

frontrow™

Specialised sound distribution system

Classroom or meeting room



Once you experience a Sound field System you will never look back

Printacall, Your Experts In Sound field Systems For Classrooms

For 24 years Printacall has been supplying quality equipment and services to people with a hearing loss. Printacall hold long standing contracts with Telstra and Optus in the supply and maintenance of text telephones for deaf, hearing impaired and speech impaired

people. Printacall retail assistive listening devices and are experts in the installation of audio induction loop systems in public venues.

In the past four years Printacall has consulted many schools throughout NSW and ACT on sound field systems for the classroom. The Frontrow™ Pro and Frontrow™ Tempo are the two types of fixed position sound field systems. Sound field is not a PA system which focuses purely on volume. The Frontrow™ Pro and Frontrow™ Tempo are designed for voice reproduction with minimal reverberation, thereby dramatically increasing clarity of sound.

Better educational outcomes lead ultimately to greater opportunities in life for the individual.

When used in general or special education classrooms Frontrow™ Pro:

- Benefits children with or without a hearing loss
- Distributes teacher's voice evenly throughout the room
- Reduces sound reverberation
- Increases speech intelligibility
- Benefits children with or without hearing aids
- Fosters a successful learning environment
- Increases student attentiveness, participation, comprehension and literacy scores
- Significantly reduces behaviour referrals
- Reduces teacher absenteeism due to vocal fatigue

Key Features

- Robust and easy to operate
- Lightweight infrared wireless pendant microphone offers superior comfort and sound quality
- Optional mic for team-teaching or student pass-around
- Integrates stereo sound seamlessly from other classroom audiovisual equipment

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Sound Distribution Systems for the Classroom and Sound field Systems Assistive Learning Technology.

Contact our friendly, knowledgeable staff by phone or email. They will be pleased to discuss your school needs.



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Actual system has 4 speakers, infrared sensors, emitter and microphone options (lavalier shown)

LET'S HEAR IT FOR LIONS HEARING DOGS



"Help him hear what he is missing..." Children spend at least 45% of their day listening. Sound field Systems make sure that time is well spent.

Lions Hearing Dogs are helping children hear all the important messages in classrooms and in doing so are maximizing their potential for success.

Schools right across Australia are smiling about the generosity of Lions Hearing Dogs in their national effort to assist Hearing Impaired children in primary schools. By providing eligible schools with a Sound field system Lions Hearing Dogs are improving school environments in the best possible way. The even distribution of sound made possible by either a Frontrow Pro or Tempo system optimizes classroom sound quality.

The testimonials of delighted Lions Hearing Dog recipients speak of the benefits:

"Surround sound – ensures sound is remarkably improved" and the "Children can hear the teacher from any angle/ position in the classroom." Not only does this mean,

"Improved hearing by all children, in particular children with Otitis Media" but it has the added benefit that the "Teacher's voice remains quiet when speaking, yet sound is still amplified. "Schools with systems installed boast that, "children enjoy speaking into it," and that it not only "increases students' attentiveness" but it "Significantly reduces behaviour issues in the classroom."

Griffith Public School - 2008

You, as educators, know that children who have good listening experiences tend to become better learners and that NOISE is the number one enemy of learning. We thank Lions Hearing Dogs for their continuing contribution towards removing barriers to learning for all children by optimizing classroom sound quality.

Would I Benefit By A Sound field System? Quick Quiz

- Do you ever suffer from vocal fatigue?
- Are you tired of raising your voice to be heard?
- Would you like to be able to speak without strain?
- Would your class be more productive with better classroom acoustics?
- Is the sound quality within your room compromised by it's location – noisy surrounds?
- Do you have ESL students discovering language?
- Do you have students disturbing others to repeat instructions?
- Are the students at the rear of your classroom looking bored or being disruptive possibly because they can't hear?
- Do you have students with a hearing problem (with or without hearing aids or cochlear implant)?
- Are any of your students using a personal FM?
- Do any of your students suffer from Otitis Media or any of the Attention Deficit Disorders such as: ADD or ADHD?

If you have answered yes to one or more of the above then the good news is -No you do not have to give up your job, change schools, or even wait for next year's class, a Sound field System is your simple solution. Call us and speak to one of our friendly staff members for more information, or visit our website www.soundfield.com.au.

How does it work?

A typical Frontrow™ Pro system consists of an infrared emitter, a lapel wireless microphone worn by the teacher and 4 speakers located around the 4 walls of the room which actually make the "Field" integrated with specially designed sensors. Amplifying the teacher's voice raises the signal to noise ratio which improves speech intelligibility and reduces vocal strain. An extra hand held microphone can be provided for students to pass around, so they can be amplified too.

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Every word is important



Reducing vocal strain reduces stress for both teachers and students



Student using optional hand held microphone and teacher wearing a lavalier microphone.

Ask our trained and helpful staff to advise you on the model of Frontrow™ Pro, Tempo or To Go to suit your needs.

Product specifications and availability may change without prior notice.



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