

Fiveways School, Yeovil

Fiveways School is a special school located in Yeovil. It has had a pool for some years which was housed in a plastic tent like structure. This had limited thermal insulation properties and changing facilities were of a poor standard. The Governors took the decision to retain the pool and build around it a new housing with changing rooms, showers, a new plant room and a classroom.

The design chosen made great use of timber with the glulam structure and cedar cladding. Self-coloured render completed the external elevations and the photos above give an idea of the striking building that has been created.

The retention of the existing pool created a number of headaches for the site team. Initially the pool had to be protected by a scaffold structure. Once the shell was complete the new floor tiling then had to be carefully married into that of the pool.

The resulting building provides the school with a superb facility and is testimony to the skills of our site team.

