05 **Concept Design Strategy**

05.16 **Environmental Considerations**

The new learning building will include environmental strategies placed in highly visible locations to foster a culture of environmental sustainability

Key strategies adopted in the new learning building include:

- PV system to offset the energy consumption of the new building as per EFSG requirements, placed in a highly visible location.
- Auto Controlled Louvres to assist with cross ventilation of teaching spaces and purge warm air in the evening.
- Sun control to reduce cooling loads on the building and increase user comfort.
- Compost/Vegetable Gardens to encourage student engagement with sustainable practices.
- Water tanks to capture rainwater for reuse on-site.
- Native planting to contribute to the surrounding natural ecology
- Re-using natural site elements such as trees and stones in the landscape and site works.



Sun Control

Native Planting + Fauna Habitat





Solar Power



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Louvers (Auto Control and Manual)



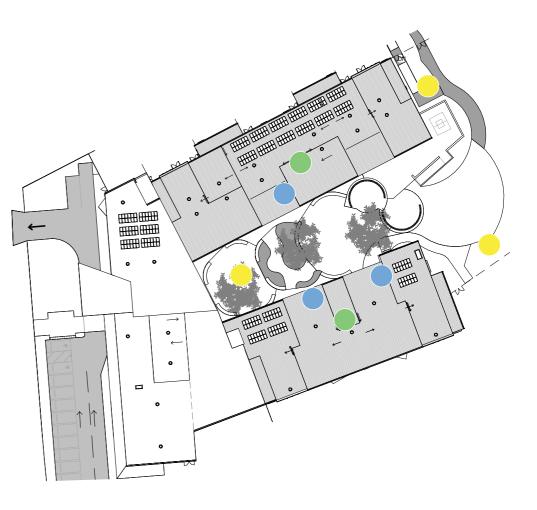
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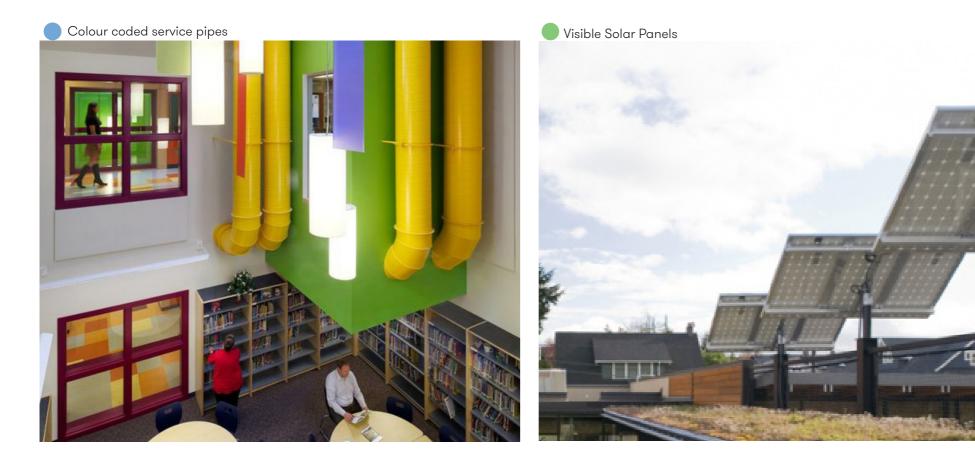
05.17 Building as a Learning Tool

The new learning communities will include built-in strategies for the whole building to act as a tool for education.

Key strategies adopted in the new learning building include:

- Graphics including Heights on Walls, Super-graphics in walls, and Way-finding on Floor.
- Writable surfaces on some walls.
- Solar Panels in visible locations with linked Energy consumption LCD display.
- Exposed engineering systems for use as education tool.
- Textures on walls





Rainwater Tanks + Kitchen Gardens



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