

Transport & Access

New Entrance Building

Phase 1 of the masterplan will include replacing the School's existing reception buildings and Bursary with a new administration building that will incorporate a new reception, administration offices and connect to the IDEAS Hub. Located near the Canons Sports Centre, and in front of the existing pond, this new building will provide a welcoming sense of arrival to the School. It will also be the primary point of access for all visitors to the site, ensuring the continued safety for all pupils and staff at the school.

The area surrounding the new reception will include:

- A new forecourt in front of the main reception building which will form a new gateway to the School;
- Improved footpaths and shared surface areas;
- Rain and bike shelters; and
- Minor improvements to the loop road.

The proposed forecourt will include generous planting and plenty of seating areas to provide safe waiting areas for students whilst also supporting the School's commitment to nature conservation.

Other improvements include new pedestrian pathways and connections, to provide

better links between the School's different buildings. It is hoped that this will provide easy to access buildings particularly as students move quickly between lessons..

The Canons Sports Centre will remain open to the public wishing to use its facilities. All other visitors will report to the new reception building.

Reconfiguration of the Loop Road

To continue to support sustainable methods of transport (and reduce the number of students arriving by car) the proposals will:

- Improve the capacity of the Loop Road to support additional coach and minibus services;
- Provide bike storage facilities; and
- Improve service and delivery vehicle access.

These changes will create a simpler, safer and more attractive approach to the entrance to the School.



Photo of Existing Loop Road View



'Illustrative Image of the New Forecourt Area'