



## ASCENDER GUIDES



# Rooms (Resource Allocator)



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This tab allows you to set up information for the rooms at the campus. Rooms can be assigned to a specific department or subject area. They also can be designated according to certain criteria, characters, or equipment. Free times and courses can be set up for the room, and the room schedule can be printed.

### **Add data:**

- Existing rooms are displayed in order by room number.
- If more rooms are retrieved than can be displayed on one page, you can [page through the list](#).

Click **+Add** to add a room. The fields in the free-form area below the grid are enabled.

Field	Description
<b>Room</b>	Type the room number, up to four characters.  If a room is listed on this tab and assigned to an instructor (i.e., <b>Rsrvd Room</b> field on <a href="#">Maintenance &gt; Master Schedule Generator &gt; Resource Allocator &gt; Instructors</a> ), the room will be assigned to the courses rather than the instructor.
<b>Seats</b>	Type the number of seats available in the room.
<b>Dept</b>	Select the code indicating the academic department with which the room is associated. Department codes are established on <a href="#">Maintenance &gt; Master Schedule Generator &gt; Tables &gt; Departments</a> .
<b>Subj Area</b>	Select the code indicating the academic area with which the room is associated. Subject area codes are established on <a href="#">Maintenance &gt; Master Schedule Generator &gt; Tables &gt; Subject Areas</a> .
<b>Desig #</b>	Select up to three codes indicating how the room is designated, such as criteria, characteristics, or equipment. Designator codes are established on <a href="#">Maintenance &gt; Master Schedule Generator &gt; Tables &gt; Designators</a> .
<b>Study Hall</b>	Indicate if the room can be used for a study hall.

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<b>Free Time</b>	<p>Set up free times for the room.</p> <p>Click <b>+Add</b> under <b>Free Time</b>. A blank row is displayed in the <b>Free Time</b> grid.</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td><b>Type</b></td><td>Select the code indicating the type of free time.           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• F-Fixed free time cannot be changed during the master schedule generation process.</li> <li>• S-Selectable free time can be changed during the master schedule generation process.</li> </ul> </td></tr> <tr> <td><b>Days</b></td><td>Select the code indicating the day or combination of days that the room should not be scheduled.</td></tr> <tr> <td><b>Semesters</b></td><td>Select the code indicating the semesters during which the room will not have classes.</td></tr> <tr> <td><b>Period From</b> <b>Period To</b></td><td>Select the beginning and ending periods that the room should not be scheduled.</td></tr> <tr> <td></td><td> <p><a href="#">Delete a free time period.</a></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Click  to delete a row. The row is shaded red to indicate that it will be deleted when the record is saved. You can select multiple rows to be deleted at the same time.</li> <li>2. Click <b>Save</b>. You are prompted to confirm that you want to delete the row. Click <b>Yes</b> to continue. Otherwise, click <b>No</b>.</li> </ol> <p>You can save edits and delete records in the same step (i.e., the changes are all committed when the record is saved).</p> </td></tr> </table>	<b>Type</b>	Select the code indicating the type of free time. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• F-Fixed free time cannot be changed during the master schedule generation process.</li> <li>• S-Selectable free time can be changed during the master schedule generation process.</li> </ul>	<b>Days</b>	Select the code indicating the day or combination of days that the room should not be scheduled.	<b>Semesters</b>	Select the code indicating the semesters during which the room will not have classes.	<b>Period From</b> <b>Period To</b>	Select the beginning and ending periods that the room should not be scheduled.		<p><a href="#">Delete a free time period.</a></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Click  to delete a row. The row is shaded red to indicate that it will be deleted when the record is saved. You can select multiple rows to be deleted at the same time.</li> <li>2. Click <b>Save</b>. You are prompted to confirm that you want to delete the row. Click <b>Yes</b> to continue. Otherwise, click <b>No</b>.</li> </ol> <p>You can save edits and delete records in the same step (i.e., the changes are all committed when the record is saved).</p>
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