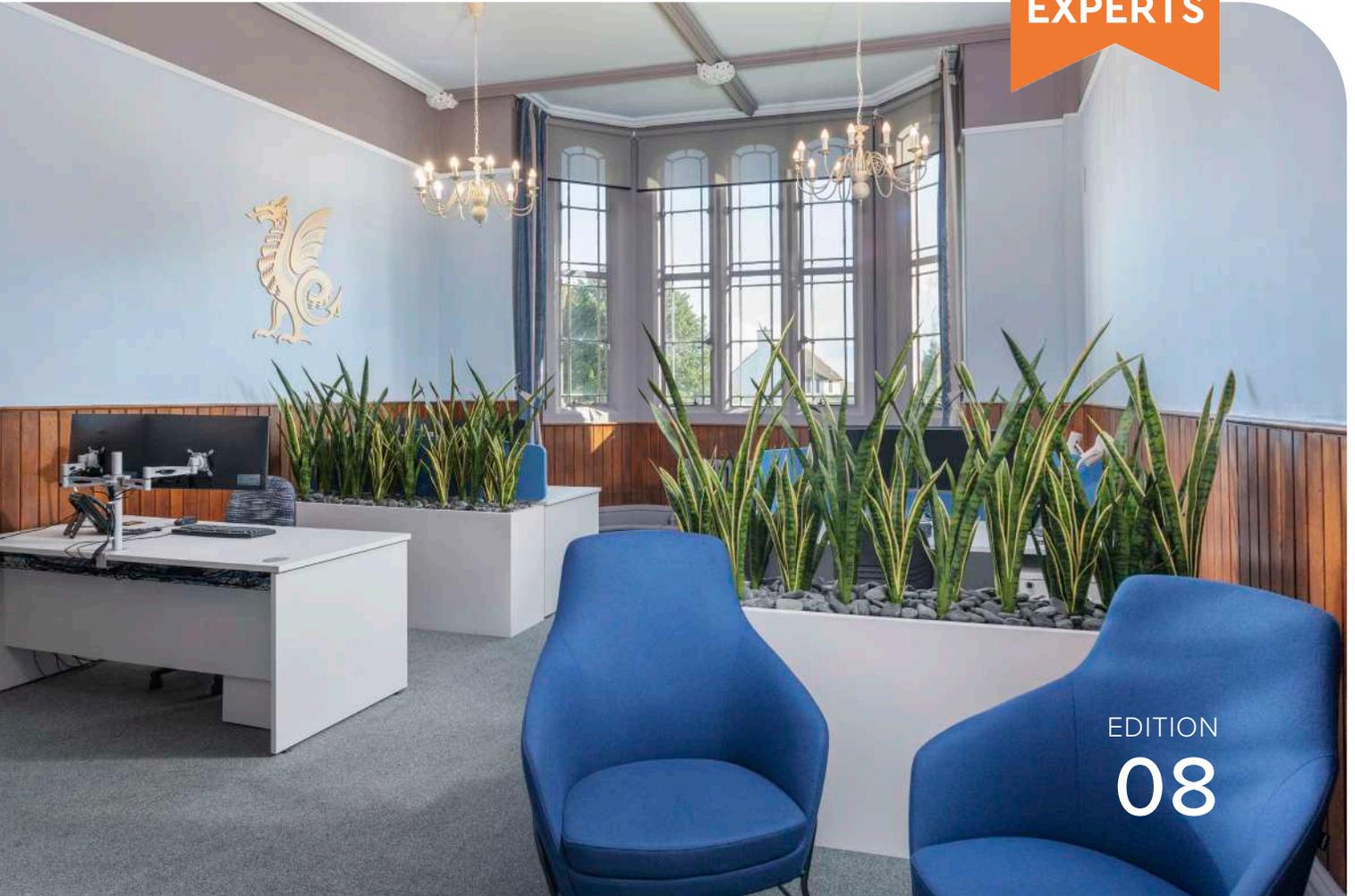




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# WELCOME

**Great ideas are meant for sharing so we thought we'd show you what we've been up to in schools and colleges near you...**

Driven by our ever-increasing desire to advance school facilities and maximise the potential from every student, Westcountry Group is a leading supplier of educational refurbishments and furniture in the South of England.

Our customers love us because we:

- Offer free and informal consultations to discover your needs and help you achieve your dreams for your school.
- Combine over 45 years' experience with your visions to maximum effect – all within your budget.
- Deliver and install our concepts within your timescales and to your complete satisfaction. We genuinely care about the results – whatever size the project is.
- Supply, assemble, install the furniture, and take away the packaging – there are no flat-pack horror stories here!
- Leave your school clean and tidy – leave the clearing up to us!

So, grab a coffee, take a good look through our portfolio, and see what we could do for your school!

Then give us a no-obligation call to discuss your needs, however great or small, whether it be space and storage or expanding pupil numbers, and we'll see how we can be of assistance.

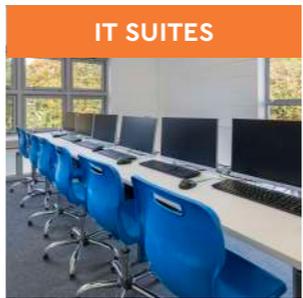
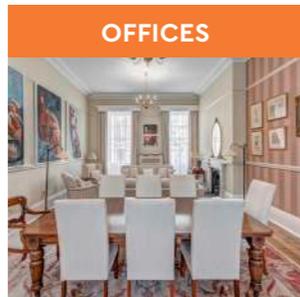
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Kind regards,

Miles Liesching  
Managing Director

# OUR SERVICES

We refurbish and furnish...



...it's all part of our managed interiors service

We'll look after your...

- FLOORING**
- CEILING**
- WALL GRAPHICS**
- PLUMBING**
- ELECTRICS**

And you'll enjoy all this too...

- FREE SITE VISITS**
- 3D AND 4D VIRTUAL REALITY DESIGNS**
- CAPTIVATING MOODBOARDS**
- COMPLETE PROJECT MANAGEMENT**
- OLD FURNITURE REMOVAL & RECYCLING**





## WESTCOUNTRY GROUP BENEFITS

- A unique 'Total Interiors' managed service, offering you everything you'll need on the journey from an initial site visit right through to project completion.
- One company, one point of contact with our all-in-one project management, interior design, 3D and 4D space-plan capabilities and more...
- A dedicated account manager on hand for every question you have.
- A flexible team that will accommodate projects of any size – from a single chair to a whole school fit-out or refurbishment.
- Peace of mind knowing our skilled team have a reassuring 45 years' experience.

## OUR INTERIOR DESIGN SERVICE

- Once your brief is agreed, our talented interior design team will set to work to create a space that exceeds your expectations, but not your budget.
- We'll develop plans, sections, elevations, 3D and 4D visuals to bring your new space to life! We'll help you visualise your finished interior before committing. You can 'walk around' in your new space before it exists!
- Working in accordance with the latest Building Regulations, Health and Safety legislation and design trends, we'll develop inspiring spaces that are cost-effective and highly functional.



## THE 4 STEPS TO A SUCCESSFUL PROJECT

**01 DEFINE**  
We'll listen carefully as you share your ideas and desired outcomes with us and we will help you get your ideas on to paper.

**02 DESIGN**  
We'll develop a design built specifically for your school that addresses the key important points and fully meets your needs.

**03 INSTALLATION**  
Our teams of interior designers, project managers and fitters work closely together to ensure each project is delivered within your budget and time requirements, leaving you to focus on key managerial tasks.

**04 HANDOVER**  
Once everything is perfect, we hand over the project for you and your staff to enjoy and we'll be available for on-going support with our after-sales service.

For a FREE site visit and space plan call our experienced team today on

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# QUEEN'S COLLEGE

PROJECT Reception, Offices & Staffroom Fit-Out | LOCATION Taunton, Somerset



## PROJECT OVERVIEW

In keeping with the deep and rich heritage and quintessentially British style of Queen's College, Westcountry Group were appointed to deliver a full refurbishment of the reception, offices, Head's office, and staffroom.

It was paramount that the expert interiors team made these spaces warm and inviting, yet professional. The project included new flooring, soft furnishings, lighting, wall & ceiling redecoration and reception desks and coffee tables.

The emblem wall features work well to symbolise the long-standing history of the school and the added design touch is a great representation of the culture and tradition. The interior flows seamlessly throughout, with intricate details linking each element together. The newly refurbished reception and Head's office now gives all guests and visitors a warm welcome and a memorable first impression of the prestigious school.



# QUEEN'S COLLEGE

**PROJECT** Reception, Offices & Staffroom Fit-Out | **LOCATION** Taunton, Somerset



"Having a furniture supplier with an interior design service proved invaluable when creating a new suite of offices and reception area in our beautiful listed building. Consideration was given throughout the journey to the history of the College and our ethos. Feedback from visitors, parents and staff has been really positive. The end result is that we now have a professional, inviting, warm and welcoming experience for all those who come through the door!

A new staff room facility was also created at the same time offering a fresh new relaxation space for the staff during their well-earned breaks."

**Debs Cossey**  
Estates Manager



# TREGONWELL ACADEMY

PROJECT Food Technology Rooms | LOCATION Bournemouth, Dorset



## PROJECT OVERVIEW

Working with Ambitions Academy Trust, Westcountry Group were tasked with the design and refurbishment of three food technology classrooms. Working with the leadership team, we completely re-designed the spaces, managing the projects from the initial space plan through to installation and completion.

The existing food tech rooms were transformed into stunning, clean spaces with non-slip flooring, durable work surfaces and superb new facilities. The new areas allow students to work together collaboratively on cooking projects, whilst ensuring the spaces are clean, safe, and easy to navigate - catering for the school's future needs, enriching students' educational experience and supporting the delivery of the Food & Nutrition curriculum.



# RIVERSIDE SCHOOL

PROJECT Library Furniture Project | LOCATION Plymouth, Devon



## PROJECT OVERVIEW

Good school libraries are powerhouses of reading and learning, and a good design is a central consideration in creating effective learning environments.

Westcountry Group were delighted to be appointed by Riverside School to transform their library environment and supply a colourful range of furniture, shelving, and seating.

The new space will help to raise pupils' literacy levels, improve access to knowledge, improve self-esteem and stimulate a love of reading, all of which give children the building blocks they need to succeed at school and beyond.

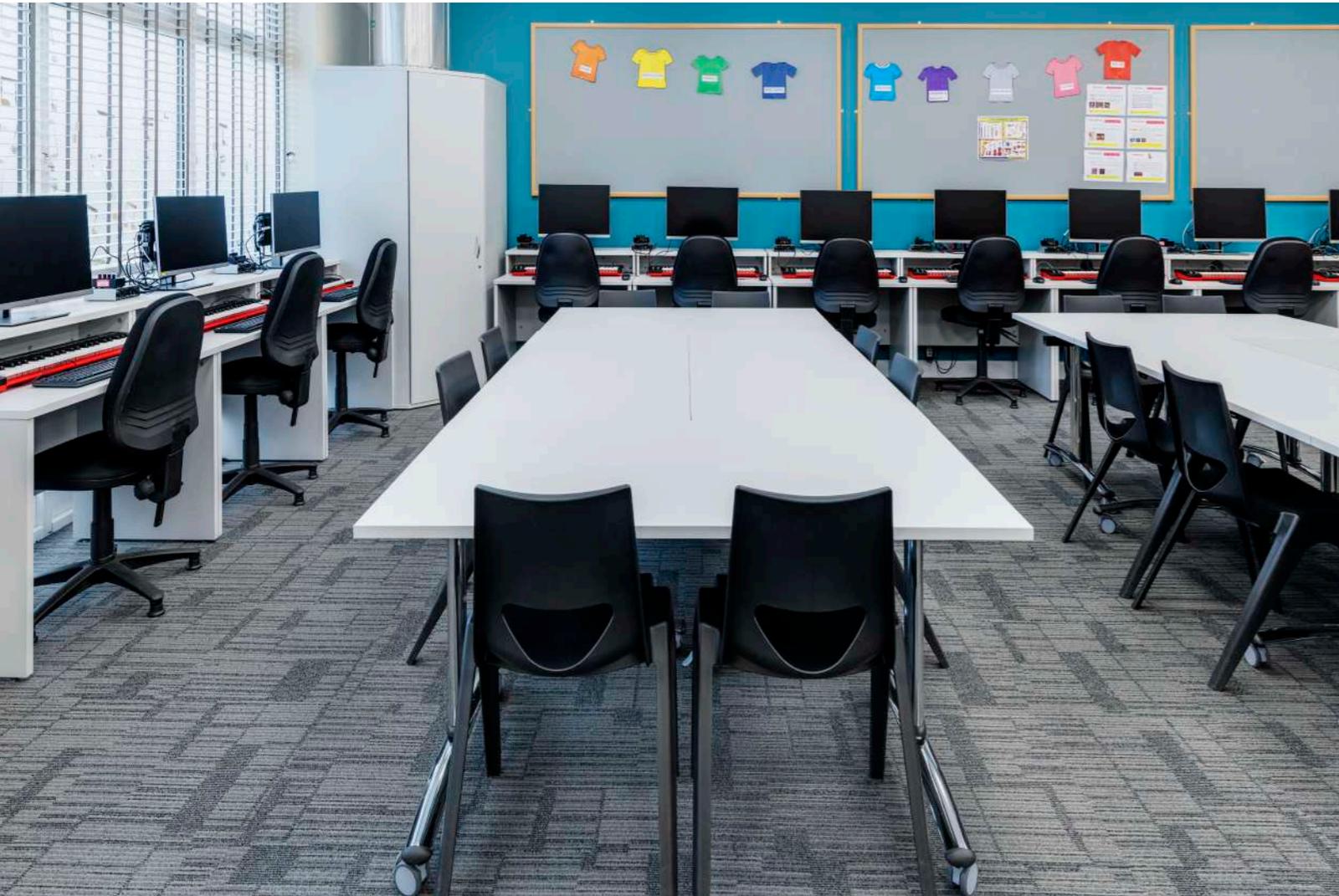
"The children are delighted with our new library. The process was smooth from design to installation. I especially appreciated dealing with one person all the way through the process. As a school we have worked with Westcountry Group before, and they make every stage easy and efficient. I would have no hesitation in recommending them to other busy head teachers that want a first-class job at a reasonable price."

**Mr Brian Jones**  
Headteacher



# PORTSMOUTH GRAMMAR SCHOOL

PROJECT Music Room | LOCATION Portsmouth, Hampshire



## PROJECT OVERVIEW

Musical instruments require careful handling and accessible storage. Our experienced team of interior designers worked closely with the prestigious Portsmouth Grammar School to design and install a state-of-the-art music environment to enhance musical abilities and ensure students were hitting the right notes.

With perimeter and central classroom desks paired with robust seating, this practical furniture solution has created a harmonious music classroom environment. The result? A fully designed music classroom with storage solutions for instruments and a fun, creative and functional space providing the next generation of musicians with first class facilities to showcase their talents.



# EMBLEY SCHOOL

PROJECT Woodland Nursery Furniture | LOCATION Romsey, Hampshire



## PROJECT OVERVIEW

Early years settings need to be a warm and welcoming environment for every child, but they also need to be functional and practical. Embley School required a furniture solution for its new Key Stage 1 Woodland Nursery to deliver just that.

As the school interior experts, Westcountry Group were selected to supply soft furnishings and storage solutions that contributed to a safe, comfortable, and colourful environment giving children the opportunity to learn independently or in groups.

The result? A calm, bright and spacious nursery environment that really promotes the children's enjoyment, independence, and development.

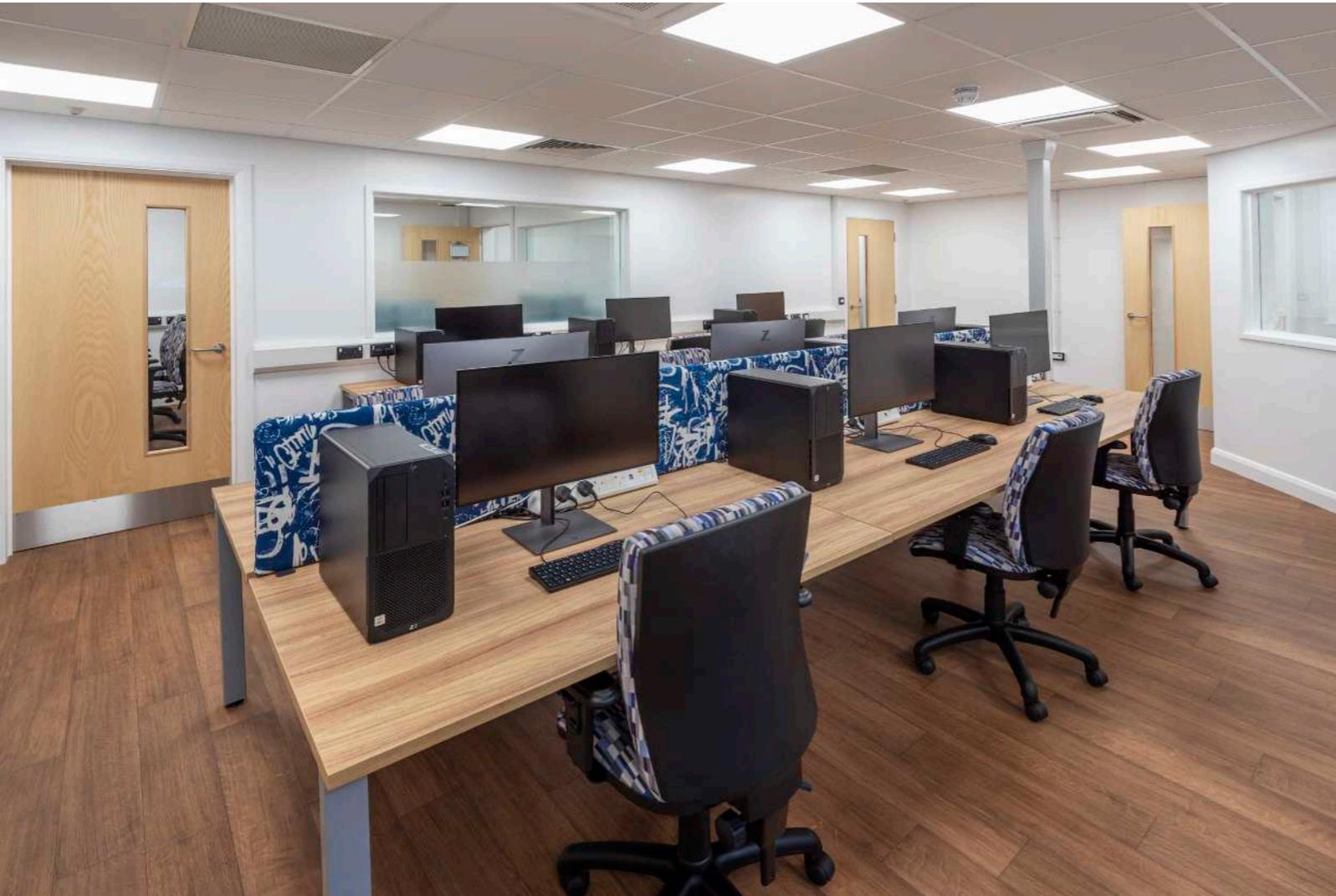
"Westcountry Group were really helpful and knowledgeable about how to mix and match different nursery furniture ranges to help us achieve the design and functionality we were looking for. The Woodland Library is now a real focal point of our Prep and the children love the space."

**Charlotte Welland**  
Director of Marketing, Admissions & Communications



# PETROC COLLEGE

PROJECT ICT Suite | LOCATION Barnstaple, North Devon

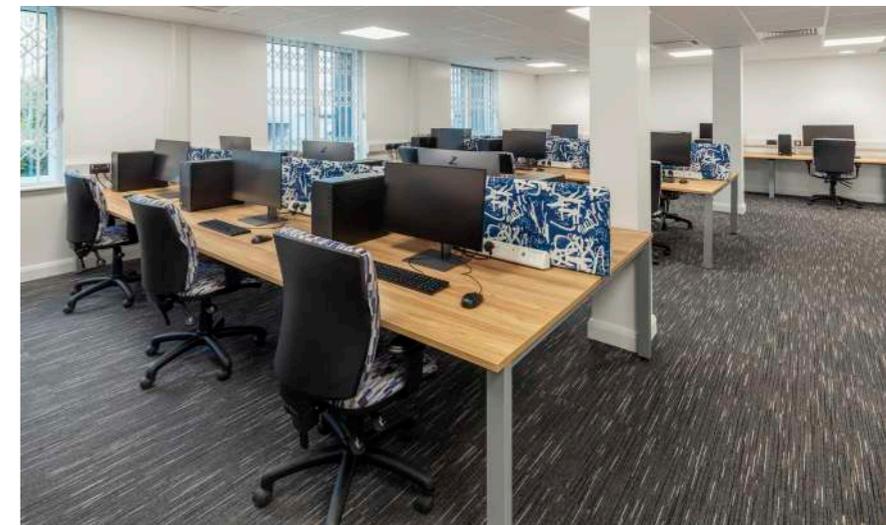


## PROJECT OVERVIEW

Petroc College is a large, successful further education (FE) and higher education (HE) college. With an on-going programme of developments to accommodate the increase in pupil numbers, Petroc required an experienced furniture company that understood the needs of a giant establishment with over 10,000 pupils.

Westcountry Group worked closely with the college to swap out their aging ICT furniture and provide sophisticated, ergonomic, and durable furniture to complement two newly refurbished state-of-the-art suites in their Institute of Technology building.

Westcountry Group's extensive experience in design, manufacture and installing classroom furniture for digital learning environments ensures the college is well-equipped to keep pace with emerging technologies and to inspires staff and students for years to come.



# MONKERTON COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

PROJECT Dining & Classroom Furniture | LOCATION Exeter, Devon



## PROJECT OVERVIEW

When opening a brand-new school, you need that wow factor. Having worked with the Cornerstone Academy Trust for many years, Westcountry Group were delighted to be chosen to supply a complete furniture solution for the new Monkerton Community Primary School.

Our expert team worked with the school to install a comprehensive range of robust education furniture for multiple classrooms and office spaces. Our popular space-saving Benchmarks tables were also chosen as they had previously been selected for other trust schools and had been found to be very popular with staff and students.

The Benchmark tables offer a space-efficient dining solution ensuring the school has more space and time for other activities throughout the day – as well as taking up half the storage space of other folding dining table systems.

“We know with Westcountry you always get quality products and great customer care. Their product range often offers something different to the norm, for example, the amazing Benchmark dining tables. They are robust, aesthetically well designed and very compact when stored away. We would highly recommend Westcountry Group.”

**Mr Graham Newbery**  
Trust Business Manager



# SOUTH DARTMOOR COLLEGE

PROJECT Sixth Form Centre Furniture | LOCATION Ashburton, Devon



## PROJECT OVERVIEW

South Dartmoor College wanted a modern study and break-out area for their students to re-energise and learn in.

Within sixth form study spaces, it is important to create breakout areas where students can relax, study, and eat. With over 45 years of experience, Westcountry Group has successfully conducted sixth form projects and common room refurbishment projects for many schools across the South of England.

Westcountry Group delivered a modular soft seating solution that was contemporary, bright, and welcoming – creating a multi-functional space that stimulates creativity and success.

“We are delighted with the service that Westcountry Group provided us from design to inception. They listened carefully to our brief and responded professionally to create an inspiring, welcoming environment for our Sixth formers. Our project was competitively priced, and our budget was appropriately responded to. We would highly recommend working with Westcountry Group to help to realise your own refurbishment.”

**Emma Gallagher**  
Deputy Headteacher



# CITY COLLEGE PLYMOUTH

PROJECT Library Furniture | LOCATION Plymouth, Devon



## PROJECT OVERVIEW

Libraries are the academic heart of every educational establishment. City College Plymouth commissioned Westcountry Group to provide soft furnishings and furniture to the college's newly refurbished Digital Learning Quarter.

Westcountry Group installed an inspiring variety of contemporary, stylish, and colour-coordinated products ranging from individually upholstered stools to low and high-back sofas and booths.

The library now has separate areas of soft seating for relaxing, study booths for quiet work and collaborative worktables – creating an inspirational and functional space.

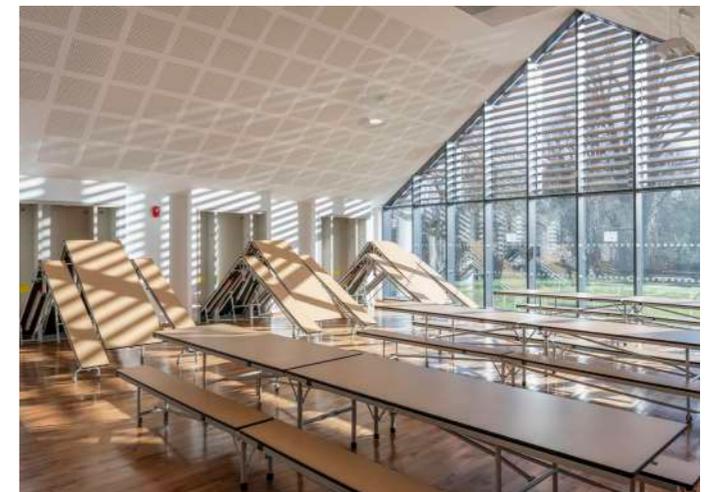
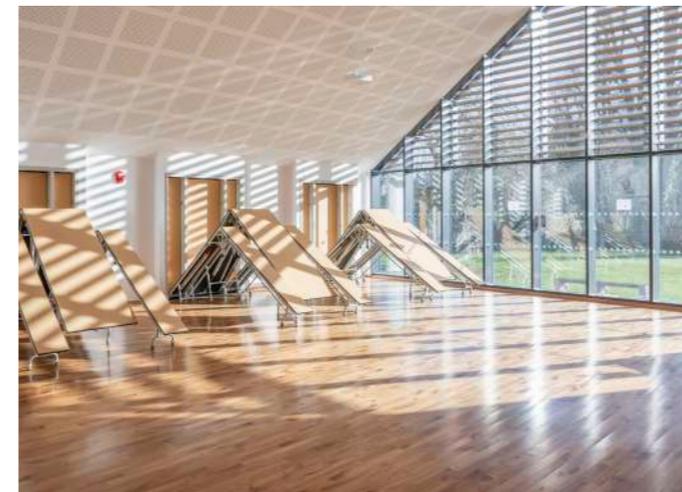
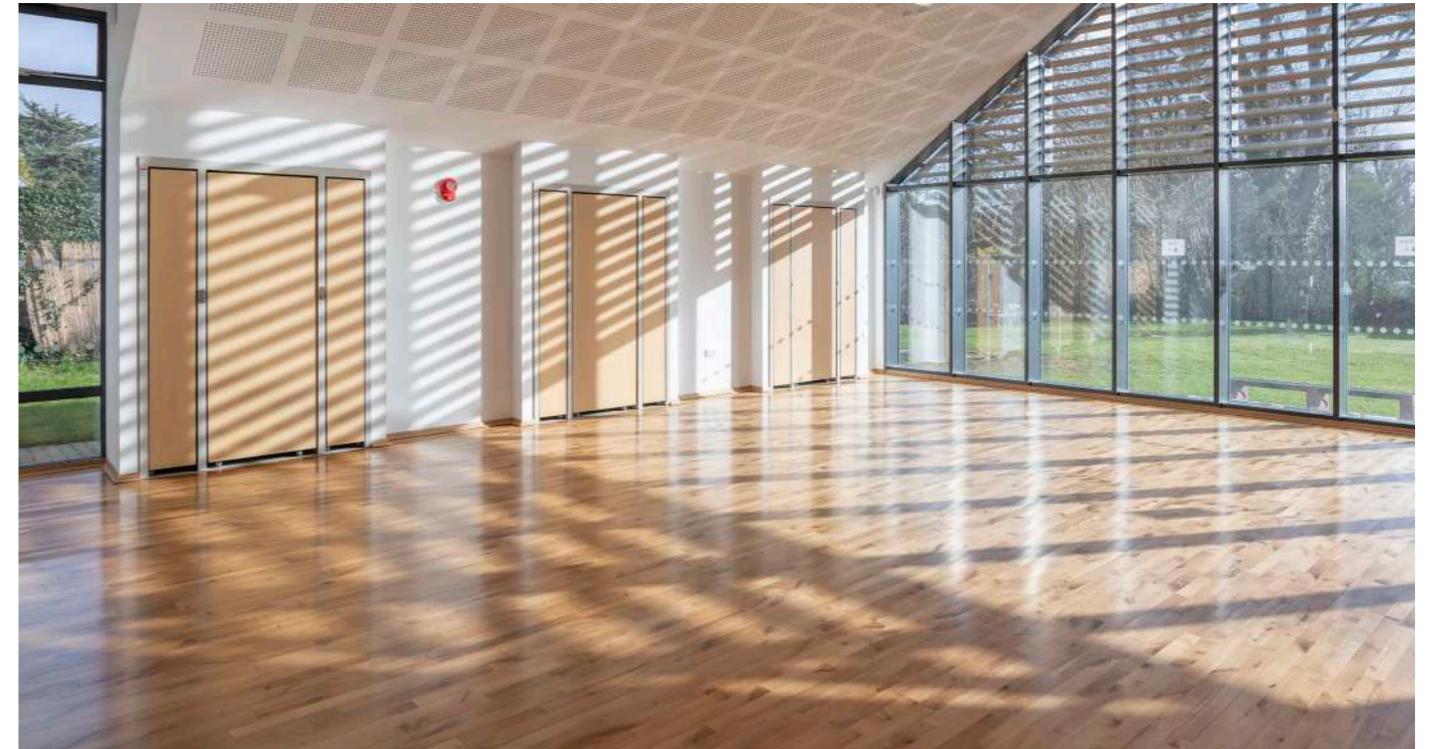
“City College Plymouth is at the start of an exciting period of transformation to become the learning destination of choice. The Digital Learning Quarter is at the heart of the College and the furniture provided by Westcountry Group has helped to create a modern and welcoming learning space for students and staff. This space now represents our collaborative and interactive approach to learning.”

**Clint Jones**  
Director of Teaching, Learning and Innovation



# DENHAM VILLAGE SCHOOL

PROJECT Wall Pocket Dining Furniture | LOCATION Uxbridge, Buckinghamshire



## PROJECT OVERVIEW

As part of an expansion plan to increase student numbers, Denham Village School commissioned a brand-new building to accommodate new classrooms and a sports hall.

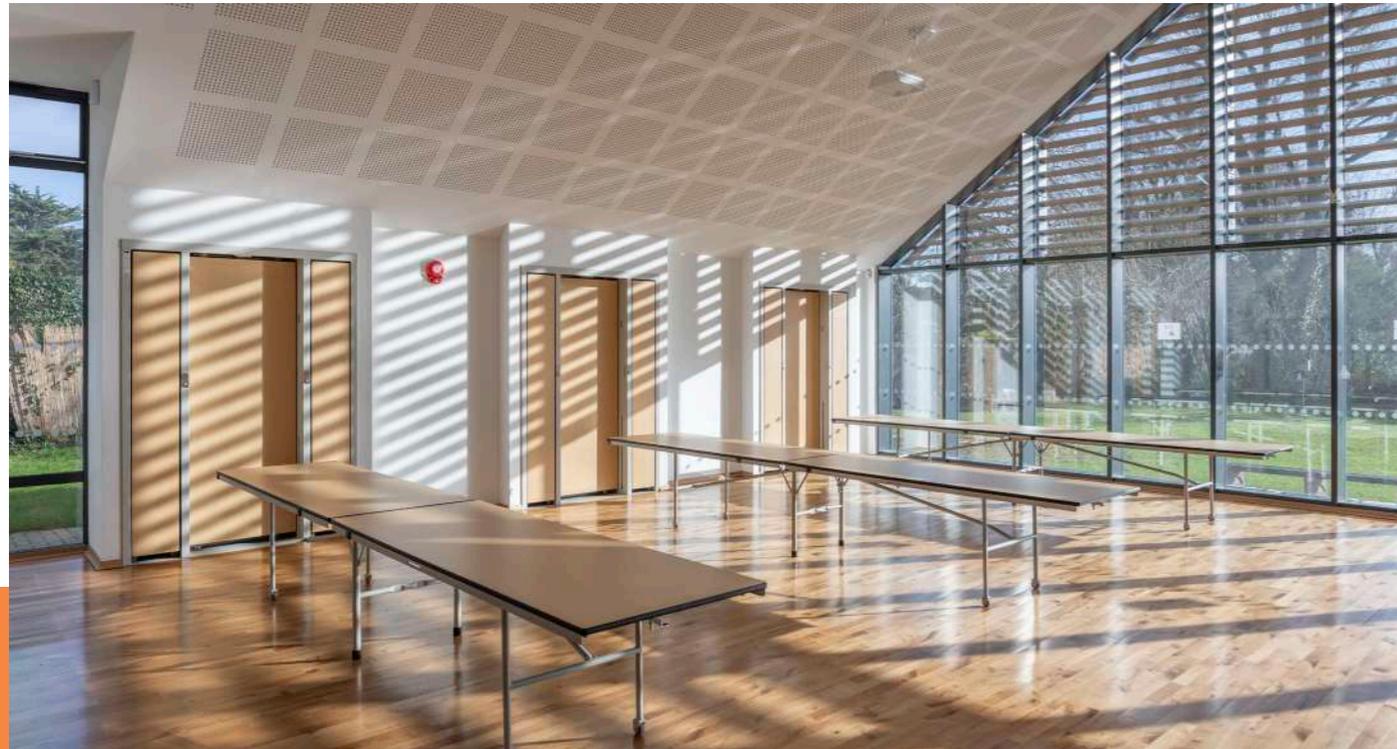
The school selected the legendary Versa Wall Pocket to make optimal use of their new sports hall space by introducing dining tables and benches that fold up in minutes and store in recessed pockets built into the walls.

The Wall Pocket system has proven to be the perfect answer for dining in multi-use school halls across the country. The space-efficient dining tables are the best solution for schools that use their halls for other activities throughout the day including PE, dining, and assemblies.

The three double Wall Pocket systems which are also easy to set up and clean have provided a lunchtime seating solution for 120 students in next-to-no space!

# DENHAM VILLAGE SCHOOL

PROJECT Wall Pocket Dining Furniture | LOCATION Uxbridge, Buckinghamshire



“The Wall Pockets have enabled us to optimise the use of our school hall. We use the benches and tables every day for lunchtime and for events such as parent evenings. They are quick and easy to use and can be done by all staff members which has supported us greatly by providing a seamless lunchtime experience. Our lunchtimes now have a quick turnaround, and we can make the most of our hall space.”

Sarah Howells  
Bursar





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