



Carillion, has been selected as the contractor for Kent County Council's New Line Learning Academy and preferred bidder for the Kent Batched Academies programme, worth a total of £118 million. This exciting project delivered through Partnerships for Schools' National Academies Framework involves the design and construction delivery of 5 large secondary education facilities throughout the county of Kent. The work is being managed from our West Malling office.

About the project

The New Line Learning Academy is a £25m construction scheme. The 18 month project will involve the redevelopment of a new academy building with associated sports building and facilities, circulatory access roads, strategic landscaping works and car park facilities. Demolition works of the existing academy will take place on completion.

Progress update

- The internal mezzanine staircases have been erected within the teaching plazas.
- Brick and block work is complete to all areas including the sports hall north elevation and the delivery area.
- Roof access stairs have commenced.
- M&E 1st fix installation has commenced through all areas. Electrical cables are being installed to the Cache areas and are complete to the sports hall.
- The under floor heating has been installed to all the Cache rooms, the sports hall, link corridor and associated rooms, first and ground floor specialist plazas and the first floor standard teaching plazas.
- Screeds have been laid to all the areas where the under floor heating has been installed.
- Partitions are progressing in all areas of the project with the skim coat applied to the vast majority of areas.
- The external works are progressing with the concrete paving to the east elevations and the paving to the north elevation.
- Decorations have commenced with the application of the mist and first coat of paint in the Cache rooms and sports hall.
- Gas, power and water are all connected and available within the building.

Getting in touch

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Recent events

Carillion gave a donation towards the North Loose Resident's Association 'Children's Party' held on 30th January 2010.

There were approx. 40 children in attendance, ranging from the ages of 3 to 8 years old.

The party was a great success and involved a treasure hunt, pin the tail on the donkey and a magician, followed by a tea party.



A 'Tree Planting' Ceremony was held recently at the school grounds.

This was the first of many trees and shrubs that will be planted as part of the extensive external landscaping package.

Minimising impact

We are aware of the potential impact of the works on you, our neighbours. We will continue to work to reduce this impact through:

Keeping to the agreed hours generally, with deviation only by exception and prior agreement

Implementing best practice methods and modern equipment to minimise noise and vibration

Utilising noise and dust suppression methods

Monitoring noise and vibration

Monthly newsletters

Traffic management incl. on-site parking for all construction vehicles

Site Progress Photos



South elevation



North elevation (main entrance to the school)



Sports hall (cladding works)



Internal

Additional copies of our newsletter are available at the school reception.



If you have any comments or concerns, please let us know by completing the section below and posting it in the newsletter mailbox, on the hoarding adjacent to the school's exit, or send to the following site address: Carillion Project Office, Boughton Lane, Maidstone, Kent. ME15 9QS

Many thanks from the Carillion Team

Your Comment: _____

Your Name: _____

Contact Details: _____

Feedback of your comments/concerns will be noted in the next Newsletter

