presentations. The product made them feel more comfortable."

"The Impromptu Lectern was modern looking and not distracting at all. It was designed to fit into small areas when not in use; it is very portable."

Wesley M., Illinois, GEI Reviewer and Teacher

"The Impromptu Lectern was able to be assembled with minimal effort and few tools. It was easily assembled by one person."

"The Impromptu Lectern fit in the classroom nicely. It was able to be used not only as a podium but could be stationed by the door for students to hand in papers or grab a hand-out while leaving class."

"This product is a superb piece of furniture. It allows teachers to have their hands free while still keeping papers organized while speaking in front of a group. It is able to be used for a variety of purposes which is very important in a classroom environment."

Wesley M., Illinois, *GEI Reviewer and Teacher*

"I really enjoyed the fact that the Impromptu Lectern was mobile. As a lectern, it was of great use to me and allowed me to move around the room easily."

Abbie C., Missouri, *GEI Reviewer and Teacher*