



Impington Village College

Cambridgeshire County Council

Headline Summary

Mouchel pay homage to Walter Gropius in this 21st Century college design



A bright and open interior design

Key Facts

- **Client:** Cambridgeshire County Council
- **Project Value:** £3.2 million
- **Project Status:** Completed 2006
- **Benefits:** brand new teaching and learning facilities to support students and teachers in an aesthetically pleasing environment

The Project

Following the example set by one of the leading lights of 20th Century architecture is a daunting task. In the case of Impington Village College, it fell to the design team at Mouchel to design brand new single and two storey blocks for Maths, Science and English to stand alongside those designed by Walter Gropius

The Solution

These new blocks had to stand alongside the existing Grade 1 listed buildings designed by the father of the Bauhaus Movement, Walter Gropius.

The new facilities offer twenty new classrooms and three laboratories. They also include an atrium offering an open and cheerful space for breaks, informal classes, and a tuck shop for hungry students. The atrium's first floor offers a space for presentations and performances. The design of the space means that it acts as a conservatory, with a passive solar design.

The Impact

The new buildings provide students and teachers with state of the art facilities to support study and learning, at the same time as paying homage to one of the giants of architecture.



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