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CASE STUDY: Rickmansworth School

Building an Innovation and Design block to facilitate modern teaching

About Rickmansworth School

Rickmansworth School is a co-education academy status comprehensive for 11–18-year-olds located in Croxley Green, Hertfordshire. As a hub school for the local School Sports Partnership and specialising in Science and the Arts, it provides its pupils with the opportunities to excel, whilst focusing on nurturing every child.

Due to increasing demand, Rickmansworth School has expanded since 2018. ECP has assisted with obtaining funding and multiple refurbishment projects to improve the accommodation. It is now able to provide education for 240 pupils in each year group.

How ECP helped

The team were tasked with re-configuring and refurbishing an existing 1970s single storey building that had previously been used as a technology block. It consisted of three workshops and stores that didn't suit the proposed delivery of the subject. A plan was made to re-model the space into 'clean workshops' to provide a holistic layout, flexible depending on the type of classes being taught.



Project value £420,000



Completed March 2022

The project

To help support the teaching of technology and design and provide an inspiring learning space, the school were looking at how they could create an Innovation and Design block. With prior experience of working with ECP, the school enlisted the consultants to get guidance on funding and how to best approach the project to create an inspiring learning space.

Rickmansworth School has worked very closely with both Andrew Davies and Andrew Southey for many years. Their detailed knowledge and understanding of the CIF process, coupled with wider awareness of contemporary legislation and guidance in educational settings continues to provide genuine support and creativity to ensure our projects exceed expectations. They are a pleasure to work with and we will certainly be working with them in the future.

Matt Fletcher, Headteacher, Rickmansworth School