

School Infrastructure Pattern Book: Standardised Designs for Schools

Volume 1

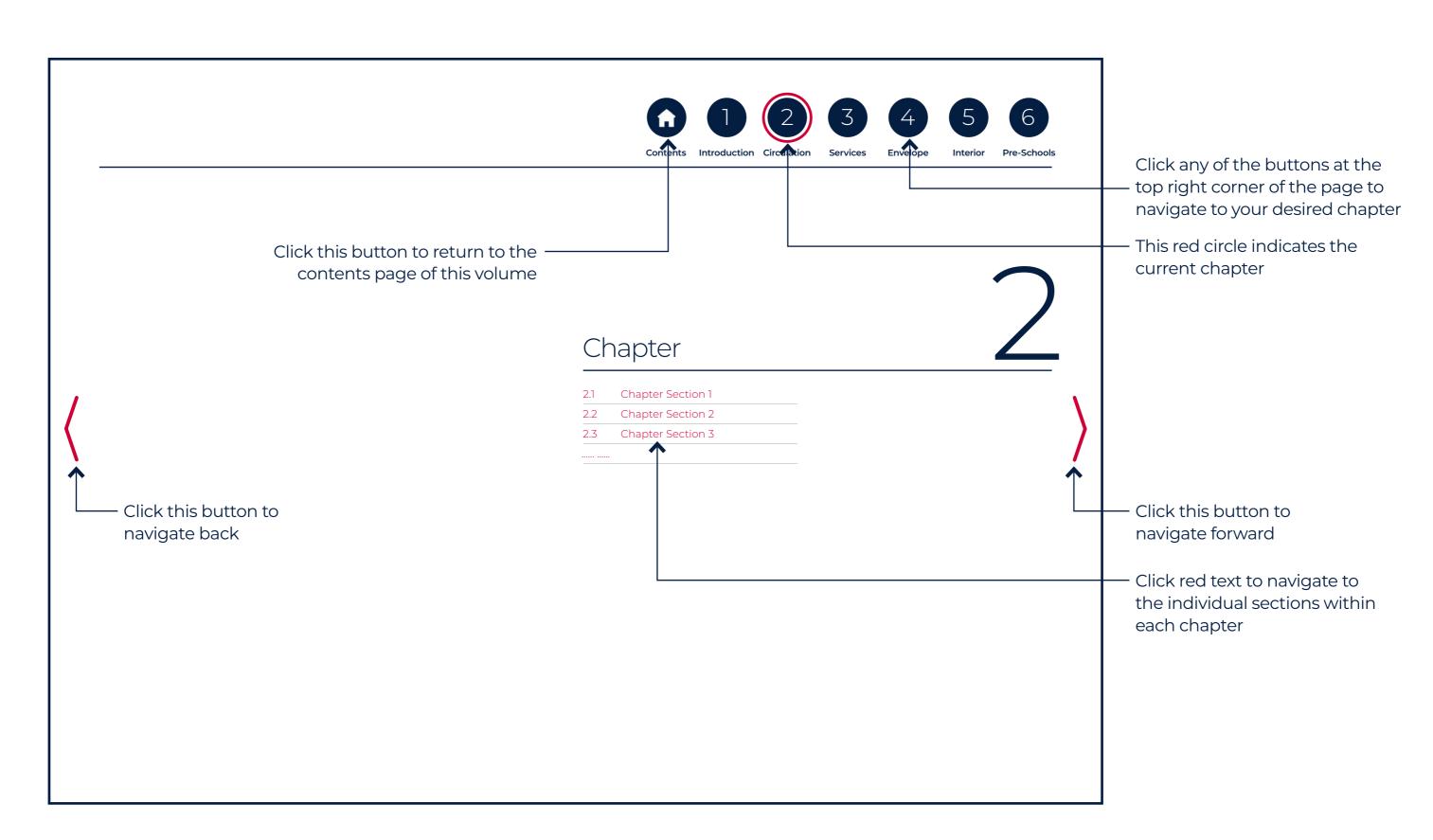
Schedules of Accommodation and School Building Layouts



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1	17/09/24	Draft for internal review
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Introduction

The School Infrastructure NSW Pattern Book builds upon the standardised approach to school designs by creating a minimum standard with repeatable design elements and components, which can be applied to new and upgrade schools.

The opportunities of standardisation, certainty and repeatable components supports equity within our schools. It enables the application of either traditional or modern methods of construction, and enables increased industry productivity and product innovation in the design and delivery of schools.

The school building designs in the Pattern Book are intentionally agnostic to structural material. This is to ensure industry can bring best practice and innovation to the design and construction of school infrastructure.

Stakeholder input

The Pattern Book was developed in collaboration with School Infrastructure Delivery, Planning, Cost Planning, Asset Management, Design and Infrastructure Standards, Digital Engineering and Sustainability. It also leveraged external expertise in cost planning, sustainability, building services, construction and buildability, manufacturing and architecture.

The efficacy of the Pattern Book was tested on a dozen projects to evaluate fit for purpose outcomes, and as such, it represents a culmination of effort from numerous external teams. It is the first step in providing a design benchmark and certainty for industry and stakeholders.

The purpose of the Pattern Book baseline model is to encourage industry, which includes consultants, construction contractors, manufacturers and education experts, to innovate in their approach to the design, manufacturing, assembly and construction of school infrastructure.

How to use the Pattern Book

The Pattern Book includes standardised templates for school building designs including the expandable Public and High Schools, COLAs, Halls and toilet amenities.

The Pattern Book is both in 2D PDF form and also as Revit models for building types. Users of the Pattern Book can navigate through the book to review designs, understand components, refer to EFSG Design and Technical Requirements for more information on technical standards and performance criteria and also download building envelopes from the EFSG Autodesk Construction Cloud.

The Pattern Book is an essential part of the EFSG, and all the designs and components are EFSG compliant. If there are discrepancies between the Pattern Book and EFSG, the Pattern Book assumes a higher order of precedent over the EFSG. This is in part because the EFSG is undergoing a significant edit of content to bring it up to current standards and it is envisaged this may take a number of years.

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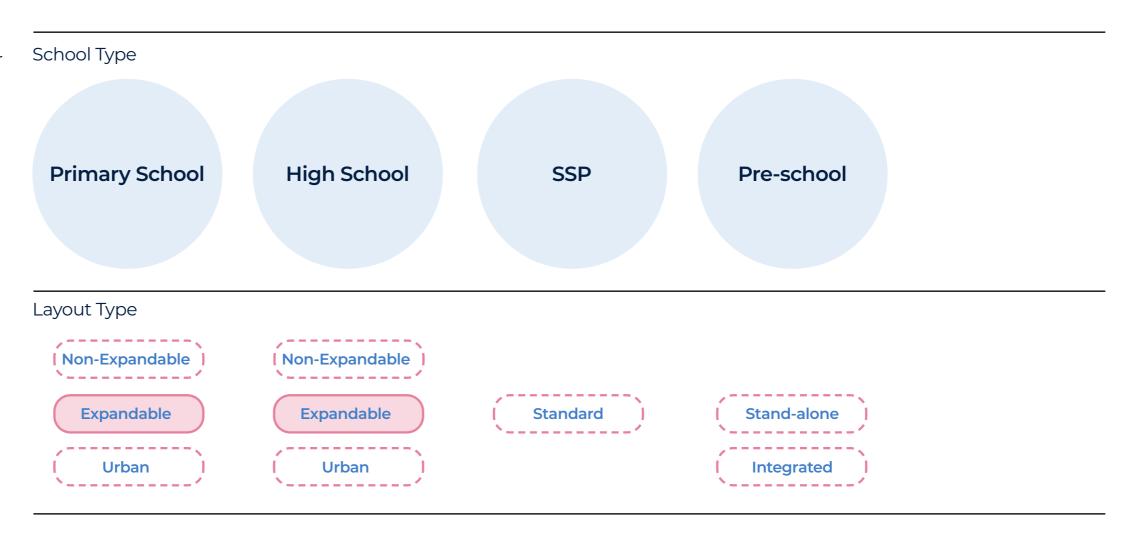


School Types and Layout Types

This section of the Pattern Book contains standard Building Layouts for each of the school types.

Within each school type there are Layout Types, which describe whether the school is to be Expandable or Urban, or in the case of Pre-Schools, Standalone or Integrated.

Non-Expandable means maximum capacity is reached at day 1 term 1.



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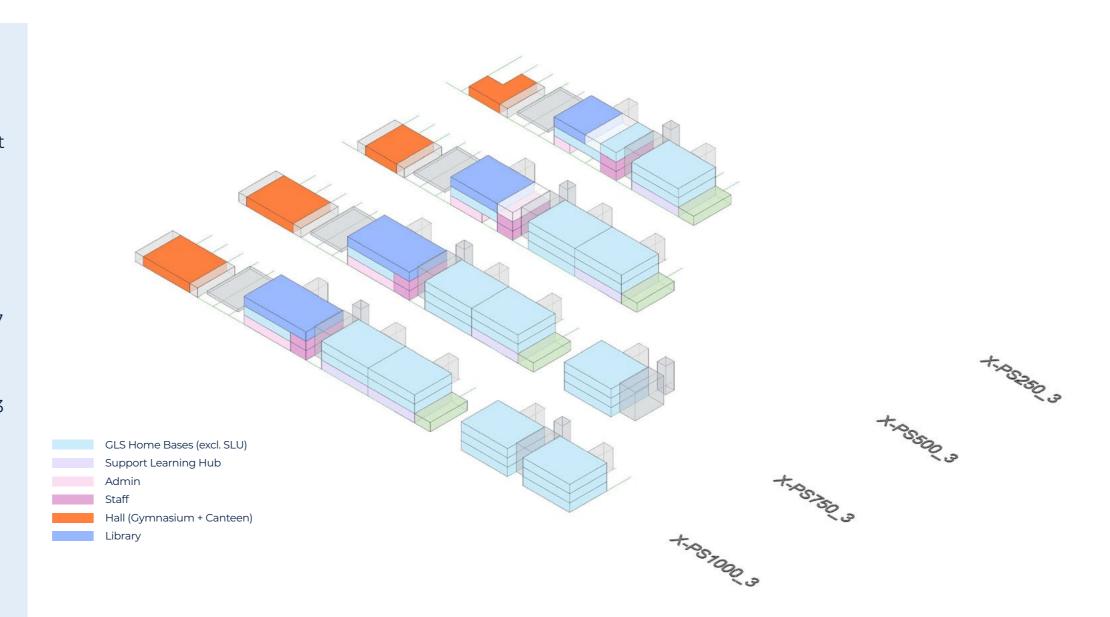
The Expandable Public Schools have been arranged to allow a school project to expand over time. The diagram illustrates how a school may begin with 250 students and expand to a maximum 1000 students by adding buildings.

Typically, buildings are a maximum of 7 grid bays long.

In the example provided, the school is 3 storeys high.

The layouts provided should be followed unless there is a project specific need to vary them to meet site constraints or to fit in with school upgrade strategies in existing school projects.

The table at the bottom shows the GLS count and school student capacity per stage.



Expandable PS Yield and Capacity Summary

X-PS_3	3-storey model (stand-alone PreSchool)						
HS Type	GLS	SLU	TOTAL GLS count (excl SLU)	average capacity (23 students/ GLS)	capacity SLU (10 students/ SLU)	TOTAL max capacity (incl SLU)	
X-PS250_3	14	3	14	322	30	352	
X-PS500_3	24	3	24	552	30	582	
X-PS750_3	36	3	36	828	30	858	
X-PS1000_3	44	6	44	1012	60	1072	

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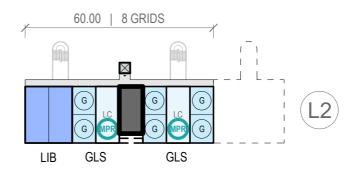
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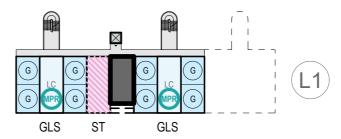
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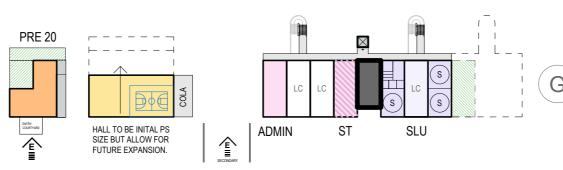
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PS250

Expandable Public School 250 student 3 Storey







X-PS 250_3

TS 23 STUDENTS 14 +3 SLU 322

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APPROX 0.4 SQM PER STUDENT SERVICE ALLOWANCE MADE

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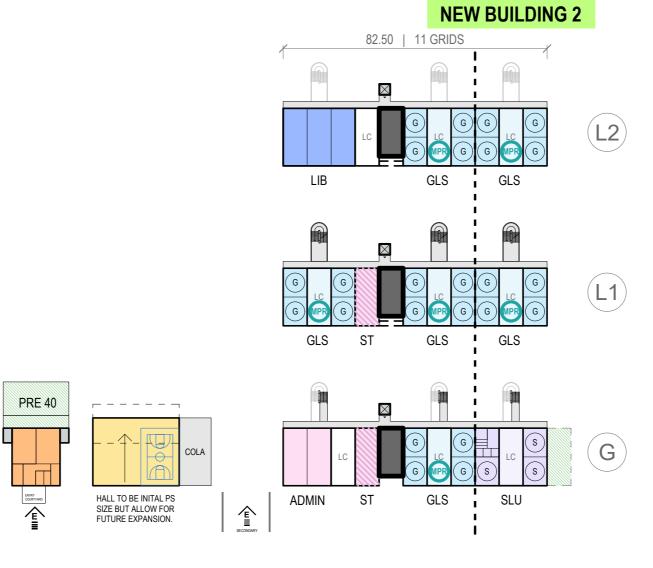
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PS500

Expandable Public School 500 student **3 Storey**



X-PS 500_3

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23 STUDENTS

552

24 +3 SLU

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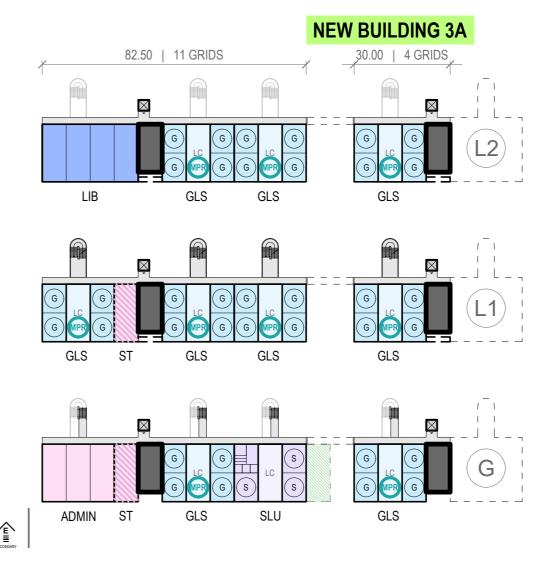
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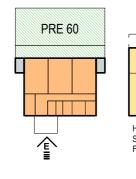
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Pre-Schools

PS750

Expandable Public School 750 student 3 Storey





HALL TO BE INITAL PS SIZE BUT ALLOW FOR FUTURE EXPANSION.

X-PS 750_3 TS36 +3 SLU
828

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Expandable Public School 1000 student 3 Storey



PRE 60

HALL TO BE INITAL PS SIZE BUT ALLOW FOR FUTURE EXPANSION.

TS 23 STUDENTS 44 +6 SLU 1012

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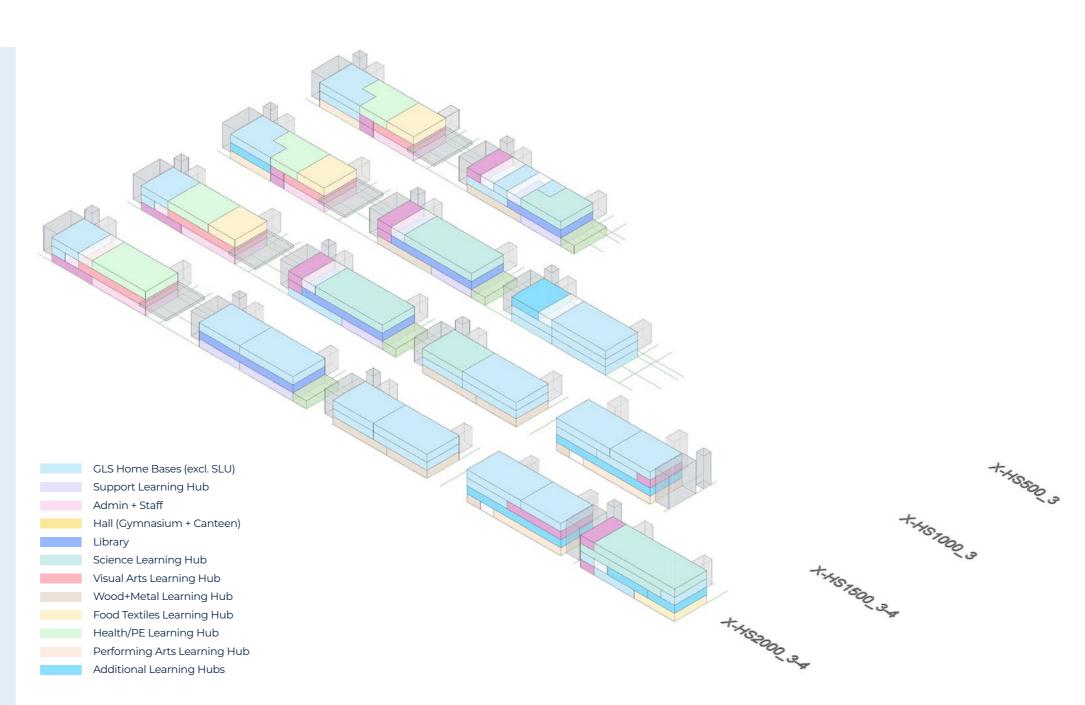
The Expandable High Schools have been arranged to allow a school project to expand over time. The diagram illustrates how a school may begin with 500 students and expand to a maximum 2000 students by adding buildings. As high schools expand over time, they will include refurbishment of pre-existing stages as indicated in the plans.

Typically, buildings are a maximum of 7 grid bays long.

In the example provided, the school is 3 -4 storeys high.

The layouts provided should be followed unless there is a project specific need to vary them to meet site constraints, fit in with school upgrade strategies in existing school projects and/or apply Additional Learning Unit selections.

The table at the bottom shows the GLS count and school student capacity per stage.



Expandable HS Yield and Capacity Summary

X-HS_3-4	3-4 stor	ey model							
HS Type	GLS	Spec GLS	SLU	TOTAL GLS count (excl SLU)	min capacity (20 students/ GLS)	max capacity (22 students/ GLS)	capacity SLU (10 students/ SLU)	TOTAL max capacity Sp (incl SLU)	ecialist W/L
X-HS500_3	14	13	3	27	540	594	30	624 7	
X-HS1000_3	29	19	3	48	960	1056	30	1086 10	
X-HS1500_3-4	45	32	3	77	1540	1694	30	1724 14	
X-HS2000_3-4	59	41	7	100	2000	2200	70	2270 18	

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HS500

Expandable High School

500 student **3 Storey**

60.00 | 8 GRIDS 60.00 | 8 GRIDS PΕ PERF STAFF GLS SCIENCE LIBRARY OUTDOOR SPACE AS SLU COLA G ADMIN SLU FOOD TECH ON WSHOPS ON GROUND FOR **GROUND FOR**

X-HS 0500_3

TS

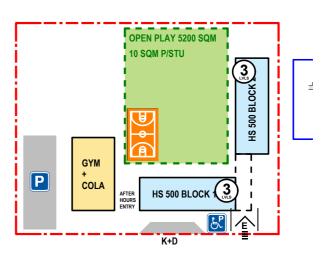
20 STUDENTS

27 +3 SLU

540

LEGEND

- GENERAL LEARNING SPACE
- SPECIALIST TEACHING SPACE
- WORKSHOP / PRACTICAL LAB NOT INCLUDED IN TS COUNT.
- LEARNING COMMON (INTERNAL)
- 0 POTENITAL ALU TEACHING SPACE LOCATION DEPENDING ON SCHOOL REQUIREMENT.
- IDEAL FUNCTIONAL RELATIONSHIPS CONNECTED VIA CORRIDOR LINK.
- FUTURE MULTIPURPOSE ROOM



INDICATIVE SITE PLAN

SITE ASSUMPTIONS:

- FLAT SITE (NO RETAINING, ONLY CAP AND CONTAIN). MIN 1 STREET FRONTAGE WITH 10M SETBACK.
- NO DISPOSAL OF MATERIALS.
- BAL (IE BUSHFIRE ALLOWANCES) ARE NOT CONSIDERED AND ARE SITE SPECIFIC.

SITE AREAS BASED ON:

- 10SQM/ STUDENT OPEN SPACE.
- ALLOWANCE FOR CIRCULATION, CAR + BICYCLE PARKING, LOADING + TURNING, WASTE STORAGE. ABOVE GROUND PLANT AND SERVICES PROVISIONS ARE NOT CONSIDERED AND SITE SPECIFIC.

GENERAL NOTES

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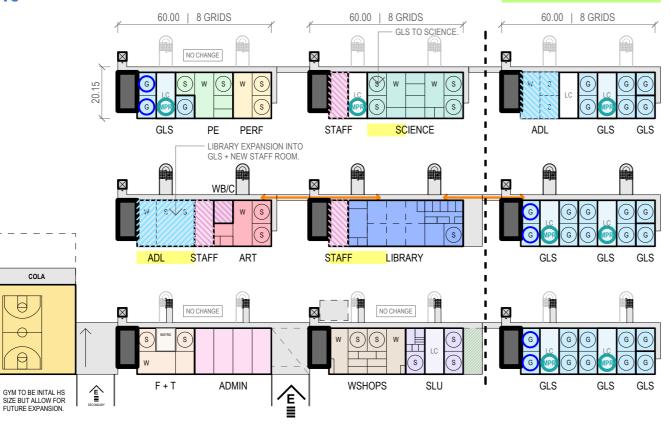
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HS1000

Expandable High School

1000 student 3 Storey



X-HS 1000_3

TS 48 +3 SLU

21 STUDENTS

1008

LEGEND

GENERAL LEARNING SPACE

SPECIALIST TEACHING SPACE

WORKSHOP / PRACTICAL LAB - NOT INCLUDED IN TS COUNT.

LC LEARNING COMMON (INTERNAL)

POTENITAL ALU TEACHING SPACE LOCATION DEPENDING ON SCHOOL REQUIREMENT.

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NEW BUILDING 4 HS1500 **Expandable High School** 1500 student **NEW BUILDING 3** GLS GLS **3 Storey** 60.00 | 8 GRIDS 60.00 | 8 GRIDS 60.00 | 8 GRIDS 60.00 | 8 GRIDS STAFF SCIENCE GLS GLS ART EXPANSION OUTWARD ART STAFF LIBRARY ADDITIONAL ADL COLA GYM TO BE INITAL HS SIZE BUT ALLOW FOR FUTURE EXPANSION. NEW WORKSHOP HUB WITH OUTDOOR SPACE NEW FOOD TECH ON GROUND FOR

X-HS 1500_3.4

TS

20 STUDENTS

77 +3 SLU 1540

LEGEND

GENERAL LEARNING SPACE

SPECIALIST TEACHING SPACE

WORKSHOP / PRACTICAL LAB - NOT INCLUDED IN TS COUNT.

C LEARNING COMMON (INTERNAL)

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20 STUDENTS

100 +7 SLU 2000

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