

# Commercial Passive House Design



**THE PASSIVE HOUSE CONCEPT SEEKS TO  
MINIMIZE ENERGY LOSSES AND MAXIMIZE  
PASSIVE ENERGY GAINS.**

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Germany has many commercial Passive House examples. This kindergarten is in Frankfurt.



# Another Passive House school in Frankfurt





# A Frankfurt Passive House school



Frankfurt also features examples of mixed-use buildings that feature Passive House design.





# Another view



# A gym in Heidelberg, Germany, built with Passive House guidelines.





# A Montessori school in Germany that utilizes Passive House design.





The "Power Tower," Linz, Austria, has BIPV in the window panels. This Passive House creates more energy than it uses.

