



**The new multi-purpose hall**

## **New multi-purpose hall for Mascalls co-educational school, Paddock Wood, Kent 10/10/07**

LEP has just completed a multi-purpose hall for Mascalls, a highly successful and expanding comprehensive school, in Paddock Wood in the heart of rural Kent. The commission was the result of a competition win and forms phase 2 of a 3 phase programme to increase facilities at the school.

Built to a tight budget and on a challenging site the 547m<sup>2</sup> hall provides a teaching area for indoor sports and gymnastics and is attached to an existing 1960s building which has since been refurbished to provide food technology, science and other general teaching spaces.

The Hall is of sufficient height to play badminton at national level and also accommodates storage for the associated sports equipment, chairs and examination tables. Also housed within the new build, adjacent to the hall, are two changing rooms with associated showers and sanitary accommodation. These toilets also double up for use by students, and visitors using the adjacent teaching areas. The changing rooms have direct access to external sports areas via steps and a ramp on the north side of the building that lead to the playing fields and tennis courts adjacent.

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