

DEBUNKED – SCHOOLS DESERVE QUALITY CONSTRUCTION!

Abuse Resistant Drywall ?

“You can't replace an 8” concrete block with 1/2” of “abuse resistant” drywall unless you write ad copy for USG!” - Masonry Advisory Council

Any School Board, which allows a construction manager to sell them on the idea of a guaranteed maximum project cost, should be required to visit previously constructed “guaranteed maximum” school projects. Then everyone could see the extent of damage and associated increases in necessary repair costs. They would see taxpayers' investments disappearing in the name of “value engineering”. Schools should be an investment in durability and quality. Skin deep abuse resistance does not belong in schools. School walls should be abuse resistant to the core!

**THEY SHOW YOU PRETTY ADS...
WE'LL SHOW YOU A REAL PROJECT..**



Chicagoland High School

Interior Walls: “High Impact Drywall”

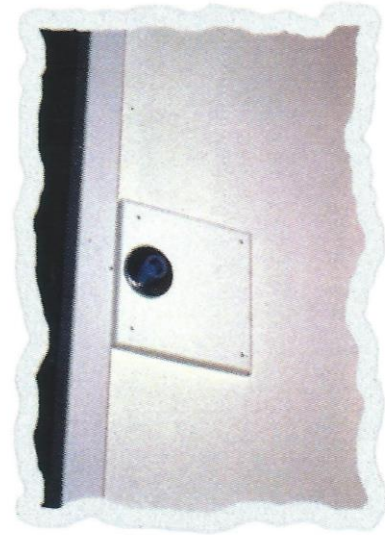
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**Was this corner
abuse resistant?**

**THIS
SCHOOL
IS ONLY 2
YEARS
OLD!**

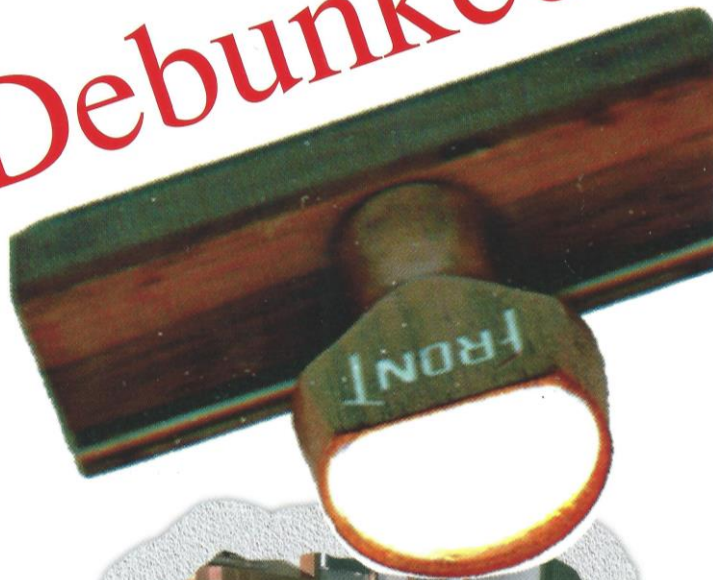


**Why does this
doorstop need a
wood backing?**



**Study aid for advanced
drywall repair 301?**

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Why is there an extra wood protector (1x4) at the base of this gyp. wall & why have all the walls been repaired at desktop height?

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW!

Choose Masonry - Besides being a better backup for your building:

- Block is a finish wall system for exterior walls.
- Block is abuse resistant at no extra cost.
- Block walls are “proven” abuse resistant walls. Just ask the maintenance engineers for any school!

Prevent these problems on your project!