



### **Rednock School, Dursley, Gloucestershire**

Rednock School in Gloucestershire was delivered as part of the Government's Building Schools for the Future programme and provides 11,000m<sup>2</sup> of teaching space. A One School Pathfinder project, the 1,400-pupil comprehensive aims to set the standard for future educational developments within the county. Rednock School opened to students in September 2009 following a two-year Building Schools for the Future (BSF) programme.

The project involved the complete demolition of the old school buildings, many of which had recently been condemned. The new school aims to achieve a zero carbon footprint.

The school is built as a pair of large wings, emanating from a central hub. The buildings themselves are designed to feel light and spacious, whilst being energy efficient and benefitting from natural light and ventilation. Heating is provided by a biomass boiler.

Construction of the new building took place just three metres away from the existing, operational secondary school and on a site with an extremely sensitive environmental background with contaminated land, protected trees, flora, fauna and habitat issues.

Middleton Consultancy's **Tim Sluman** held the Construction Managers role on this project and is proud to have been part of this highly £27m successful project.-