

Waldorf

CAMPUS Pannonia

The new building

Education needs space ...

This is our leitmotif and incentive to make our thoughts and dreams for the education of our children come true.

We are convinced that this is a wonderful opportunity to help shape the future.

Our future starts with the children!



WALDORF CAMPUS PANNONIA

Introducing ourselves

We are a non-profit organization named **Waldorf Pannonia**. The association was founded by parents in Pamhagen in 2011.

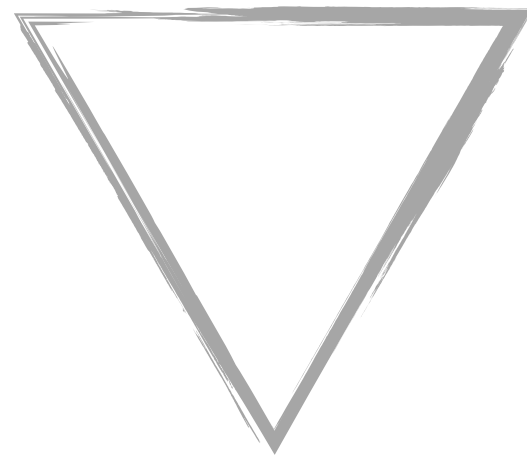
We are a **Waldorf kindergarten** and **Waldorf school** that are growing into the **Waldorf Campus Pannonia** – a vision that is now taking shape in the form of a new building.

To achieve this, we need **many people and supporters** who want to build this dream with us. We see the **future of our school** in our grand vision and also a great benefit for the region and the population here in the east of Austria.



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Waldorf Campus Pannonia
open-minded | life-oriented | exploring | loving

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Guiding principle



➤ **OPEN-MINDED**

An expression of curiosity, respect and the desire for intercultural exchange. We are open to the development of the world. We strengthen our students' curiosity to learn with and from other people and cultures.

➤ **LIFE-ORIENTED**

Is recognizing connections, grasping nuances and feeling of the truth.

To be perceptive is to look beyond the obvious and explore the hidden layers of life. It is more than just understanding with the mind - it is an immersion in the essence, a grasping with the soul and above all, an experience of action.



Guiding principle



➤ **EXPLORING**

The physical, mental and emotional abilities of children develop in different stages, they are adapted to the annual cycle and nature and follow the natural rhythm between movement and rest. The teaching method and content are based on the the developmental stages of the child.

➤ **LOVING**

More than just safety and protection – security symbolizes closeness, warmth, calm and peace. When we feel safe and secure, we are wrapped in an invisible cloak of love and acceptance. Family is a community of people who are there for each other, a place where we feel safe and secure.



Our Mission

To support the comprehensive development of the **talents and abilities** within each person.

To create space for the **unfolding of the personality** as a free individual by fostering the powers of thought, emotion and will, as well as **promoting creative and social skills**.

To nature the joy of learning and living, maintaining an interest in the world and encouraging a free will to learn and exploring behaviour.

We view **activity** as a creative act of humans in **interaction with nature**.



We are ...



Parents who want the best for their **children**.

We are farmers, self-employed, housewives, employees, mechanics, artists and come from Neusiedl am See and the surrounding area, from Vienna to Hungary and Slovakia.

Teachers who passionately believe in and love both the children and Waldorf education.

A collective that works daily to achieve its mission, discusses challenges, questions itself and focuses on the children and their needs.

A strong community life has enabled the realization of the goals achieved so far. All of this was only possible thanks to the enthusiastic commitment, trust, time, courage and all the unpaid work of parents and teachers.



Founders



The Waldorf Campus originated from the **Demeter farm Meinklang**, which provided the financial backbone for the non-profit organization. **Angela and Werner Michlits** founded the school in 2011 out of a desire to share their view of the **biodynamic cultivation of the farm** and their encounters with nature and the social environment with their children in the field of education.

They found in Waldorf education an awareness of the need to enable each person to grow up in freedom, open to the world and close to life in a stable environment.

Founded as a bilingual village school (German-Hungarian) on a small farm in Pamhagen, they inspired many with their passion, courage, perseverance and love for the project for their own and all other children.

Milestones of our community



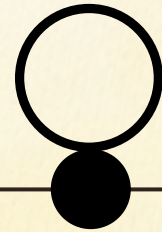
founded by
parents in
Pamhagen
(with 5 pupils)

2011

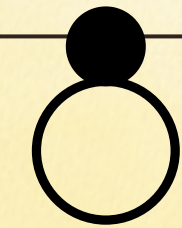


Completion
of eight
school grades

2018

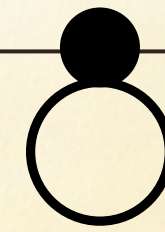


Start of
construction
of Waldorf
Campus
Pannonia
2024



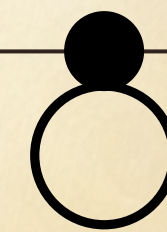
2016

Relocation to
Neusiedl am See



2022

Acquisition of
the property in
Neusiedl am See



2024

Submitting
request to
expand to Upper
Secondary Level

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Facts and figures for the 2024/25 school year

- About **80 children**
- 1 age-extended **kindergarten group**
- **1st - 8th grade** in mixed-age classes
- **2 kindergarten teachers, 5 class teachers** and several subject teachers
- **2 foreign languages** from Year 1: English and Hungarian
- **Wind ensemble** from Year 5 for the entire middle school
- **Handcrafting, Art, Music and playing the recorder** from Year 1
- **Gardening and Wood working** from Year 5

Our foundation: **Waldorf education!**

- **Holistic approach:** Waldorf education emphasizes the holistic development of children. It takes into account not only the intellectual aspect, but also artistic, social and emotional development.
- **Art and creativity:** Art, music, crafts and movement are important components of the curriculum. Pupils are encouraged to discover and express their creative abilities.
- **Teachers as companions:** Waldorf teachers in Waldorf schools accompany pupils on their learning journey. They often stay with the same pupils for several years and develop a close relationship with them.
- **Rhythm and seasons:** The Waldorf curriculum follows a rhythm based on the seasons. This includes the celebration of festivals and rituals linked to the cycles of nature.
- **Free play and imagination:** Waldorf education emphasizes free play and imagination. Pupils have time to express themselves and pursue their own interests. Overall, the Waldorf approach aims to foster pupils' individual development, creativity and social responsibility.

Our pedagogues



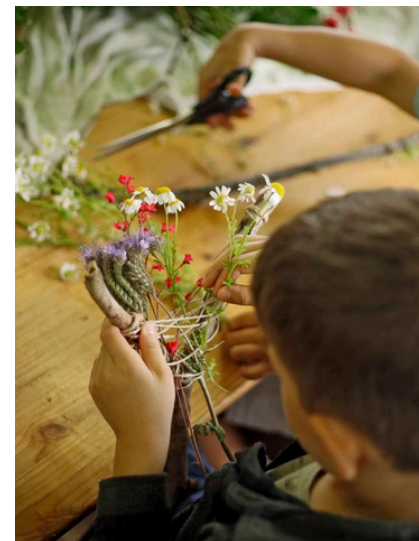
Our Kindergarten-Team

Children from kindergarten to Upper Secondary School are seen and supported in all their uniqueness.



Our Teacher-Team

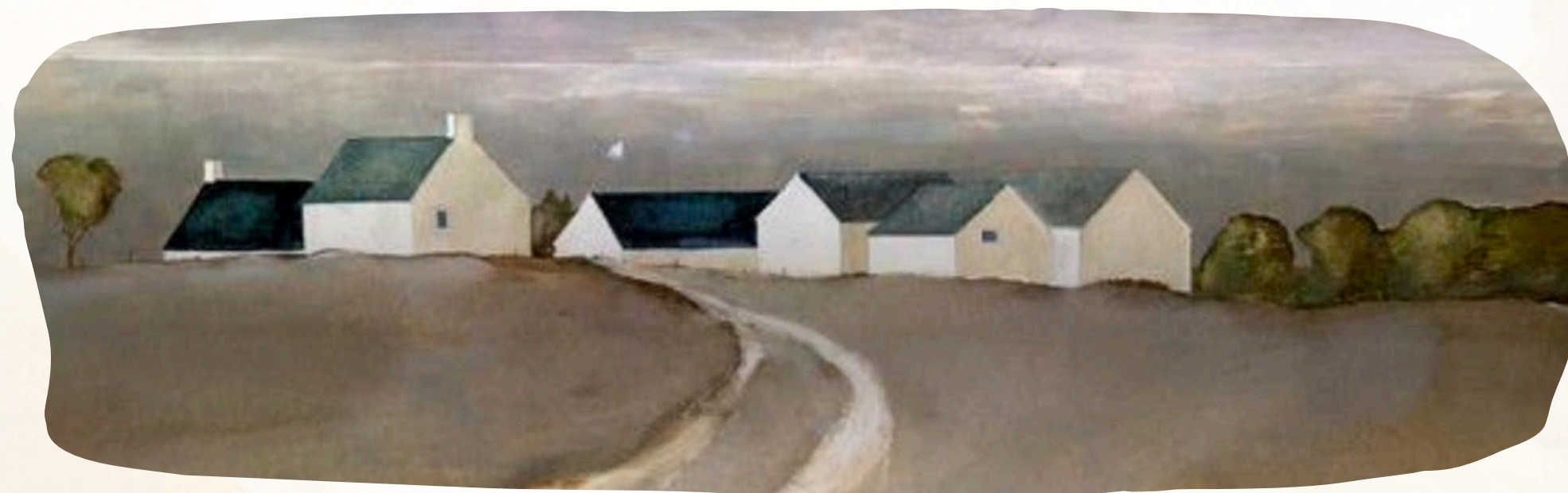
Our children



The Waldorf **Campus** Pannonia

Campus – A place to be from kindergarten to adulthood & beyond.

- **Passion for the art of learning:** a place where creativity is awakened
- **Holistic understanding of the child:** Head, heart and hand
- **Healthy relationships:** between children – parents – teachers
- **Passionate pedagogues:** committed and competent
- **Our values:** respect, creativity, compassion, empathy and curiosity.



Our location

In the centre of the World Heritage Site of the National Park on the northern shore of Lake Neusiedl

Wien / 45km Bruck / 14km Hainburg/ 14km Bratislava / 45km



Eisenstadt / 25km Sopron / 35km Pamhagen / 28km



Location and landscape

- On the northern shore of Lake Neusiedl
- on a 10,000m² property on the edge of Neusiedl am See
- within a short driving distance of Vienna (40 min), Bruck (25 min), Eisenstadt (25 min), Sopron and Bratislava (35 min)
- within walking distance of Neusiedl am See railway station via sheltered footpath without road traffic
- unobstructed view of the Leitha Mountains and the natural landscape
- directly on the B10 cycle path (cycle route around the lake) and the cherry blossom path (along the Leitha Mountains)
- only 5 minutes to the lake (sailing, surfing...),
- a few meters to a riding stable
- in the middle of the nature park – UNESCO world heritage



Our next destinations

GOAL 1:

- Expansion of afternoon classes
- Stable team and reorganization for growth of the association
- Construction of the new Waldorf Campus Pannonia with event hall: start of construction May 2024 / completion summer 2025
- Marketing, sponsorship and promotion concept
- Relocation to new building
- Development of Upper Secondary School concept

GOAL 2:

- Expansion to two kindergarten groups
- Expansion of the focus on music (own orchestra and music studio) and gardening on an area of over 4000 m²
- Development of an economic sector to generate income for the association
- Lecturers for sustainable management and design and biodynamics
- Workshops for artists and craftspeople
- Summer academy for children (sport & school) and adults

Vision

- **Early Childhood Group & kindergarten**
- **School up to grade 12**
- **Farm store with products from the school and friends**
- **Lively branch of industry**

The new building

... we create space for education ...

The design idea of the school has always been to create a **place of shelter and exchange**. School, crafts and art can unfold here.

The **village concept** with a center ultimately resulted in an ensemble of smaller buildings in the style of the **Burgenland Streckhof architecture**, which are arranged along the property around the main hall and with a large area for landscaping to open up to the site.

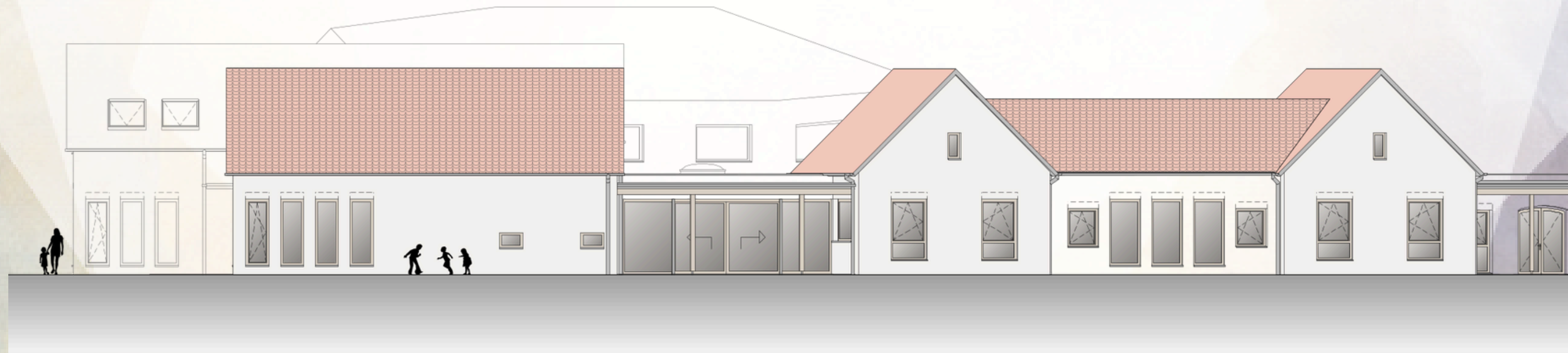
Children learn with all their senses. In our newly created learning space, we want to harness the power of nature and use **natural building materials** to create an environment that encourages creativity and joy of life. The building project has been implemented in timber construction, **untreated wooden surfaces**, plaster structures in natural colors, tiles and green roofs find their place.

The idea of a **place of encounter** in Neusiedl was always an important approach in all planning.

Key figures

Timeline

05. May 2023	Purchase of the property in Neusiedl am See and application for rezoning
21. May 2024	Start of construction activities
Summer 2025	Final inspection and handover of the building
September 2025	Opening

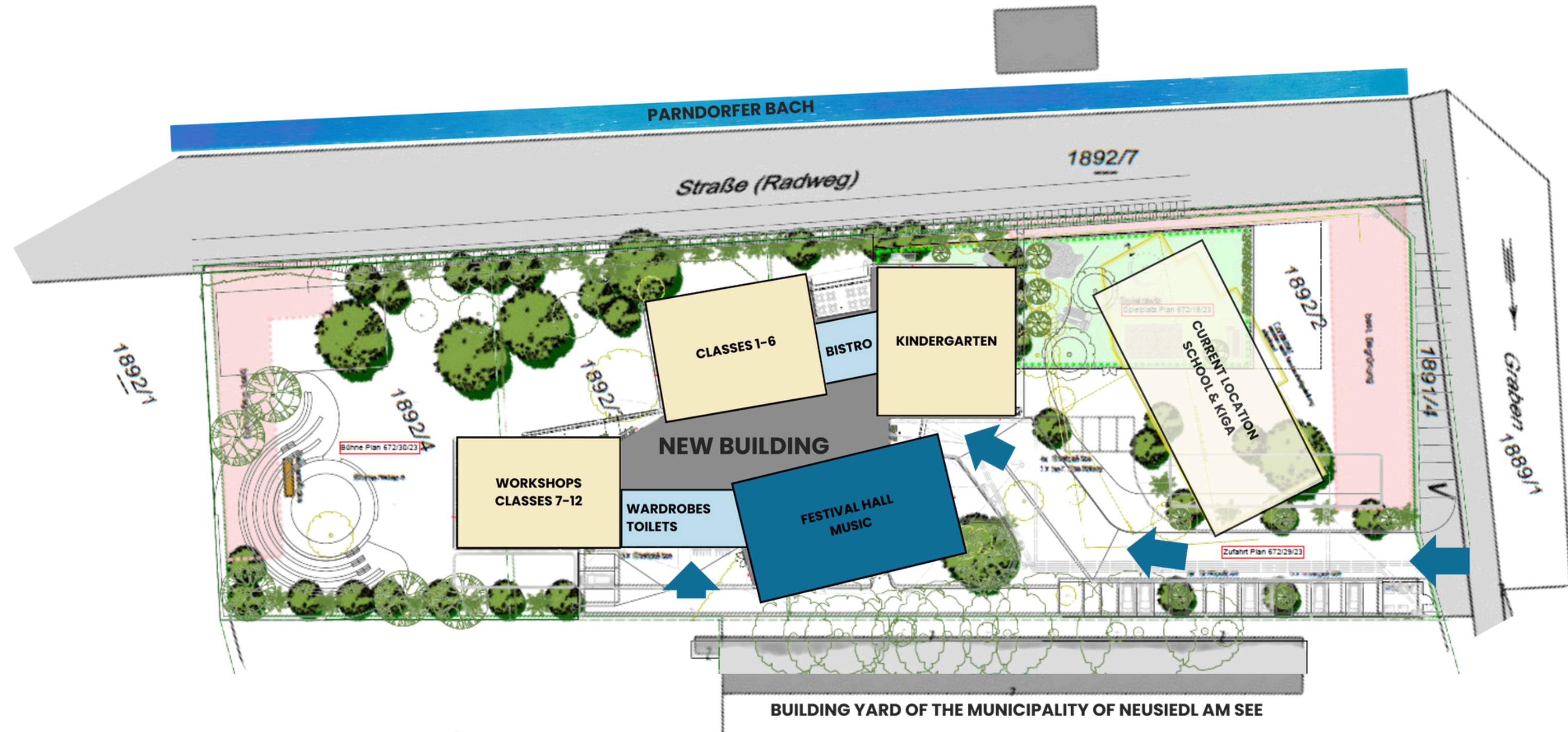


Eckdaten

Surface area

Total area of new plot 9,800m²	➤ Total construction area 2.687m²
Ground Floor 2.200m²	Frist Floor 487m²
<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Kindergarten with two groups and its own office➤ School classes 1-6 in gabled buildings➤ festival hall with stage and adjoining rooms➤ Music studio➤ Administration➤ Bistro with kitchen➤ Foyer / corridor areas / checkroom➤ Value venues & studios	<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ School grades 7-12➤ Apartment above kindergarten with two separate rooms & eat-in kitchen

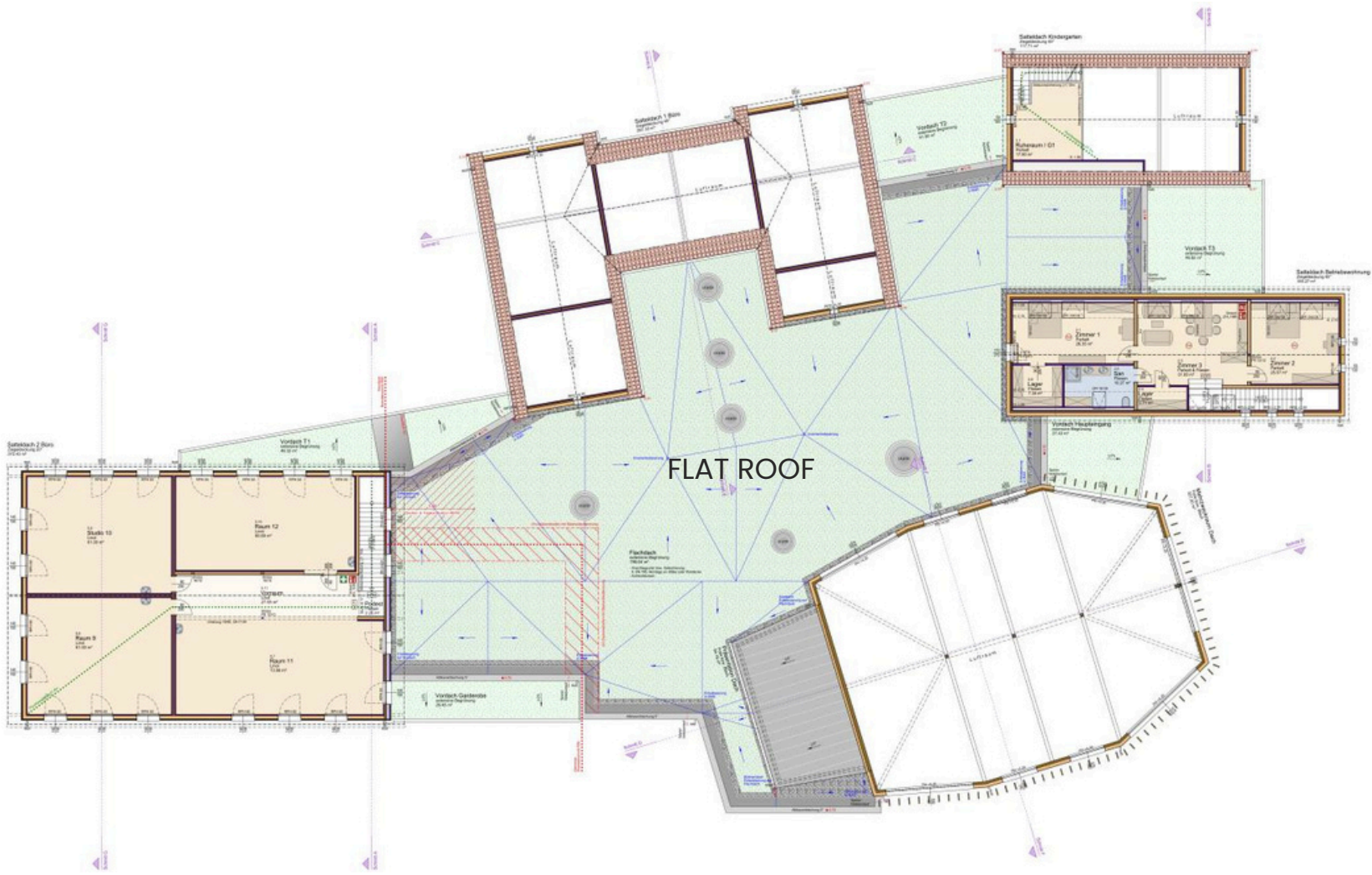
Building structure - scheme



Floor plan



Ground Floor



First Floor

3D Ansichten



STRECKHOF ARCHITECTURE SCHOOL



KINDERGARTEN



COMMERCIAL BUILDINGS: ATELIER, WORKSHOPS ...



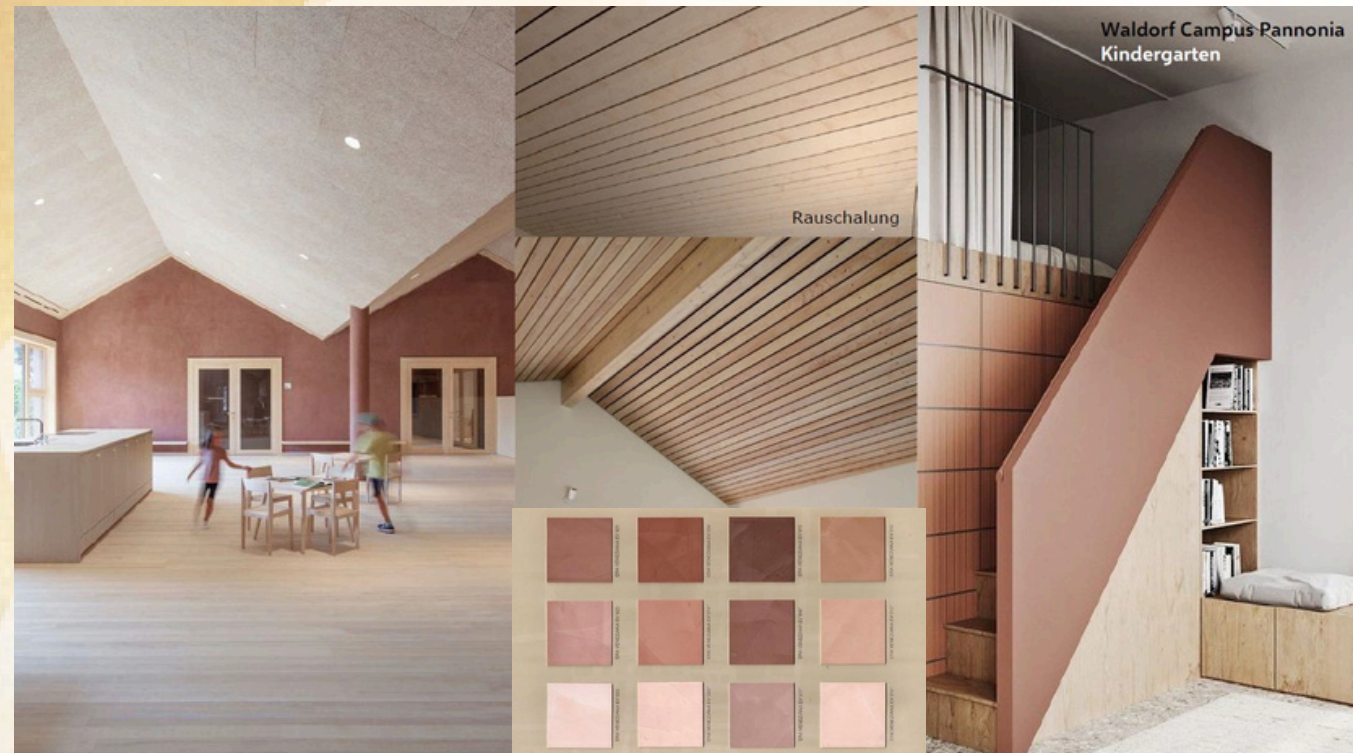
MAIN ACCESS - HALL AND KINDERGARTEN



ACCESS TO THE SCHOOL LOCKER ROOMS

Space for education

Kindergarten



School



Foyer



Staff Room

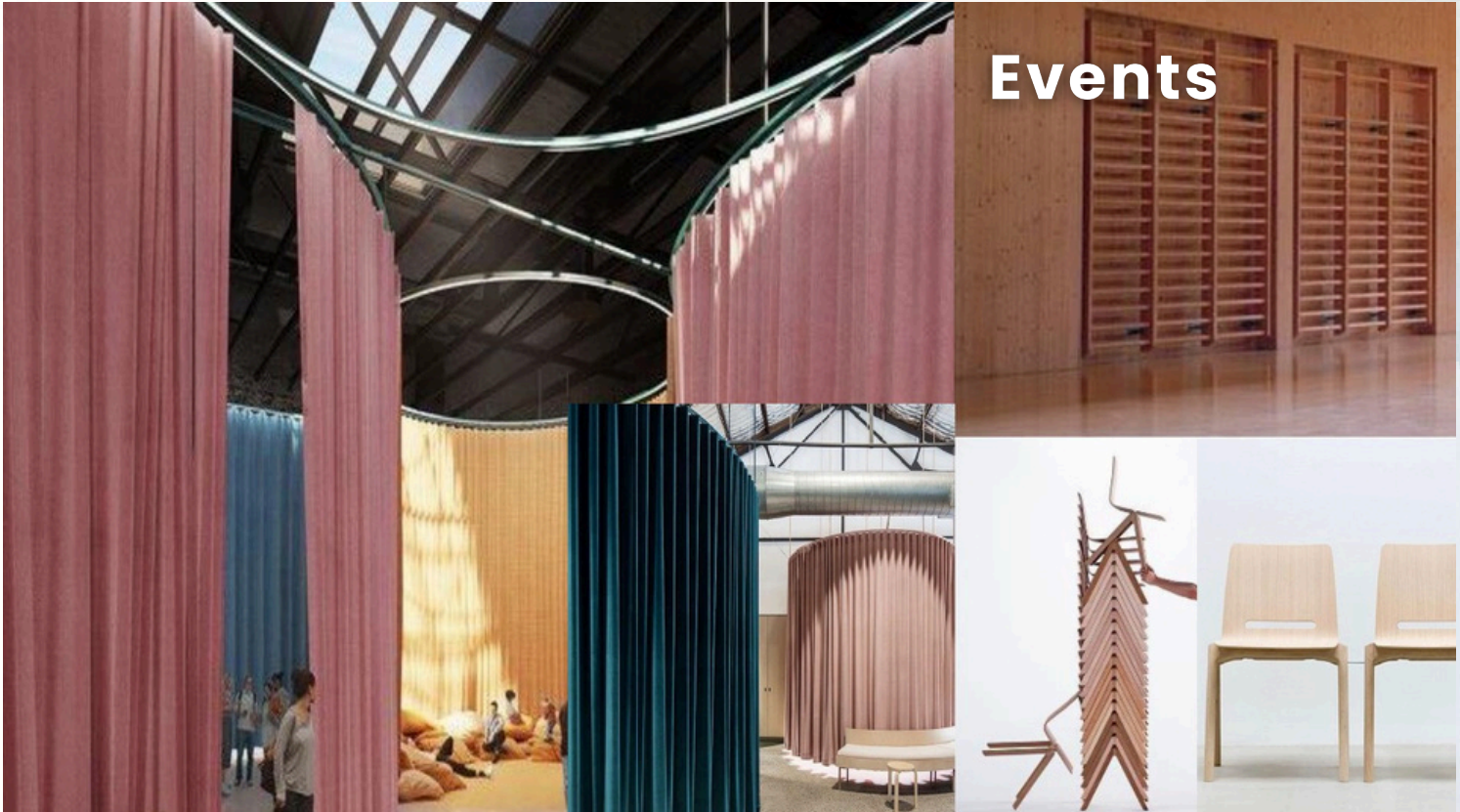


Space for community

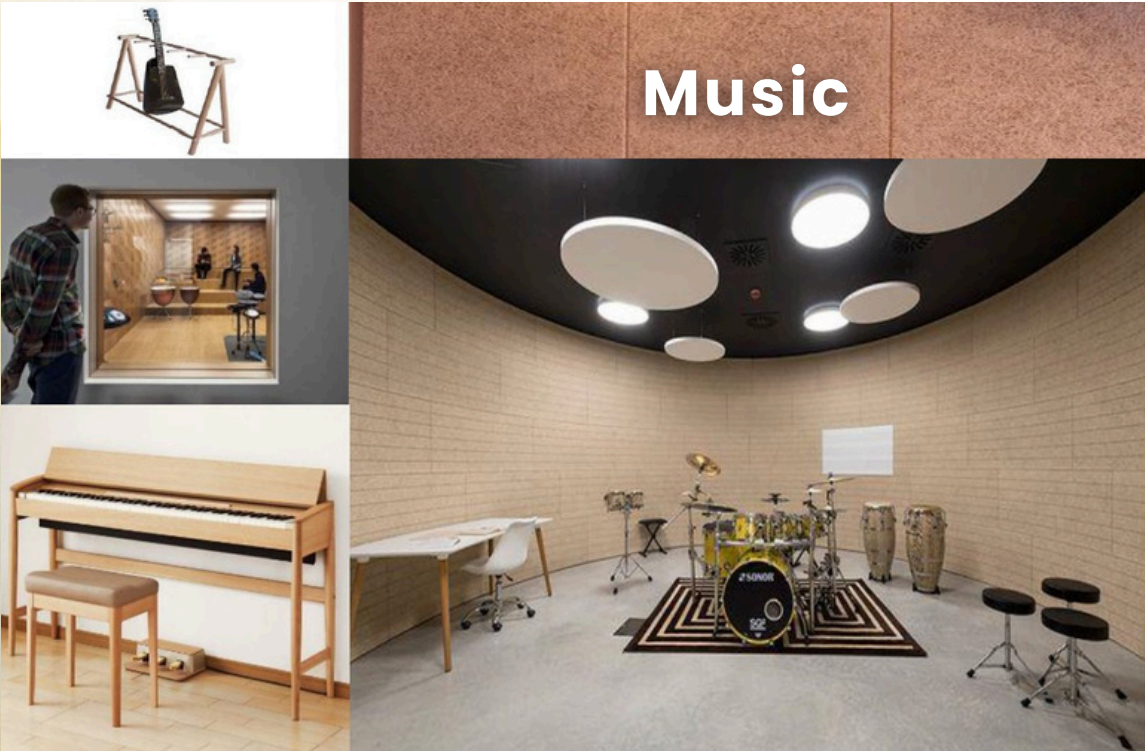
Festival & Sports hall



Events



Music



Games and Sport



Space for creativity



Gardening



Painting



Sewing – Sculpting



Sommer school



Workshops



Farm store

The building site



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