

REFERENCE REPORT

Suffolk One Sixth Form
College, United Kingdom

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Suffolk One Sixth Form College

Architect:	Bond Bryan Architects
Product:	noraplan® stone, noraplan® ultragrip norament® 926 grano, norament® 926 grano stairtreads, nora® stair angles, nora® skirting, nora® stringer
Quantity:	6,250m ² 301 units of straittread 250m skirting 100m wall stringer 1000 stair angles
Installation:	September 2010



Suffolk One Sixth Form College opened its doors to 2,200 students in September 2010.

The college takes a modern and flexible stance on teaching its specialist and vocational subjects to the fourteen to nineteen year old students. This innovative intake on teaching had to be expressed throughout the design of the College, to create a relaxing and innovative atmosphere for the students; a task that Bond Bryan Architects completed by working with the character of the three-storey building.

The college is situated next to a main dual carriage way, and along with hundreds of students filling corridors and break out areas, the noise can be loud and frequent. The installation of nora rubber floorcoverings helps to reduce the sound within this building by up to 20db.

It was important to remember that this college would be filled with young students, which is why nora rubber floorcoverings were the perfect choice for the central atrium or 'heartspace' areas of the college.

These areas are used by the students as social, dining and private study areas. The areas had to be highly visible and striking features within the building. nora's large range of rubber floor coverings and colours worked with the furniture within the building as well as the buildings design and the Suffolk One College branding. Using contrasting blues to create unique areas and subtle greys to lighten classrooms, nora rubber floorcoverings work uniquely with the building to create an innovative and exciting learning centre.



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