

HARRIS ACADEMY GREENWICH, BAM CONSTRUCTION



BIODIVERSITY ENHANCEMENT OVERVIEW

The Harris Academy scheme in Greenwich involves demolishing and refurbishing parts of the existing school, and building a new school on the same site.

The old building, built in 1951, has seven floors including the staff cafeteria, whereas, the new building will have three floors, with cross-curriculum classrooms, allowing the journey from one lesson to another to be more fluent.

As works are being carried out adjacent to a live school environment, and in phases, the site compound is particularly tight. However, the project's health, safety and environmental advisor has installed bird boxes and bird feeders in trees on a small grassy area of the site compound.

Fact box

Company name:

BAM Construction

Project name:

Harris Academy Greenwich

Location:

Eltham, London

Biodiversity enhancement:

- Bird boxes
- Bird feeders

Size:

N/A

Cost:

N/A

Tips:

- Just do one simple thing to encourage biodiversity.
- Even if you have limited space, you can still make a big difference by thinking creatively. Bird boxes and feeders can be hung in trees, or hung from awnings in break out areas.

Year completed:

2014

Categories:

■Small scale temporary