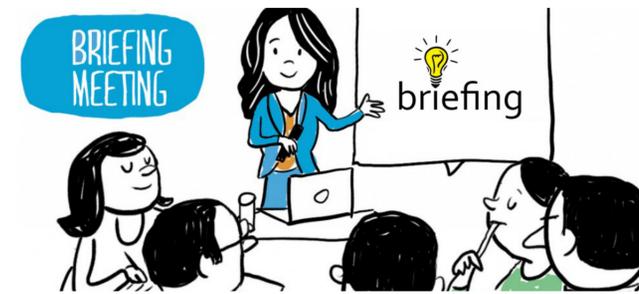
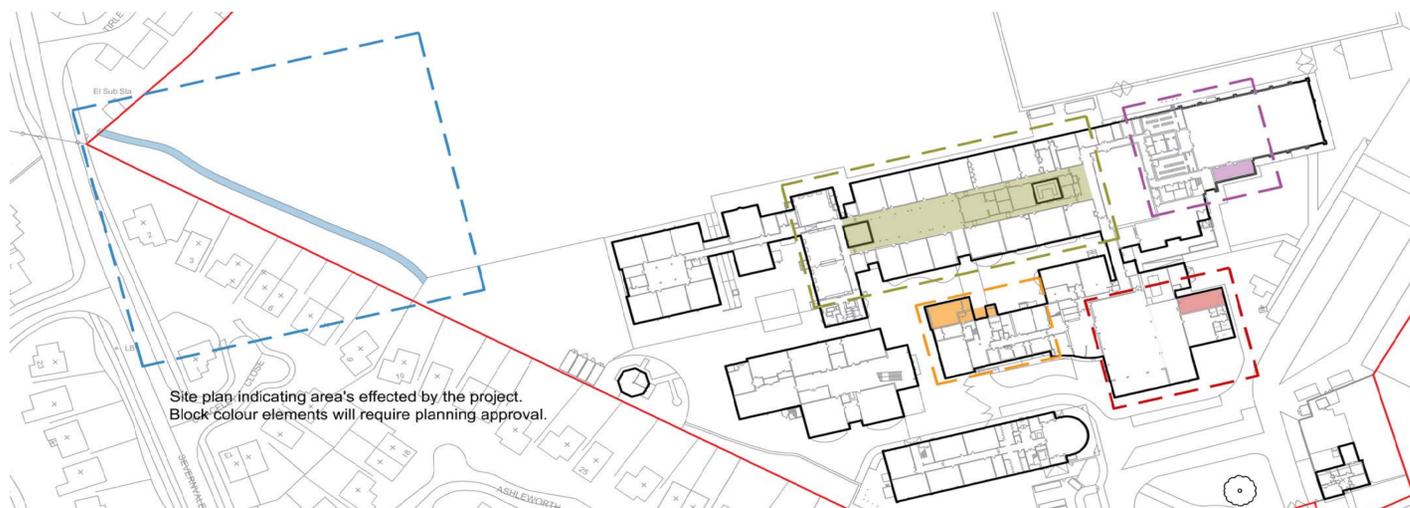
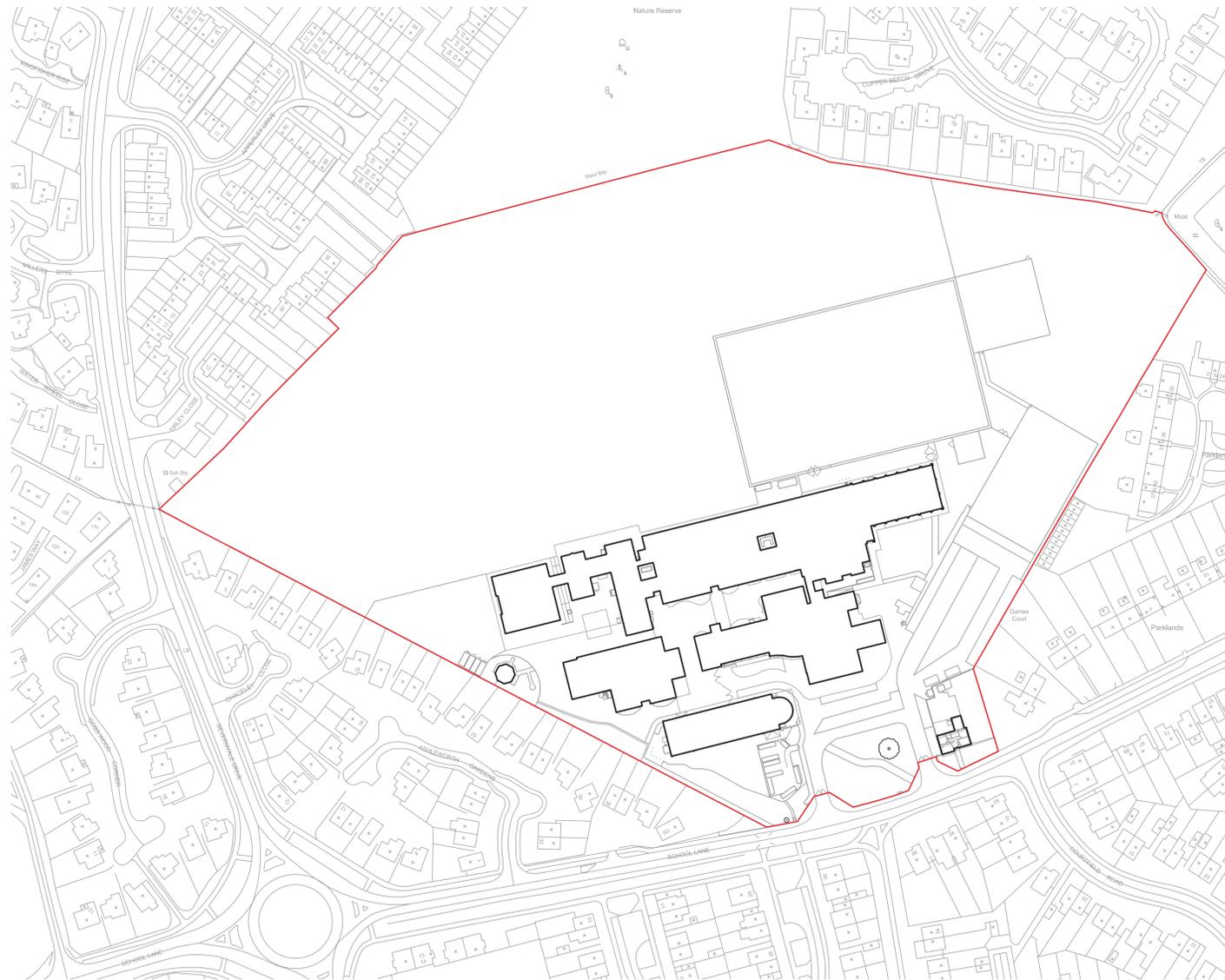


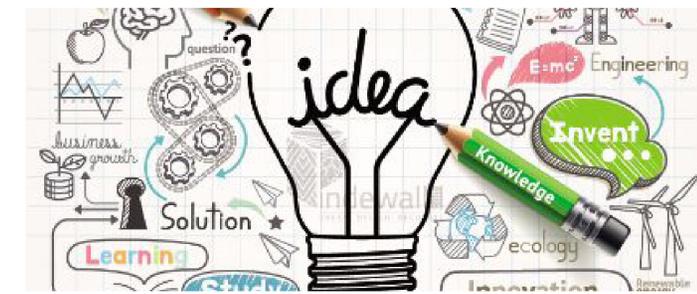
# Severn Vale School

Information Event



## BRIEF OVERVIEW

Severn Vale School have agreed with Gloucestershire County Council to increase their student intake to help deal with the shortfall of student placements within the County. As part of the proposed increase, GCC have agreed to fund some improvement works to the school.

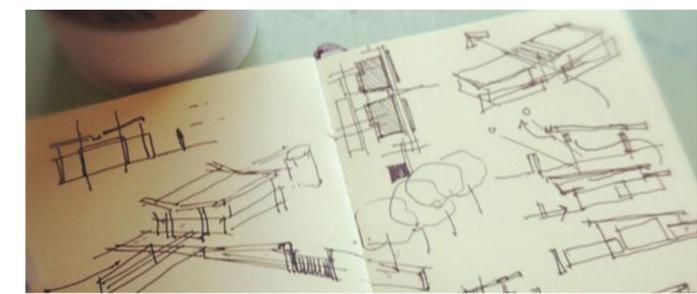


To help facilitate the increase in numbers, Severn Vale School have undertaken a comprehensive analysis of their main areas of concern. These include Health and Safety/Accessibility issues, shortfalls in teaching spaces and improvements to teaching spaces that no longer meet current standards.



## PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

At this stage, there are 7 main elements that are being considered as part of the redevelopment works. These are described in more detail on the other boards here today, but a significant amount of the works are internal changes relating to upgrading the science block, improving circulation in the



3 storey block and increasing the dining capacity of the hall. Externally, a small three storey extension to the main block is the main feature, but smaller elements such as single storey dining and sports hall extensions and a new pedestrian entrance from Severn Vale Drive would also require planning approval.



## TODAY'S EVENT

Today's information event is an opportunity for the school, and the appointed design team, to present the scheme as it stands and provide some insight into how the school is looking to address the challenges of increasing their intake. This event is an opportunity for all members of the community



to find out more, through the information on show and by meeting the people who are involved in the scheme. We are here to answer any questions you may have, and if you have any concerns we are happy to talk them through with you.



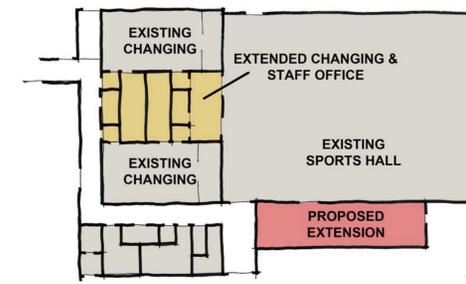
### 1. Three Storey Extension & Internal Reconfiguration

The new extension would provide two additional classrooms and a small cafe to help ease congestion in the dining hall. The extension would include a lift which - along with internal reconfiguration to create a new corridor - would greatly improve the circulation within the block for all students, including those with limited mobility.



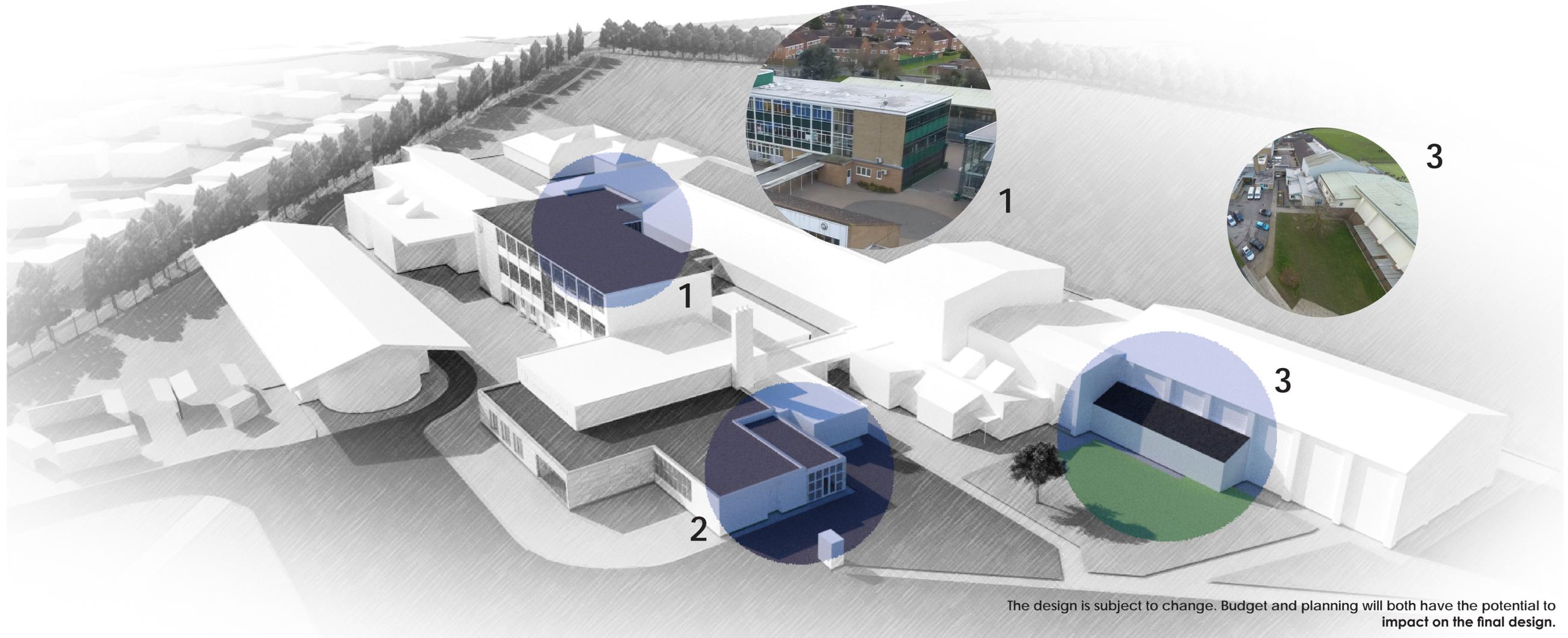
### 2. Single Storey Extension To Dining

This small extension would allow the school additional space to incorporate an additional servery. This would allow more children to be served meals at lunchtime. The hall stage and stores will be removed internally to increase seating space.



### 3. Extension to Sports Hall & Changing Room Improvements

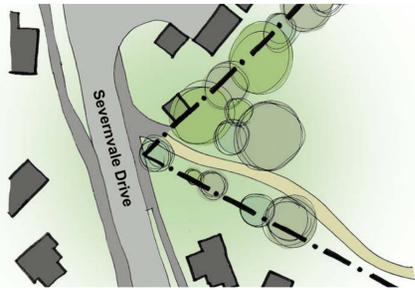
With storage being lost from the main hall, and additional storage being reconfigured to improve the changing facilities, a new store is proposed on the external wall of the hall.



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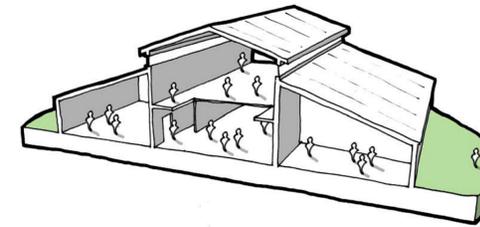
4. Secondary Access Point Onto Severn Vale Drive

A new pedestrian access point from the corner of the school field from Severn Vale Drive. This would be a secure gate, opened only at the start and end of each day to ease congestion on School Lane.



5. Overcladding Three Storey Block (Corner Element)

Overcladding the existing brick corner to tie the existing building to the new language that the extension is looking to achieve.



6. New Roof On Science Block & Internal Reconfiguration

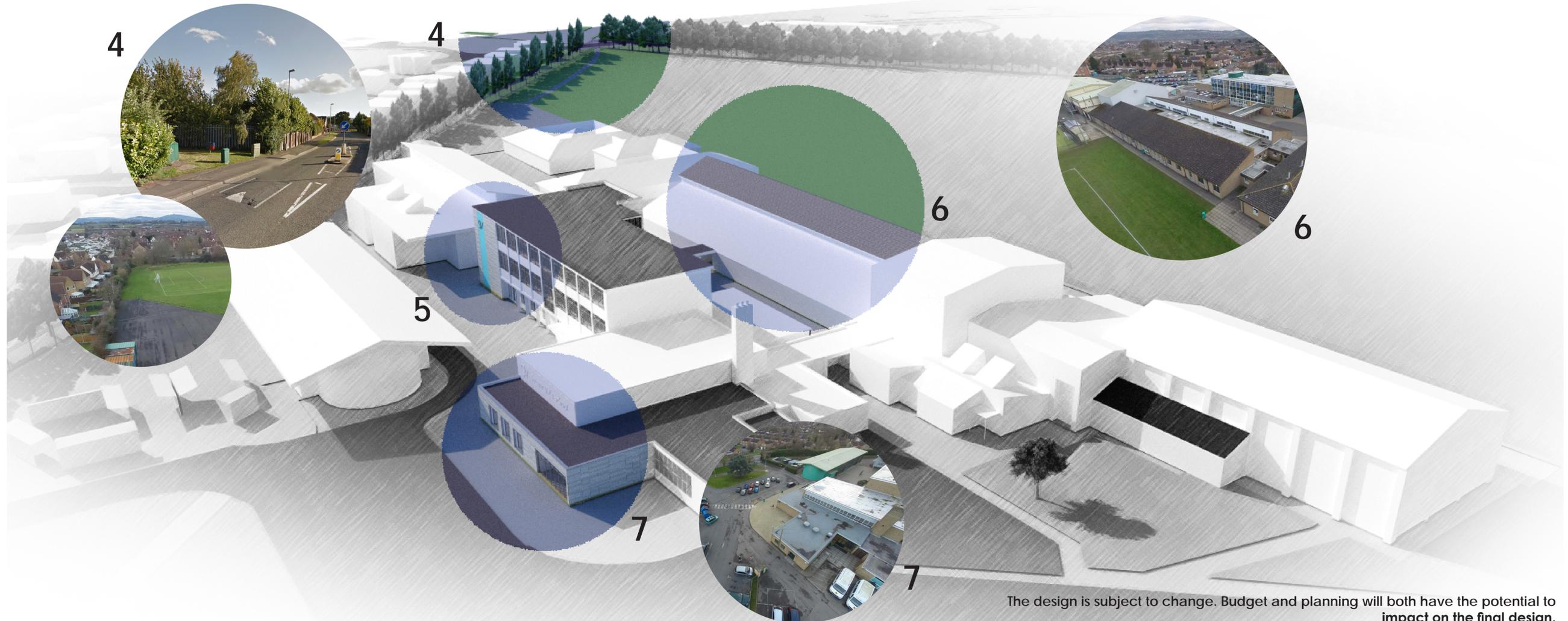
A new pitched roof across the middle section of the science block, which is currently a flat roof and leaking. This could open up the possibility of introducing a new floor of accommodation at a later date.

Additionally, the existing science labs will be reconfigured to replace 9 labs with 11 teaching spaces to suit a more modern approach to science education.



7. Overcladding & New Windows To Main Entrance/Dining

To give the front of the school a new look and help establish a unified approach to the external appearance of the school, we are looking to overclad the dining hall and introduce some new windows, should budget allow.



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