St Anne School Concept Plan 2016

The Brief is to design some new exciting practical aspects to the playgrounds and gardens to all other areas.

I have taken the colour Yellow from your frontage garden trees, Gliditsia which are a bright Yellow and have taken that yellow colour predominately through all the gardens as a theme. It is a bright and sparkly colour with plenty of vibrancy to offset your other predominately green and red on the buildings and landscaping.

1 .I feel you need a new focal point for the front entrance weather it's the roadside signage or your office entrance and have given you some options.

A, Redesign the alcove entrance with seating and clear lighting.

B, Plaster wall with your school symbol siting in the garden road side. – seating!

C, Scooter track on the large back boundary garden.

And new plants to tidy the gardens by the hall.

2. The main area I have concentrated on is the area immediately in front of the main blocks.

I had thrown in many options and this is just to show that the space is could sustain many people and activities. The garden could carry the colour yellow through in the planting including phormiums libertias and moss which are hardy; and trees, lancewoods and kowhai. Some colanema and arctotis, and sunflowers in the planters and other bright coloured plants the kids would like to participate in.

A, firstly an elevated walkway with oyster shell. It would be a gentle slope allowing for wheel chair access. There would be artificial grass contours resting off for relaxation and areas for viewing field sports. This elevated position would allow for a bridge and tunnel to be constructed which gives so much to playground fun and imagination. This elevation will allow for a "play zone" and give contour to the otherwise flat area giving interest to the children.

B, Also 2 areas for outdoor classrooms with different seating and shading options a new way of learning and teaching with is taking off in New Zealand.

C, Sandpit down the junior end with organic boulders surrounding and shade. Also options for a water play which water is an integral part of young minds.

D, a gental slide and a plank bridge could easily sit next to the walkway helping with balance and interest and make a unique entrance from the junior end.

3. The Resource block requires little. Some organic boulders to shape and make a boundry for a outdoor class room. Some bulk planting of lovely grasses and sculptures that the kids can participate in.

4. Backfield. It needs a major prune up of trees etc. I have designed a organic new playground that blends into the other native planting on the back boundary so that it does not look disconnected. The boulders are used to continue the overall look.

A, I was looking at recycling the poles from the existing playground and given balance structures options. Upcycle the fort as a possibility to NZ MOE standards and have a flying fox and climbing walls off it.

B, The 6 mitre Eagles Nest is a possible option if allows for funding. It retails for around $6 grand. Thes are becoming very popular in the upper junior glasses and a real durable and reliable product which give much challenge and confidence to the age groups.

C, Orchard can be established in the back allotted area.

5. Vetetable Garden, sited next to the boundary and the resource room. I have designed raised planter boxes made of macaraper which does not have to be treated. Lined with polythine. Designed like a cross I feel that this will incorporate your school symbol. With a space for a gate or entrance with the church may establish a shared interest.

A, compost, work station, storage and outdoor classroom give a practical aspect.

B, While a fun willow arch walkway is something taking off an many school gardens. Wild flowers and flower climber fence to attract bees. Possible bee hives.

C, the area would need a ground cover or stone, shell, or brick to allow for pathways.

This concept plan is just hand design, real measurement are not allowed for .

Flora Johnson

Urban Evolution

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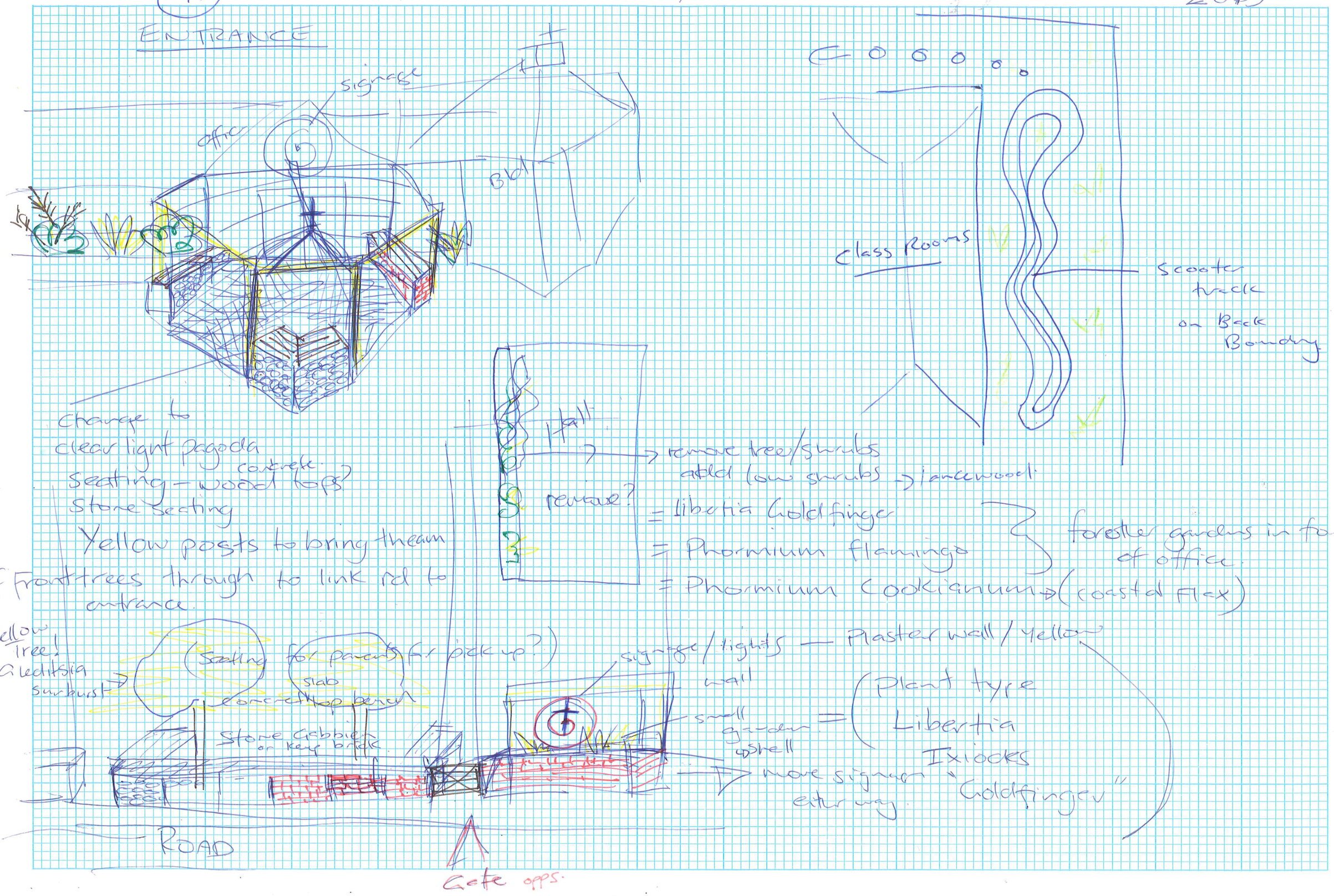
1. CONCEPT PLANS – ST ANNES PRIMARY SCHOOL 2015



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(2.) St Annes School CONCEPT PLANS. 2015

Tunnel construction
either concrete pipe (height 1.2).(width 1.2)(length 2.5 mtrs)
or wooden-brace/metal-iron

mumatt floor. sides wood. – exit to artificial grass
might need engineering.

ON Top Bridge like effect
wooden plank with Rope/Post Rail.
both sides.
→ might have hobbit door at exit?
– perspects inlay.

(OPTIONAL)
2nd Outdoor Classroom
moulded raised real grass
mounds with boulders placed
for sitting. Possible in centre Pebbles stones.
↗ Some strong lanswoods
flaxes random "real"
planting?

Able to step down from path.
2 levels.

artificial or (coloured soft fall mumatt)
grass raised with one step height
× 2 levels.

A/P compacted
Oyster/Muscel shell.

* construction of slope either
railway sleepers/hardwoods
– full height 1mt at limit.

inlay tree rounds

(3. mts Circumference.)

Seating stumps or wooden bench
back or shell
floor.

1st outdoor classroom
= Knipholia Sunningdale Yellow
= Phormium
= Liberties
= Yellow ice plant
ground cover
(sculptures) drought resistant.
– lanswoods

Quiet seating zone

* water play
either pipe construction
or concrete moled waterway stream
leading to running along side sandpit
boulders. Catchment area at bottom
with pump to circulate.

Kowhai Tree

Tunnel

Kowhai Tree

Pathway

Oyster Shell

Pump Pipe

water pipe play

(OPTIONAL)
Slide – Plastic?
gental grade
w. steps/
Shell.

artificial grass curve – raised
– Liberties.

Gentel Slope for wheel chair access.

post rope

R. Office.

Play ground.

coloured canopies
perspex.
pergola

sand pit

curve slopes up to 400 mil.

artificial grass slope layer
down on/or planting

WC
access

Boulders
concreted in to
gravel. Some sticking up high

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OR add to other zones.

New concrete stensils
colour with Symbols
compass.

access

inlayed low
tree rounds into
sand or shell.

Paint wall Yellow/Circle
on outside.

Plank Bridge suspended off ground
by 5mil OR not.
(small plants – Liberties)

OR Plank raised system
mack/solid wood/poles.
can access passed
plank

Seats positioned
to front of
Planters to face
to the playground.
paint Yellow/colours.

IN PLANTERS
→ Sunflowers
→ Liberties.
→ calamma – sunset gold.
→ arctotis "Hello"

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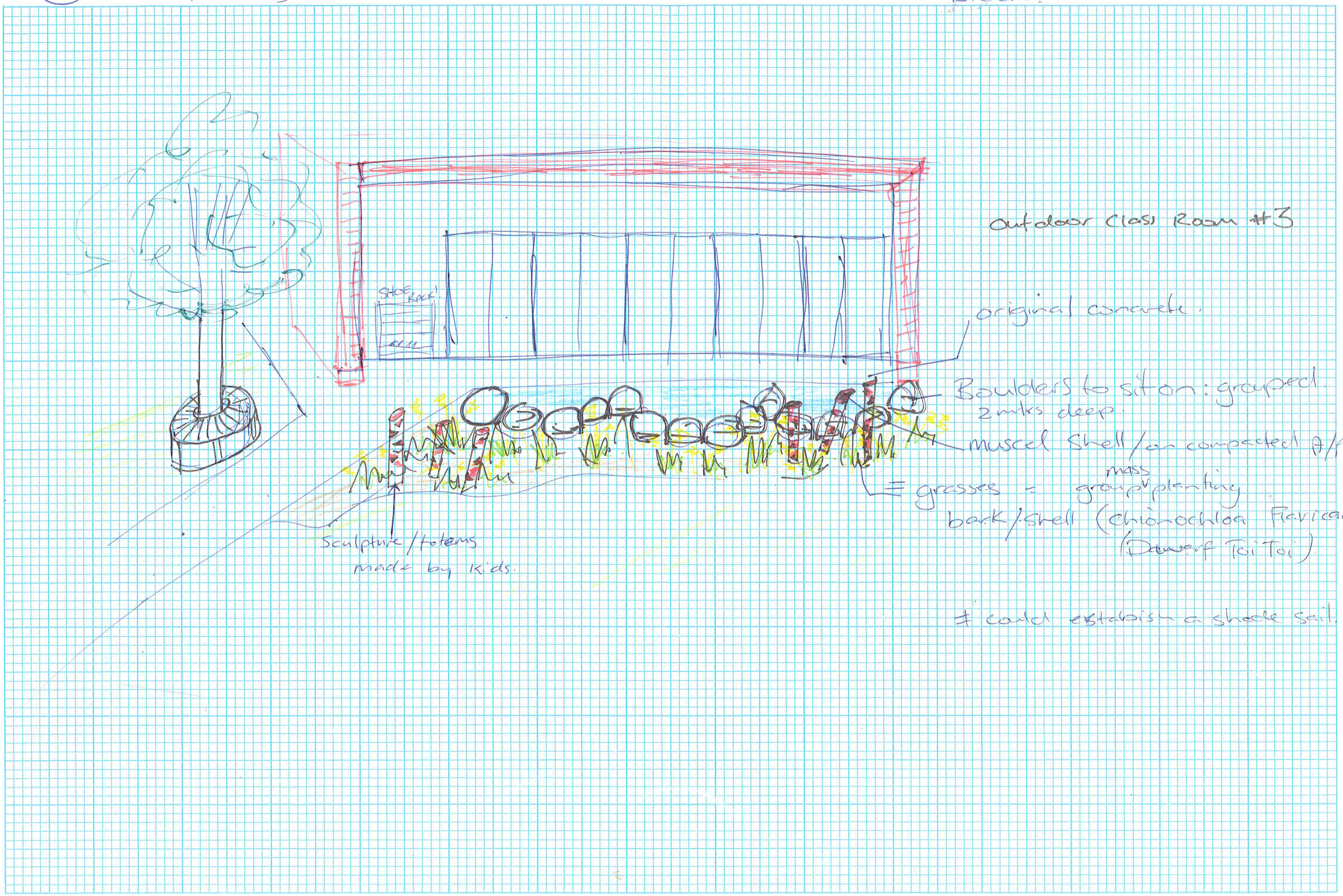
(3) St Annes SCHOOL - CONCEPT PLAN 2015 - Resource Block.



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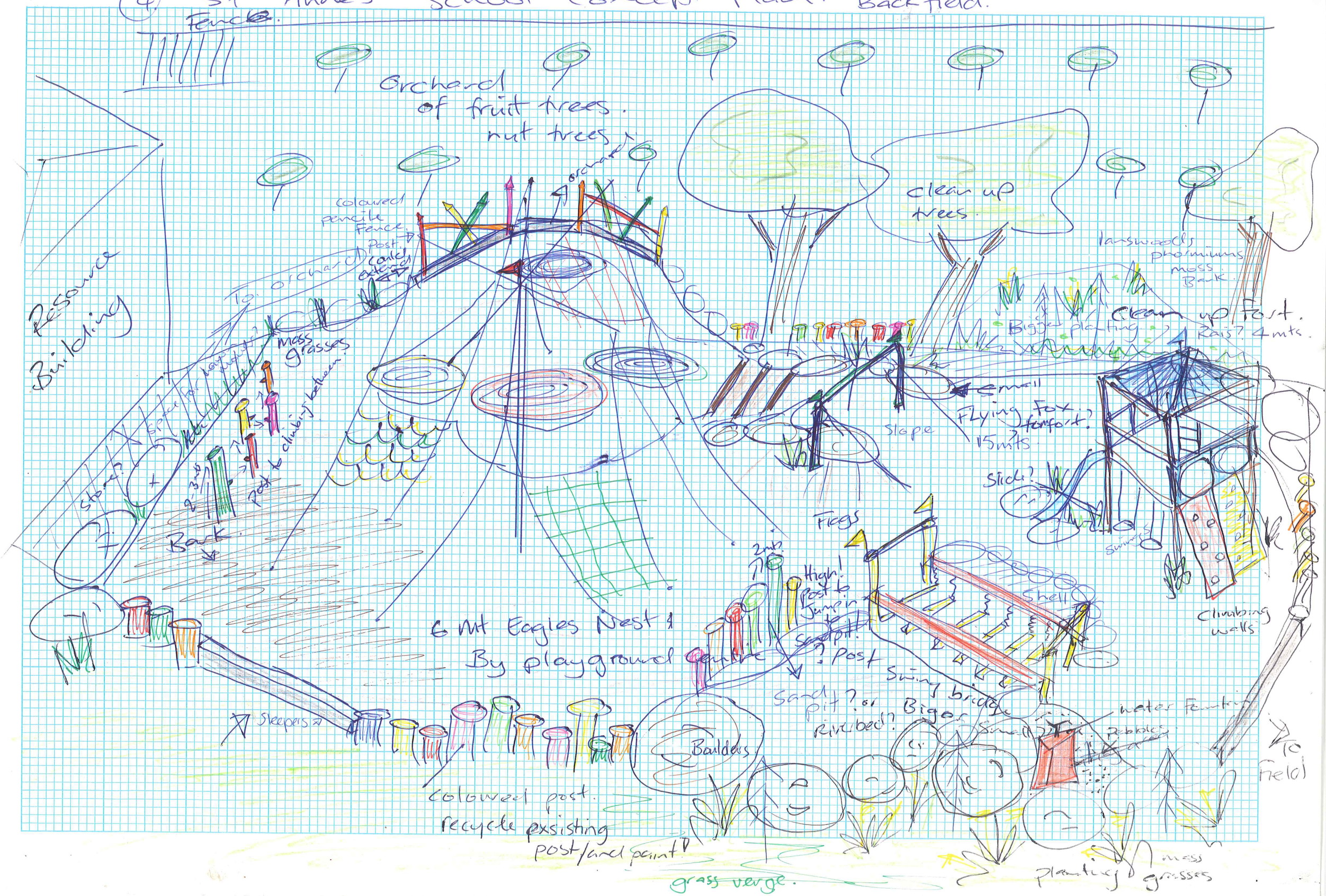
(4) St Annes School - Concept Plan: Backfield.



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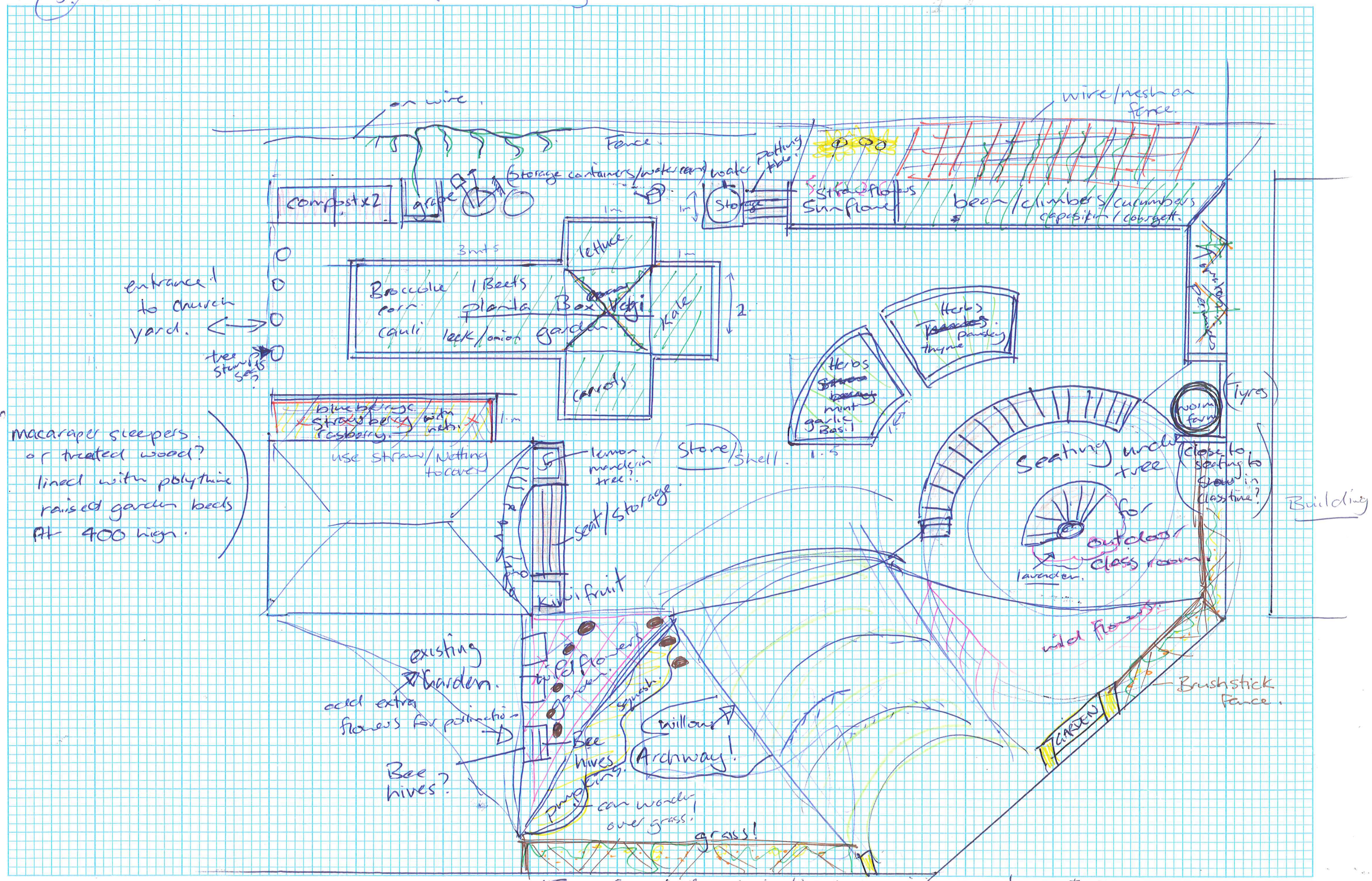
5. St Annes School: Concept Plan: Vegetable Garden.



Flowers include: Nasturtiums climbing fence! and others petunias, chrysanthemums, clendular, camomile, Daisy marigolds, lavender, Borage, Dahlias, comfrey.