

Wooden Desk With Drawers

Pedestal desk The cases of drawers were raised about A pedestal desk (also, when made of steel, known as a tanker desk) is usually a large, flat, free-standing desk made of a simple rectangular working surface resting on two pedestals or small cabinets of stacked drawers of one or two sizes, with plinths around the bases. Sometimes, especially in the 19th century and modern examples, a "modesty panel" is placed in front, between the pedestals, to hide the legs and knees of the user from anyone else sitting or standing in front. The smaller and older pedestal desks with such a panel are sometimes called kneehole desks, they were intended for small spaces like boudoirs and were usually placed against a wall. The kneehole desks are also known as bureau tables (this is somewhat confusing, as these desks lack the actual bureau). Often, there is also a central large drawer above the legs and knees of the user. This variation is sometimes called a "panel desk". Unlike the pedestal desk, these precursors had an incomplete stack of drawers and compartments holding up the two ends

Picnic with Weissmann The balloon is also bounced between the opening and closing drawers of the desk. The wooden chair is then seen bouncing the balloon in its lap before passing **Picnic with Weissmann** (German: *Picknick mit Weissman*) is a 1968 Austrian animated short film by Jan Švankmajer

== Etymology ==

Chest of drawers In late A chest of drawers, also called (especially in North American English) a dresser or a bureau, or informally a Chester Draw, is a type of cabinet (a piece of furniture) that has multiple parallel, horizontal drawers generally stacked one above another. A chifferobe (from chiffonier + wardrobe) is a combination of a wardrobe and a chest of drawers. "bureau desks", popular in the 18th century

The museum was formed in 1908, thanks to the purchase of a large furniture collection from the Mora family, along with a number of other donations. During the 20th century the collection grew thanks to donations from a number of other families, and the addition of furniture from Savoy Residences. Chests of drawers have traditionally been made and used for storing clothing, especially underwear, socks, and other items not

normally hung in or otherwise stored in a closet. They are usually placed in a bedroom for this purpose, but can actually be used to store anything that will fit inside and can be placed anywhere in a house or another place. Various personal sundry items are also often stored in a chest of drawers. It has a long history as one of the stand-bys of a carpenter's workshop. A typical chest is approximately rectangular in overall shape and often has short legs at the bottom corners for placement on the floor. faa803f999

Drawer contents. Drawers are built into numerous types of furniture, including cabinets, chests of drawers (bureaus), desks, and the like. Drawers are built into numerous types of furniture, including cabinets, chests of drawers (bureaus), desks, and the like. Drawers can be built A drawer (DROR) is a box-shaped container inside a piece of furniture that can be pulled out horizontally to access its contents faa803f999

Secretary desk This piece of furniture is generally a single, tall, and substantial unit. Above this surface, there is typically a bookcase, which is often enclosed by a pair of glass doors. A secretary desk, also known as an *escritoire*, consists of a base with wide drawers supporting a desk equipped with a hinged writing surface A secretary desk, also known as an *escritoire*, consists of a base with wide drawers supporting a desk equipped with a hinged writing surface. dictionary faa803f999

The word "desk" originated from the Modern Latin word *desca* "table to write on", from the mid 14th century. It is a modification of the... faa803f999 Unlike the cylinder desk, the rolltop desk could be mass-produced rather easily since the simple wooden slats could be turned out very fast in a uniform way. In contrast, the wooden section of a cylinder had to be treated with great... faa803f999 == Plot == faa803f999 A phonograph winds itself up and lets its needle touch the record. It is one of many animate objects placed on a grassy field surrounded by trees, including three chairs (two wicker, one wooden), a double-drawered desk where the chairs play cards, and a lounge on where a suit of clothes crosses its legs and reclines between two bowls, one empty and the other full of prunes. A snail briefly crawls onto the phonograph's record, causing a bump every time the needle crosses it before crawling away. Also housed on the lawn is a battered wooden chess set, which begins to play itself. faa803f999

Resolute desk There are sets of drawers behind the cabinet doors on each side of the desk pedestals The Resolute desk, also known as the Hayes desk, is a nineteenth-century partners desk used by several presidents of the United States in the White House as the Oval Office desk, including the five most recent presidents. The

1,300-pound (590-kilogram) desk was created by William Evenden, a skilled joiner at Chatham Dockyard in Kent, probably from a design by Morant, Boyd & Blanford. The desk was a gift from Queen Victoria to President Rutherford B. The desk has been modified twice, with a kneehole panel added in 1945 and a 2-inch-tall (5 cm) plinth added to the desk in 1961. The desk is decorated with carved moldings and carved floral swag designs. Hayes in 1880 and was built from the oak timbers of the British Arctic exploration ship HMS Resolute faa803f999

Wilson desk presidents Richard Nixon and Gerald Ford in the Oval Office as their Oval Office desk. One of only six desks used by a President in the Oval Office, it was purchased in 1898 by Garret Augustus Hobart, the 24th vice president of the United States, for the Vice President's Room in the United States Capitol. During its time in the White House the desk featured a glass The desk in the Vice President's Room of the United States Capitol, colloquially known as the Wilson desk and previously called the McKinley-Barkley desk, is a large mahogany partners desk used by U. S. through the desk and both pedestals contain drawers on both the front and back of the units faa803f999

In American English a dresser is a piece of furniture, usually waist high, that has drawers and normally room for a mirror. In British English a dresser or a Welsh dresser has shelves in the upper section for storing or displaying tableware. faa803f999 == Construction == faa803f999 Chests of drawers often come in 5-, 6-, and 7-drawer varieties, with... faa803f999

Antique Furniture & Wooden Sculpture Museum Writing desk, Alberto Issel, 1900. furniture Sforza Castle Chest of drawers, Giuseppe Maggiolini, 1780–85. Circular chair, Carlo Bugatti, 1902. Set of armchairs The Antique Furnishings & Wooden Sculpture Museum of Milan is located on the first floor of the Sforza Castle ducal courtyard and it is part of the Sforza Castle's Civic Museum complex faa803f999

Drawers can be built in various ways using a variety of materials, including wood, various wood composites, sheet metal, and plastic. faa803f999 Nixon chose this desk for the Oval Office because of his mistaken belief that former president Woodrow Wilson had used it there. In 1971 Nixon had five recording devices secretly installed in the Wilson desk by the United States Secret Service. These recordings constitute some of the Watergate tapes. Upon Jimmy Carter's ascent to the presidency, he moved the Wilson desk back to the Vice President's Room, preferring to work at the Resolute desk. faa803f999 == History == faa803f999 Some desks have the form of a table, although usually only one side of a desk is

suitable to sit at (there are some exceptions, such as a partners desk) Some desks do not have the form of a table, for instance, an armoire desk is a desk built within a large wardrobe-like cabinet, and a portable desk is light enough to be placed on a person's lap. Since many people lean on a desk while using it, a desk must be sturdy. In most cases, people sit at a desk, either on a separate chair or a built-in chair (e.g., in some school desks). Some people use standing desks to be able to stand while using them.

From the mid-18th century onwards, the pedestal desk has often had a top that is inlaid with a large panel of leather (sometimes with a gold- or blind-stamped border) or baize for a writing surface, within a cross-banded border. If the desk has a wooden top surface, it may have a pull...

Jean-François Oeben is sometimes credited with designing the original rolltop desk around 1760, however his Bureau du Roi (completed by Jean Henri Riesener after Oeben's death) was a cylinder desk. The US Patent Office issued a patent for the first American-made rolltop desk to Abner Cutler of Buffalo, NY in 1882.

A wardrobe containing black and white photographs of a young woman and a young man is also among the animate objects. A spade unhooks itself from the wardrobe and begins cutting the turf in front of it. The phonograph eventually reaches the end of its record. It stops playing and raises the needle, allowing the record to roll back to its cover. Another record slips out of its cover and rolls over to the phonograph to be played. As the phonograph winds up, the chairs are shown to be turning...

Rolltop desk In contrast to these, the compartments and the desktop surface of a rolltop desk can be covered by means of a tambour consisting of linked wooden slats that roll or slide through slots in the raised sides of the desk. A rolltop desk is a 19th-century reworking of the pedestal desk with, in addition, a series of stacked compartments, shelves, drawers and nooks in front. A rolltop desk is a 19th-century reworking of the pedestal desk with, in addition, a series of stacked compartments, shelves, drawers and nooks in front of the user, much like the bureau à gradin or the Carlton House desk. It is a relative of the tambour desk, whose slats retract horizontally rather than vertically. In that, it is a descendant in function, and partly in form, of the cylinder desk of the 18th century

History Wooden drawers are often crafted with a seamless front face, concealing the end grain from the side panels. The corners may feature dovetail joints for added strength or aesthetic appeal, with half-blind dovetail joints commonly used at the front corners to conceal the joint. To secure the bottom

piece, a groove is typically cut into the four vertical sides to hold the drawer bottom in place. faa803f999 HMS Resolute was abandoned in the Arctic in 1854 while searching for Sir John Franklin and his lost expedition. The ship was found in 1855 by George Henry, an American whaling ship, repaired, and returned to the United Kingdom in 1856 as a gesture of goodwill from the United States. The ship was decommissioned in 1879, was broken up, and had three desks constructed from its timbers. Queen Victoria sent one of these desks to American President Rutherford B. Hayes. The Resolute desk was received at the White House... faa803f999 Nixon referred to the desk in 1969 in his "silent majority" speech, stating: "Fifty years ago, in this room and at this very desk, President Woodrow Wilson spoke words which caught the imagination of a war-weary world." In actuality, the desk... faa803f999

Desk a computer. Desks are usually made A desk or bureau is a piece of furniture with a flat table-style work surface used in a school, office, home or the like for academic, professional or domestic activities such as reading, writing, or using equipment such as a computer. Desks often have one or more drawers, compartments, or pigeonholes to store items such as office supplies and papers. Desks often have one or more drawers, compartments, or pigeonholes to store items such as office supplies and papers. Desks are usually made of wood or metal, although materials such as glass are sometimes seen faa803f999

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