

Press Release

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Britspace completes new Eco Schools extensions

Britspace has handed over two new extensions at Windygoul Primary School in Tranent, just outside Edinburgh.

Hailed as an Eco-school, Windygoul has been built using a variety of eco-friendly materials. The schools facade is constructed using locally sourced sustainable timber, with sedum grass roofs and solar panels.

The additional four classrooms and new nursery buildings envelope the existing primary school with new off site construction technologies utilised to ensure that the new build ties in with the schools environmental ethos.



Irrigated Sedum roofs to both extensions, concrete floors throughout incorporating wet system under floor heating, a high pressure fire suppression system and vaulted ceilings with 'north lights' rising to a finished internal height of nearly 5m, forced the Britspace design strategy along a path of significant innovation.

The school has been awarded a Silver Eco-Award and they are now working towards the Green Flag award.



Notes for Editors:

- Publication imagery is available upon request
- Founded in 1972, Britspace now has the capacity to output over 80 modules per week, equating to 1,200m² which is enough to cover a football pitch in just 1 month
- Offsite construction vastly reduces a construction programme and with fewer trades on site, improvements in health and safety standards, increases in the level of quality and with less waste removal, reduces the carbon footprint of a project.
- Through the construction recession of the last two years, Britspace has expanded the business by 30%
- During the last 5 years, Britspace has maintained 0 RIDDOR accidents on site
- For over 15 years, Britspace has held a BBA structural guarantee for permanent buildings

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