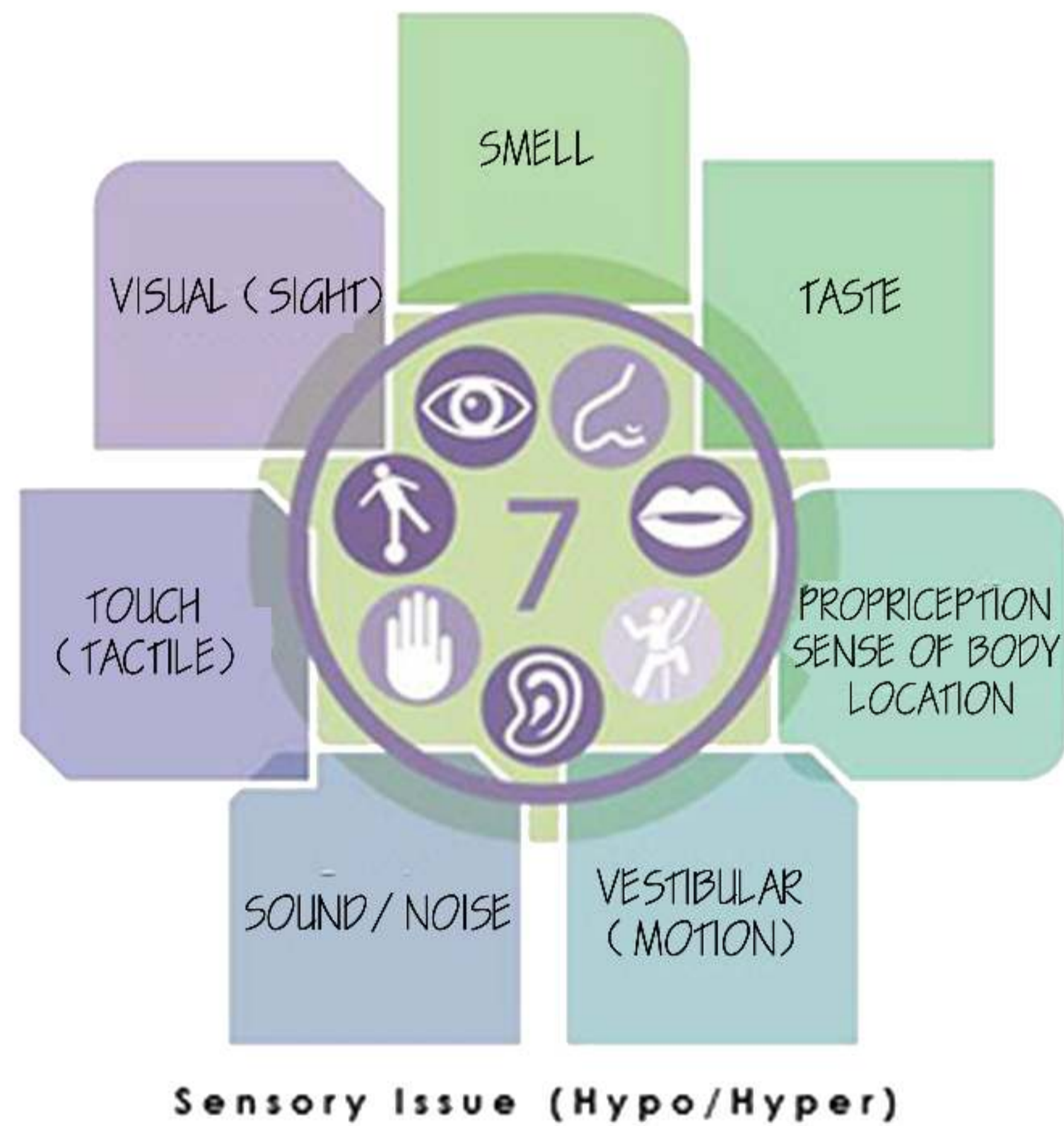


HOPE : CENTRE FOR AUTISM

The project creates spaces that offer programs specialised for children with autism. The strategy used for designing this project revolves around spatial sequencing , color , way finding , interactive spaces.



WHAT IS AUTISM ?



Autism spectrum disorder is a **Developmental disability** that can cause significant **social , Communication and behavioral challenges**.

The learning , thinking , problem solving capabilities can range from gifted to severally challenged



AUTISM IN FAMOUS BOLLYWOOD MOVIES

AUTISM SPECTRIUM DISORDER BEHAVIOUR

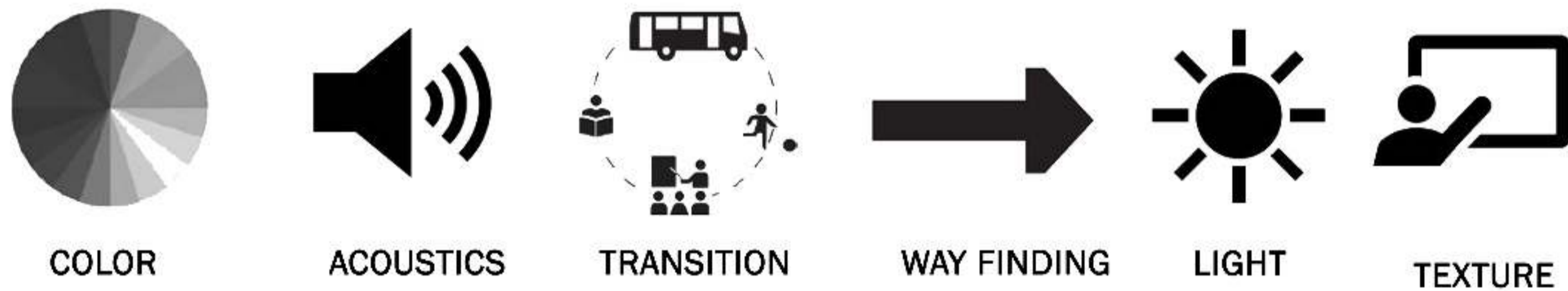
- Difficulties in social interaction, communication, emotion & imagination
- Sensory Abnormalities
- Repetitive Behavior

Persons with autism may posses the following characteristics in various combinations and in varying degrees of severity.

- Inappropriate laughing or giggling
- No real fear of danger
- Apparent insensity to pain
- May not want cuddling
- Sustained unusual or repetitive play; Uneven physical or verbal skills
- May avoid eye contact
- May prefer to be alone
- Difficulty in expressing needs; may use gestures
- Inappropriate attachment to objects
- Insistence on sameness
- Echoes words or phrases
- Inappropriate response or no response to sound
- Spins objects or self
- Difficulty in interacting with others

WHAT ARE THE CHALLENGES?

- No specific standards laid down anywhere for Autism or developmental disability



- The expression of space as an individual's experience

TARGET USERS



ASD KIDS
(4-12 YEARS)



CARE GIVERS



TEACHERS

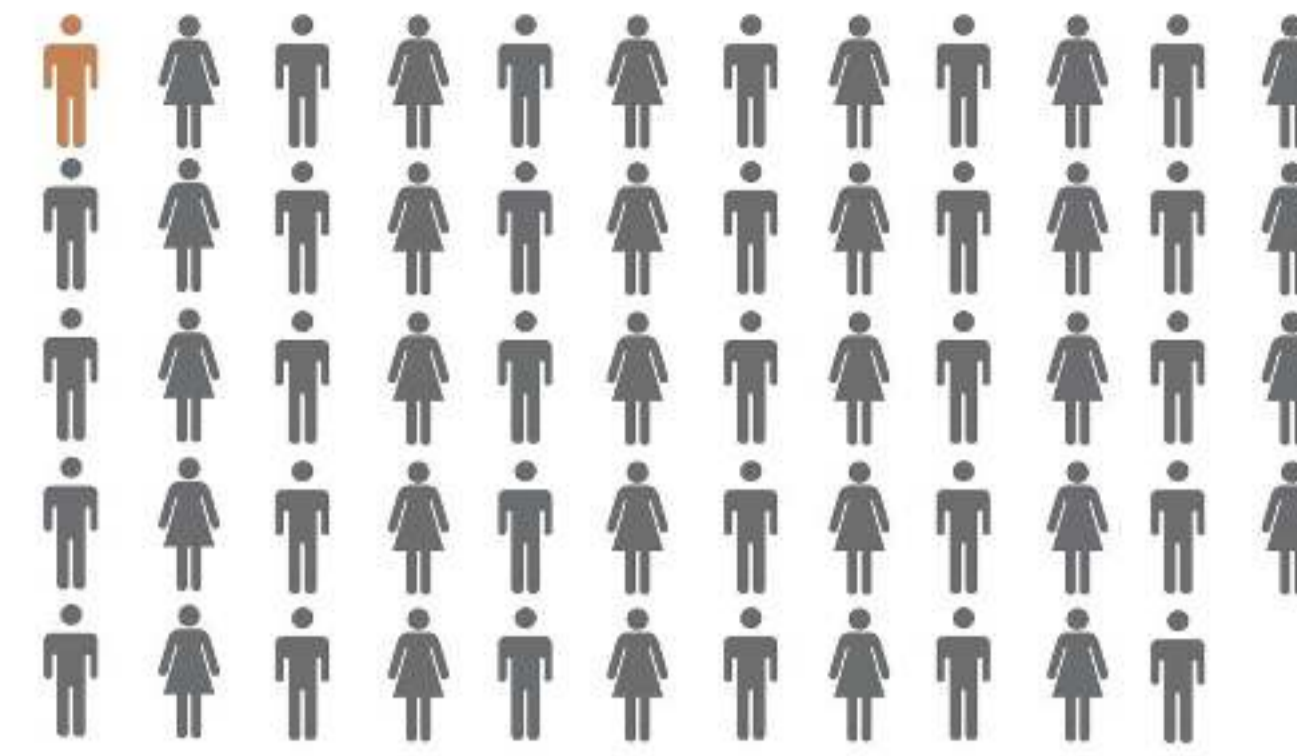


PARENTS

NEED FOR THE PROJECT

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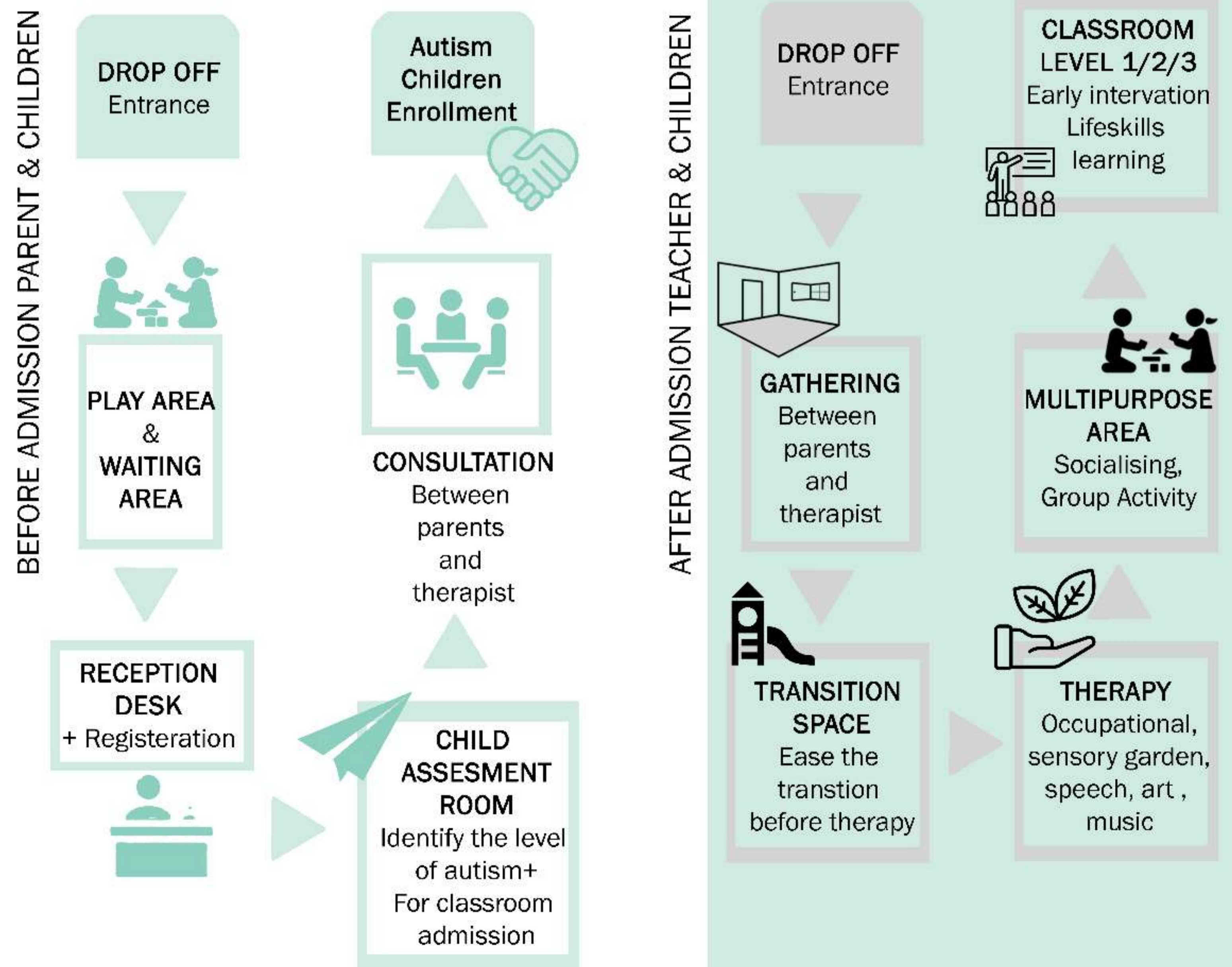
In addition to providing a **learning and vocational centre** under a therapeutic centre supervision, the centre will also provide **respite service for ASD**.



1 in 59 children were diagnosed with ASD in 2014 as reported by the CDC

- Design guidelines for barrier free architecture but **no specific references for developmental disorders** or even autism.
- Pointed out that individuals with developmental and psychosocial disorders, of which **autism is one, have been overlooked.**

FUNCTIONAL REQUIREMENTS



SITE ANALYSIS

SITE LOCATION

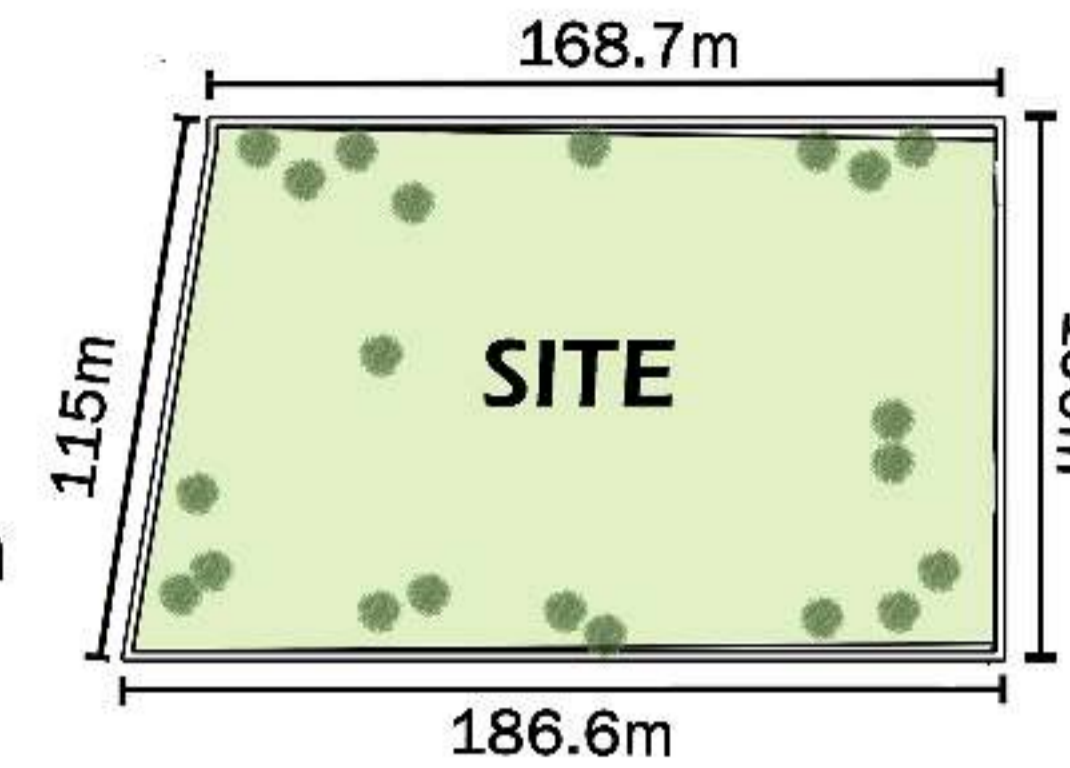
INDIA



ABOUT THE PROJECT

- PROJECT NAME : Hope Autism Center
- TYPE OF BUILDING : institutional
- LOCATION : Pushp vihar,saket
- SITE AREA : 4.5 acre i.e 18210.9 sq m
- PERMISSIBLE FAR : 1.2
- PERMISSIBLE G.C : 50%

SITE DIMENSIONS



SITE SURROUNDINGS



1. AMITY SCHOOL



2. NATYA TARAGINI



3. GOVT HOUSING



4. METRO ENCLAVE



5. ANDHRA SCHOOL



6. SAKET COURT



7. SHEIKH SARAI

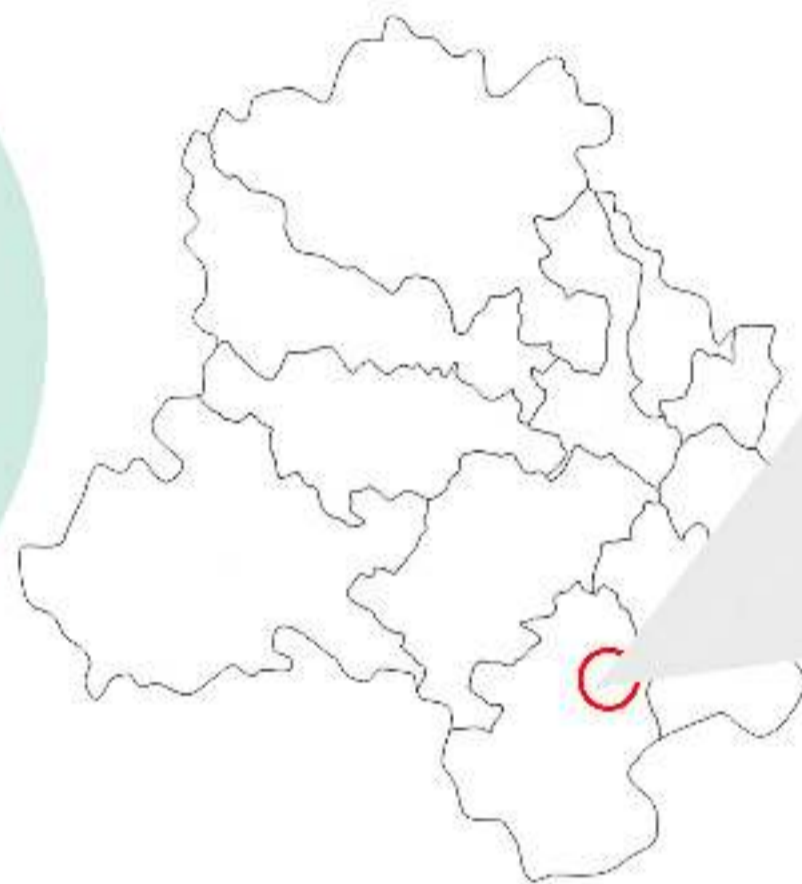
WHY THIS SITE?

- SIZE : Large enough to support the functional requirement of programs.
- LOCATION ; Children with autism have sensory issues thus the context minimizes the noise pollution here.

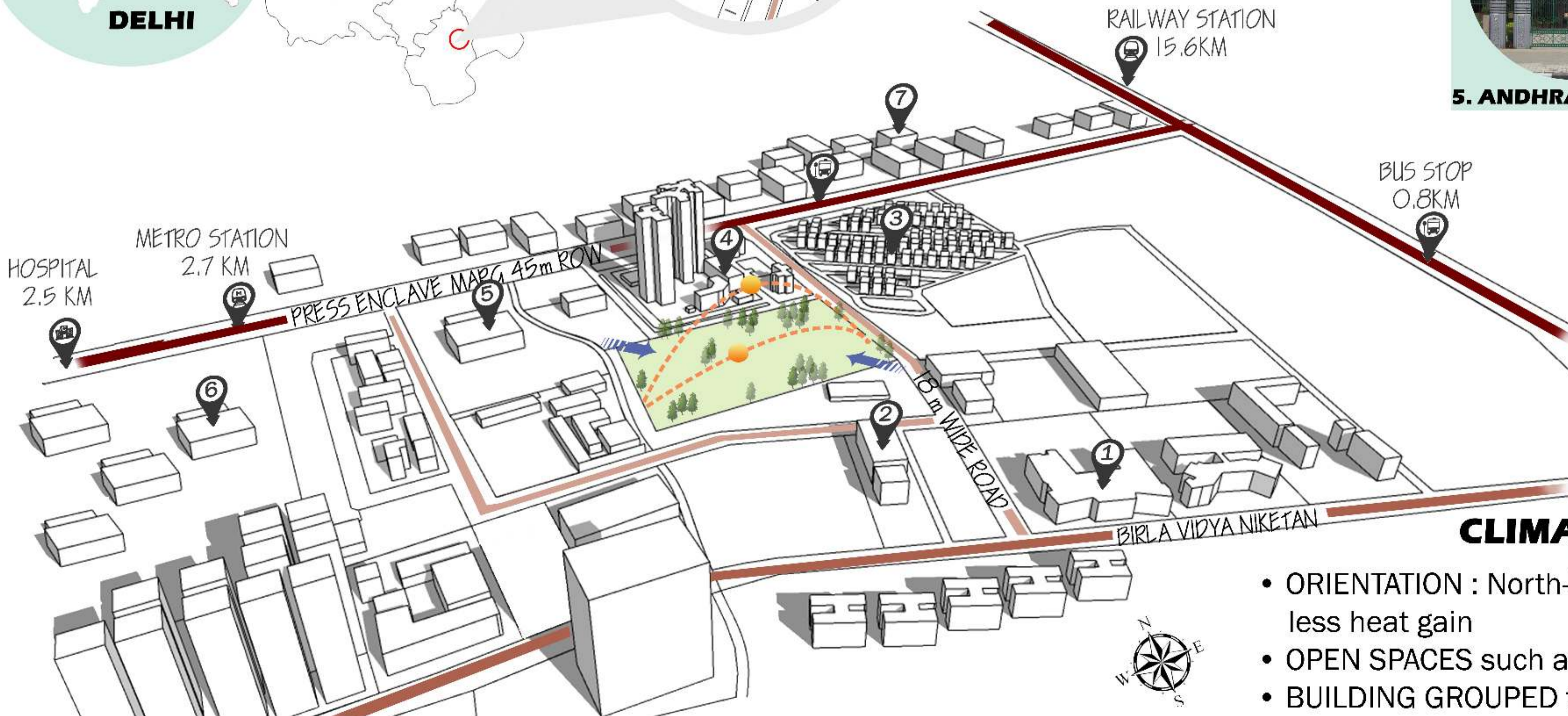
CITY BASE MAP



DELHI



SITE CONTEXT, CONNECTIVITY AND ACCESSIBILITY DIAGRAM

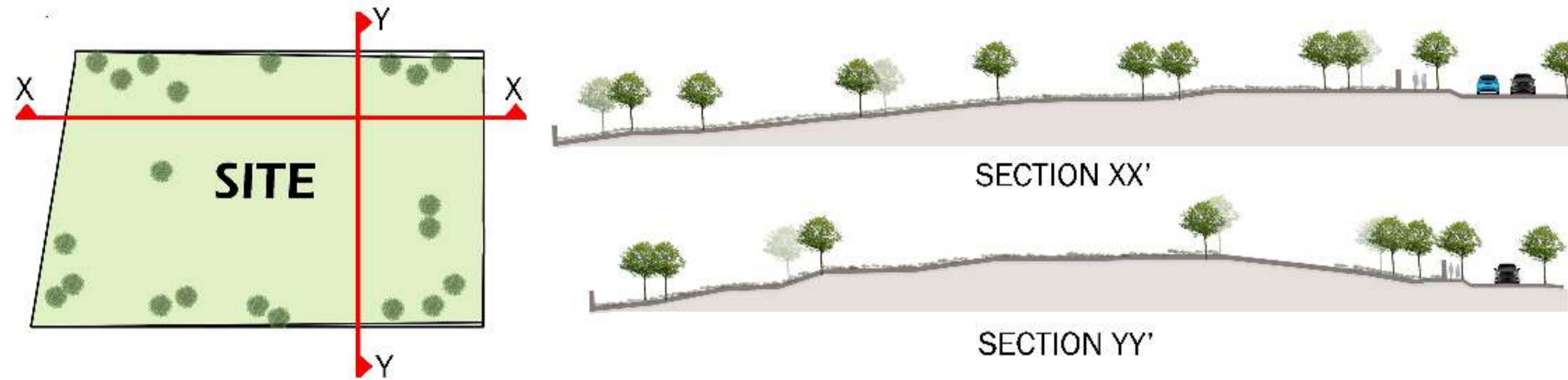


CLIMATE ANALYSIS

- ORIENTATION : North-East & South-West direction , less heat gain
- OPEN SPACES such as courtyard are beneficial.
- BUILDING GROUPED to take advantage of winds

SITE ANALYSIS

SITE TOPOGRAPHY & VEGETATION



- The site is not flat, it has a slope from east towards west
- There is mild vegetation on the site with a few trees and unmanicured shrubs.
- Use of existing trees for sensory garden spaces, vocational training etc



NEEM



INDIAN MAHAGONY



CURRY



PEEPAL

BUILDING BYE LAWS

PERMISSIBLE AREA
 Ground Coverage
 50% of Site Area
 = 9105.45 sq m
 F.A.R = 1.2
 FAR Area = 21853 sq m
 Building Ht. = 18m
 ECS = 1.33 / 100 sq m



18M WIDE ROAD



24M WIDE ROAD



INSIDE SITE TREES



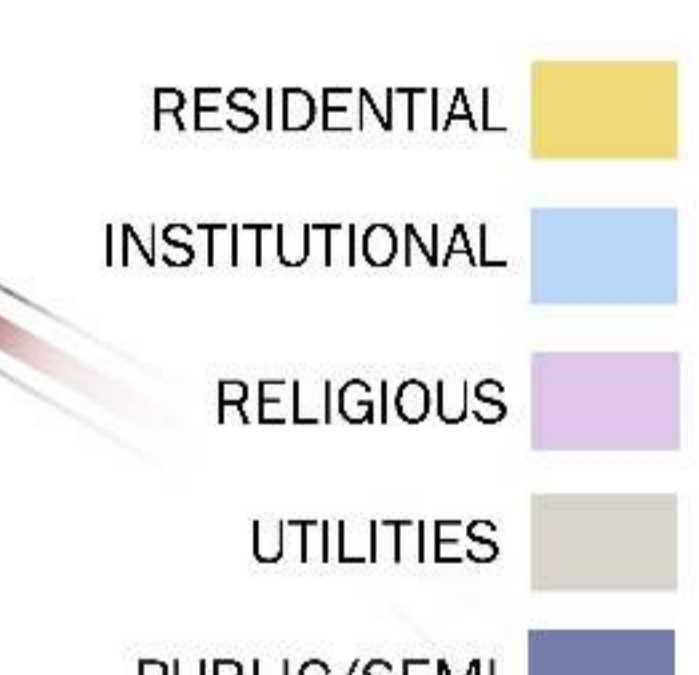
SHRUBS INSIDE SITE



PEDESTRIAN PATH

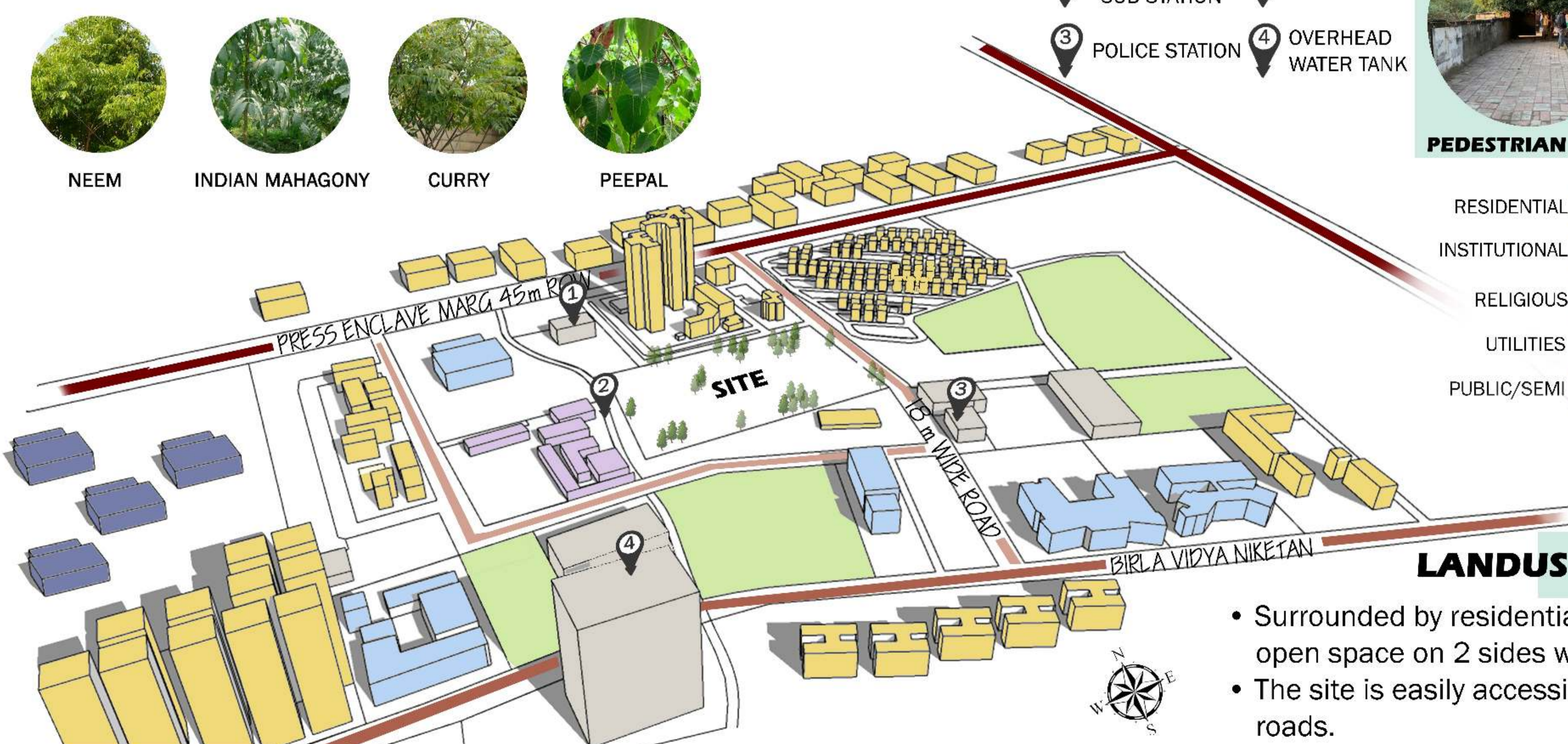


EXISTING SITE ENTRY



9M WIDE ROAD

- 1 ELECTRICITY SUB STATION
- 2 DRAIN
- 3 POLICE STATION
- 4 OVERHEAD WATER TANK



LANDUSE ANALYSIS

- Surrounded by residential, institutional, green open space on 2 sides which is a positive sign.
- The site is easily accessible from two important roads.

SITE SECTIONS

SITE VEGETATIONS

SITE SURROUNDING LANDUSE

SITE PHOTOS

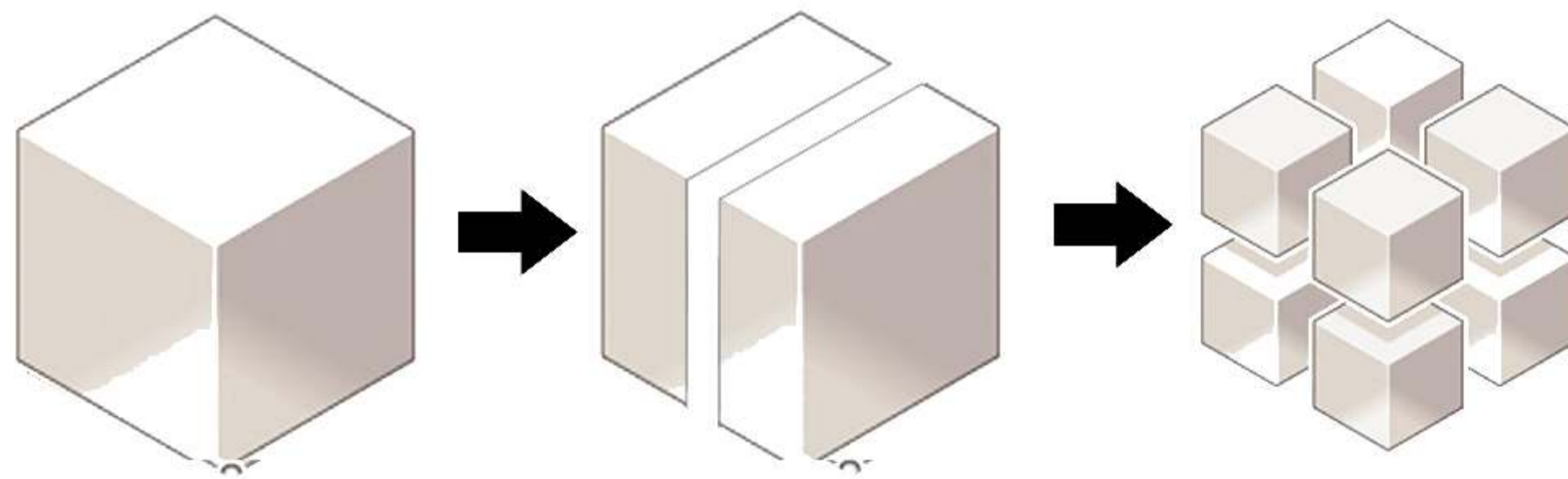
CONCEPTUAL DEVELOPMENT



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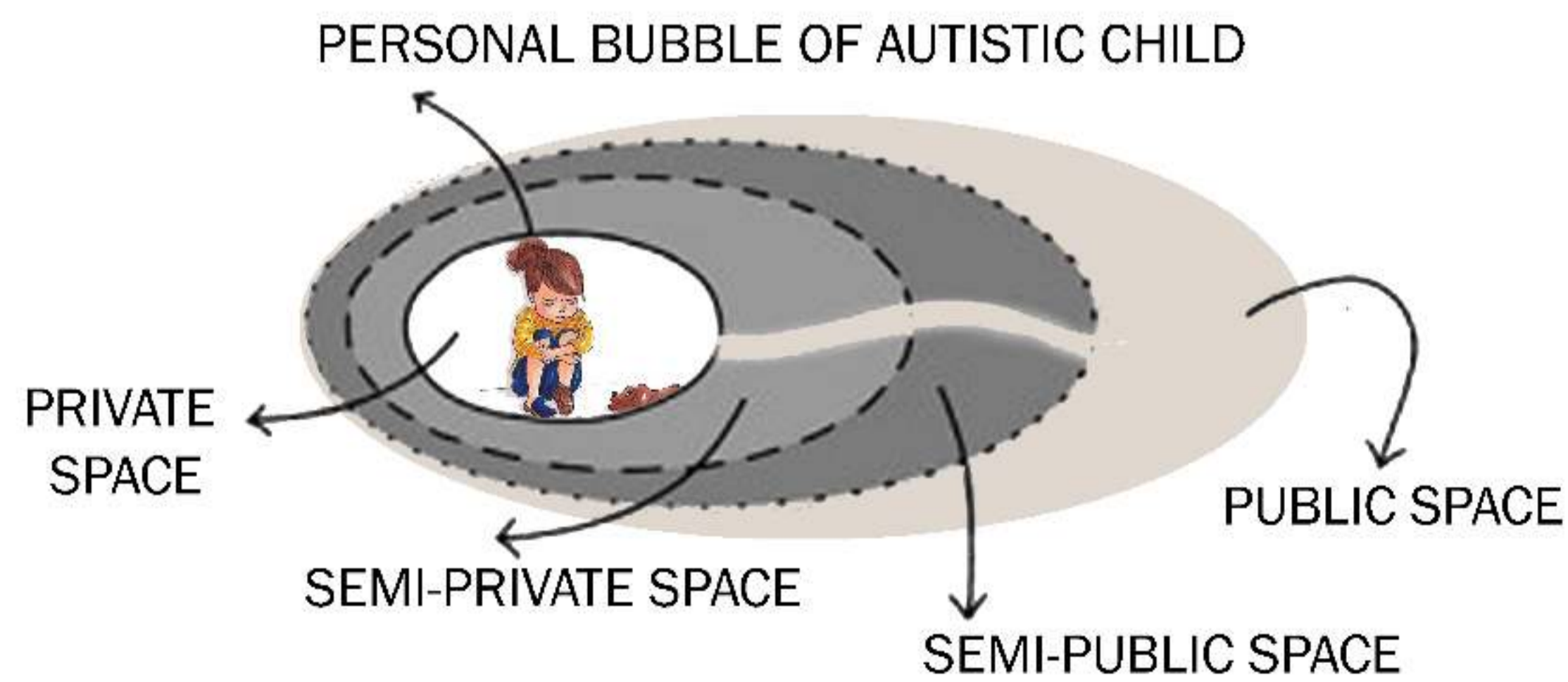
They live in a closed world and they are not willing to come out of it.

Its like they live in a box



They live in a cube and our main goal is to bring them out of it. This cube must be broken to access the real world

THE IDEA



The purpose of this design is to **remove children from their private environment** and to prepare them to enter into the community.

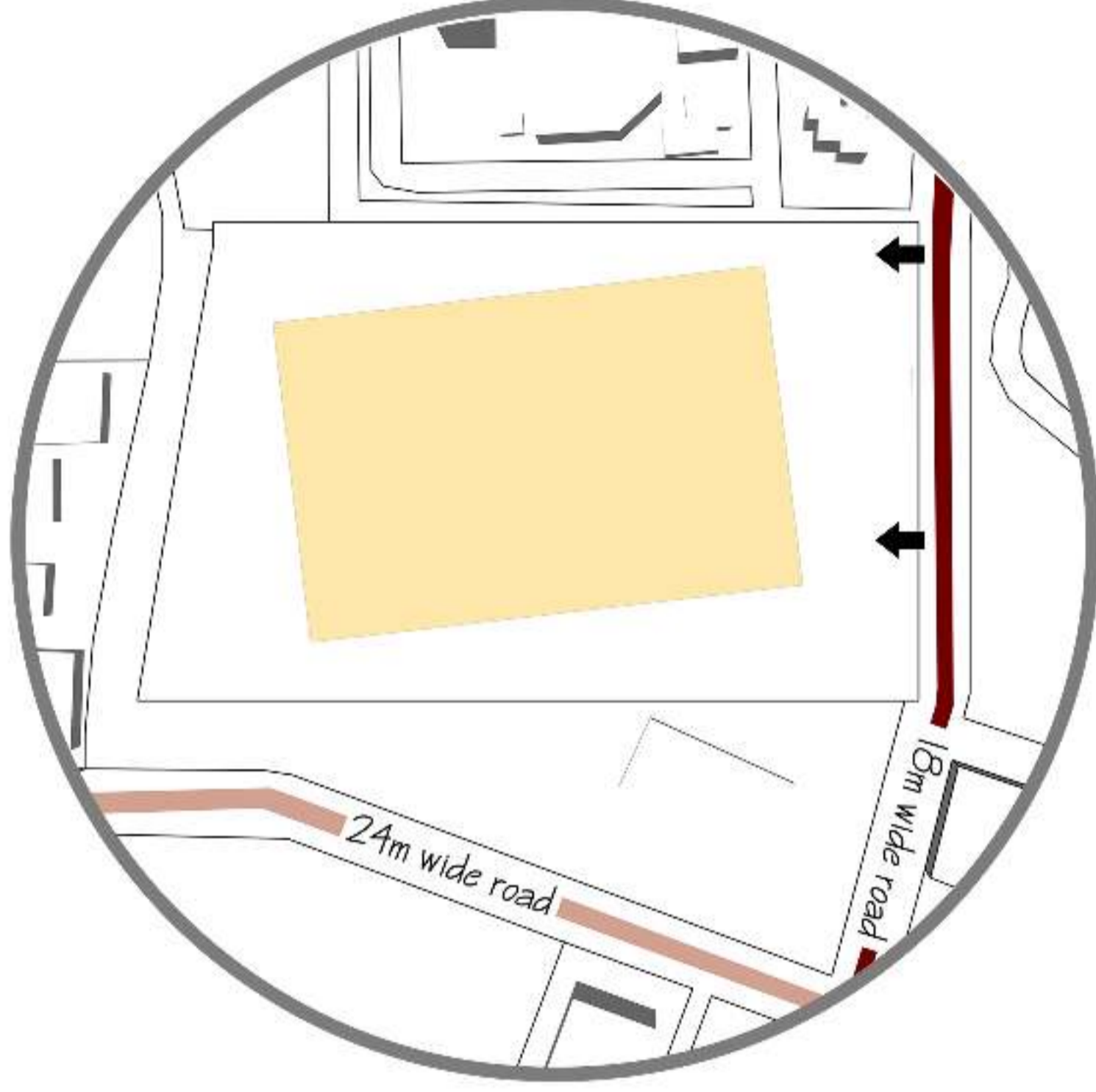
1) SENSORY REACH	PAVING PATTERN	LANDMARK	VIEW CORRIDOR	INFO GRAPHICS
2) SIGHT	ARCHITECTURAL LIGHTING	INDIRECT LIGHT	REFLECTED LIGHT	DIFFUSED LIGHT
3) TRANSPARENT	ELEVATED VANTAGE	CURVED WALLS	GLASS FACADES	CLEAR SIGHT ZONE
4) MOBILITY	PEDESTRIAN CROSSINGS	TRANSITIONS TEXTURE	WAITING ZONE	SHORTNED CROSSING
5) ACOUSTICS	GREEN WALL	SOFT GROUND PLANE	TEXTURED WALL	GREEN BUFFER

CONCEPTUAL DEVELOPMENT

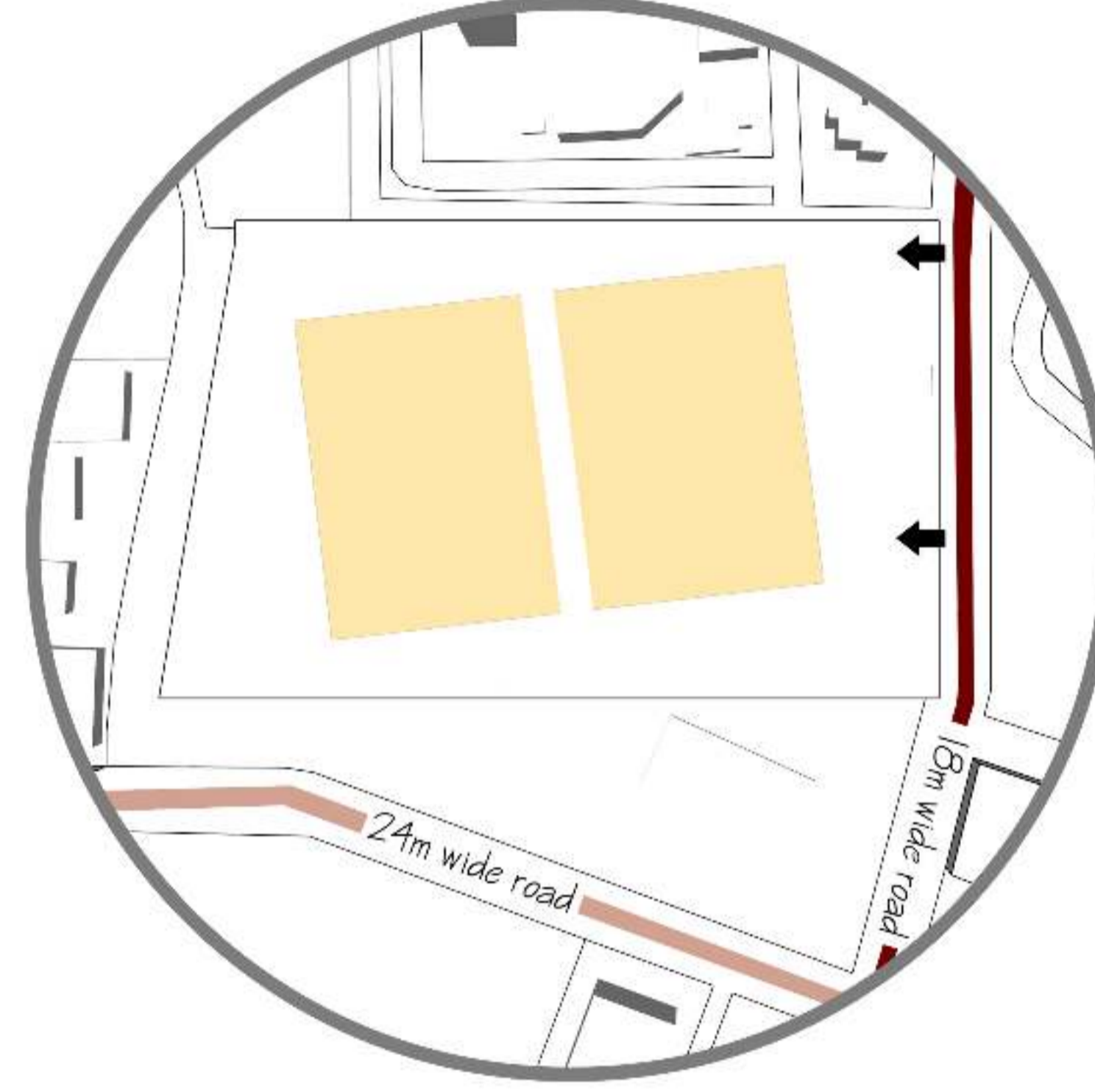


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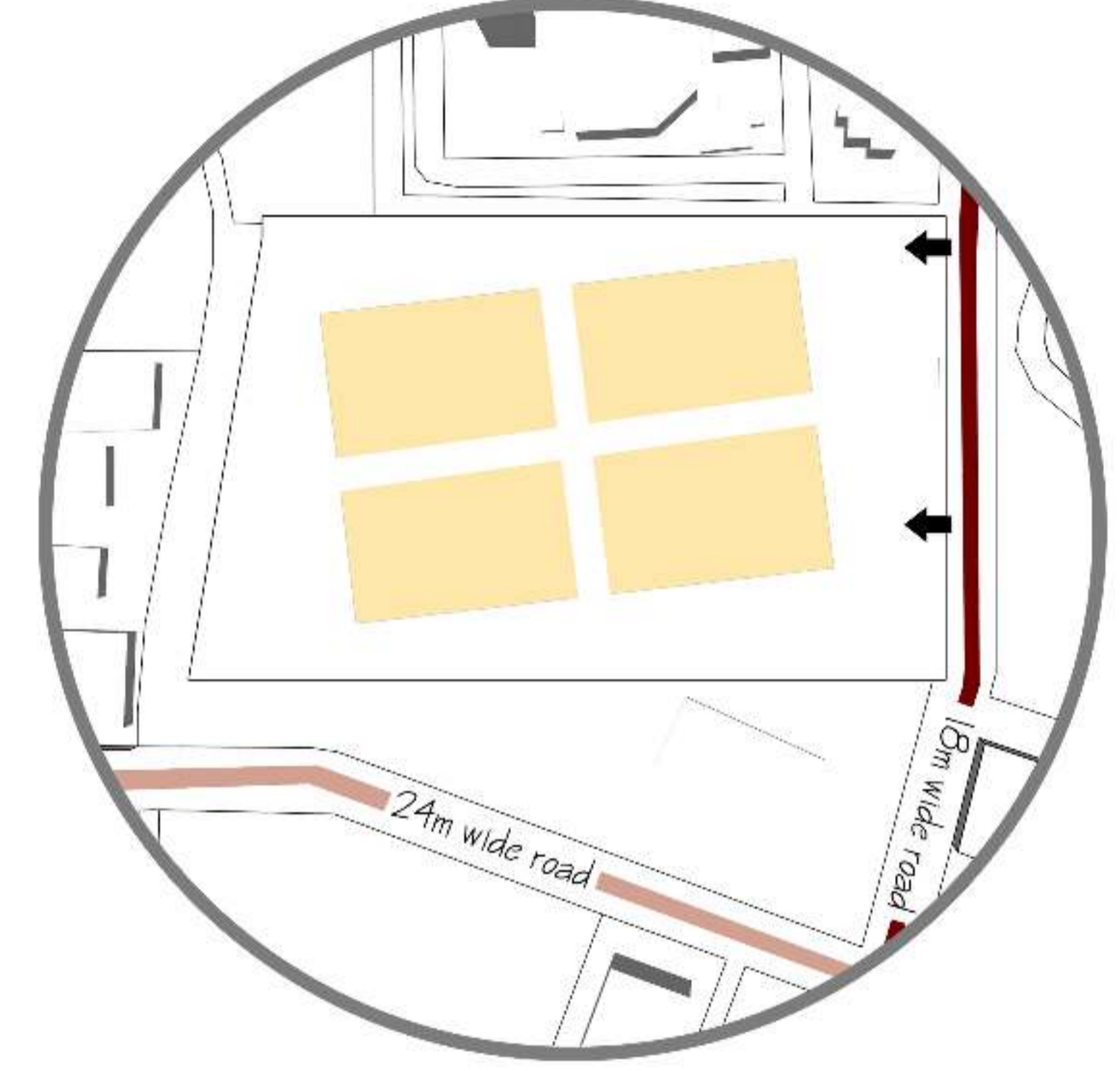
ORIENTING BUILDING BLOCK AS PER CLIMATE ANALYSIS



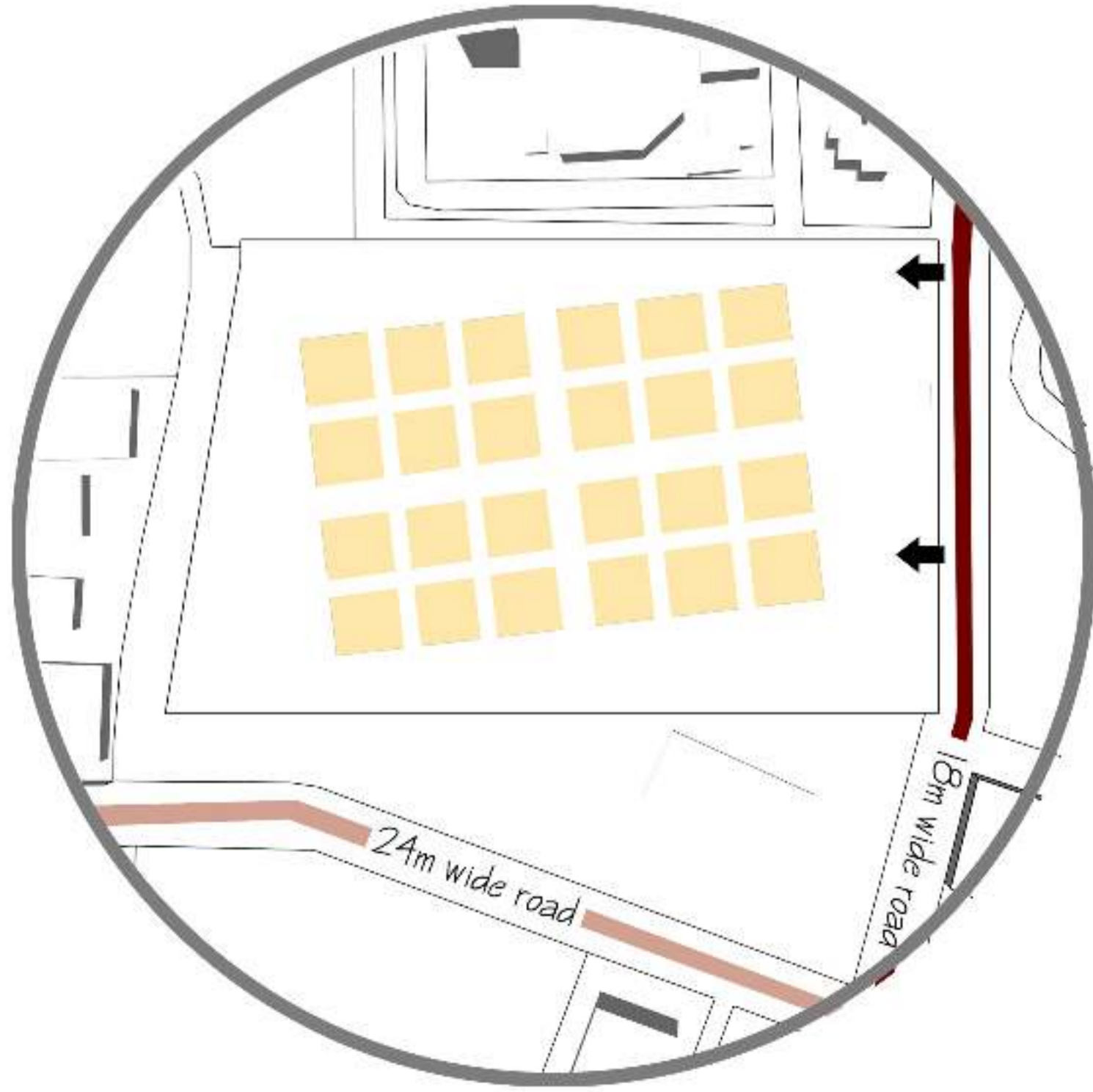
DIVIDING THE BLOCK INTO TWO PARTS



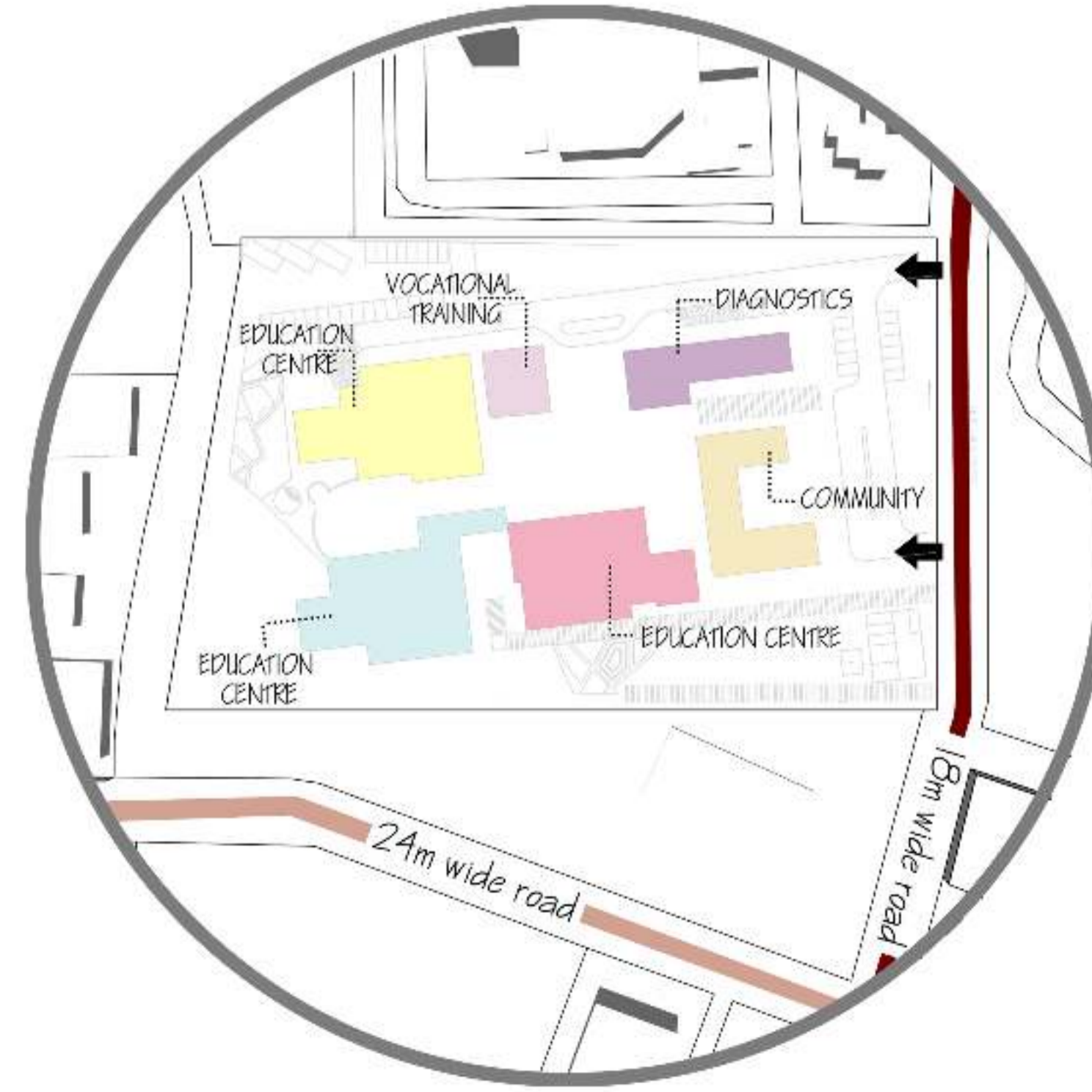
FURTHER DIVIDING BLOCKS TO CREATE SPACES



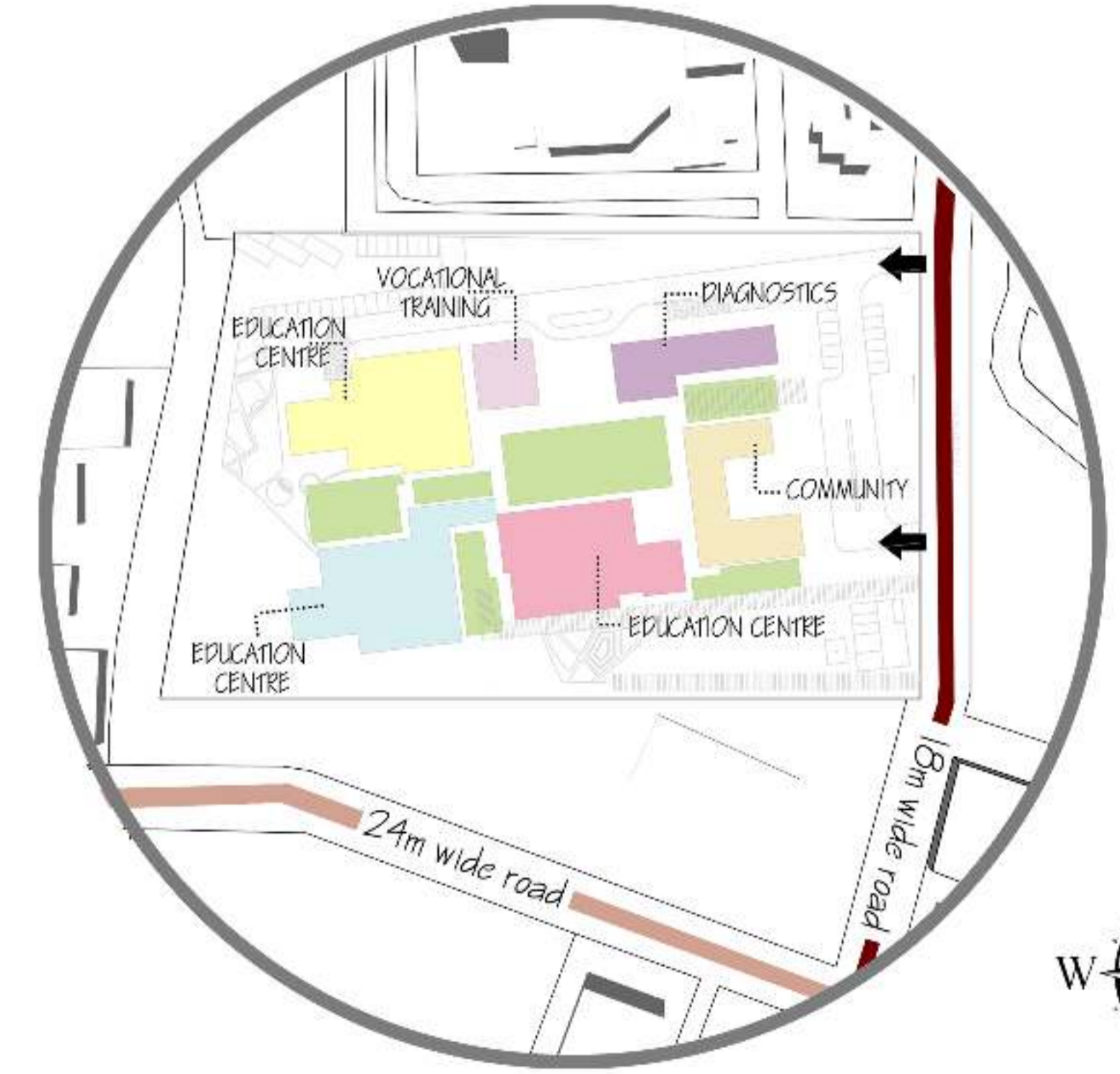
FORMATION OF MULTIPLE SPACES THROUGH DIVIDING



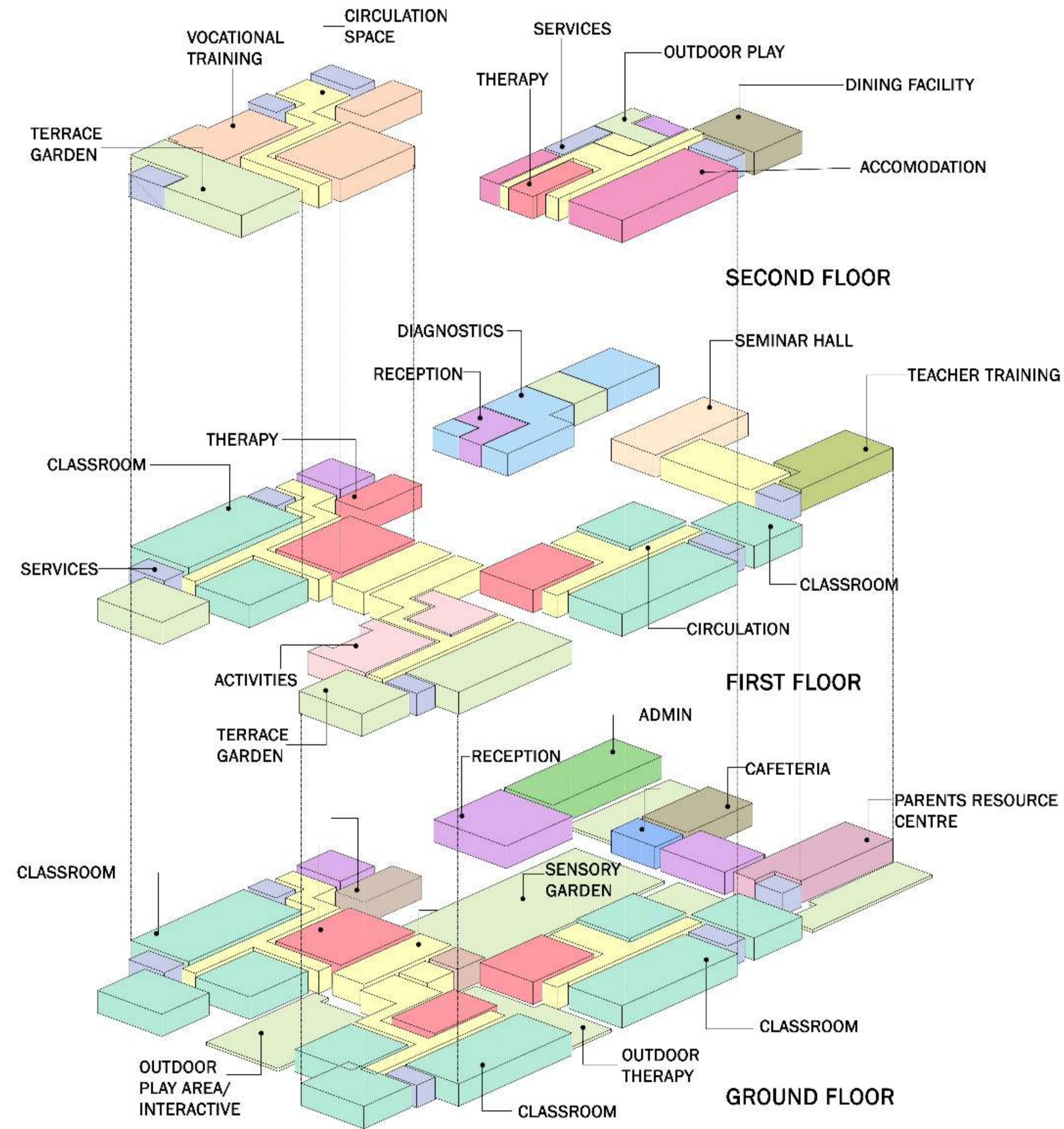
ADJUSTING BLOCKS TO CREATE OPEN SPACES B/W THEM



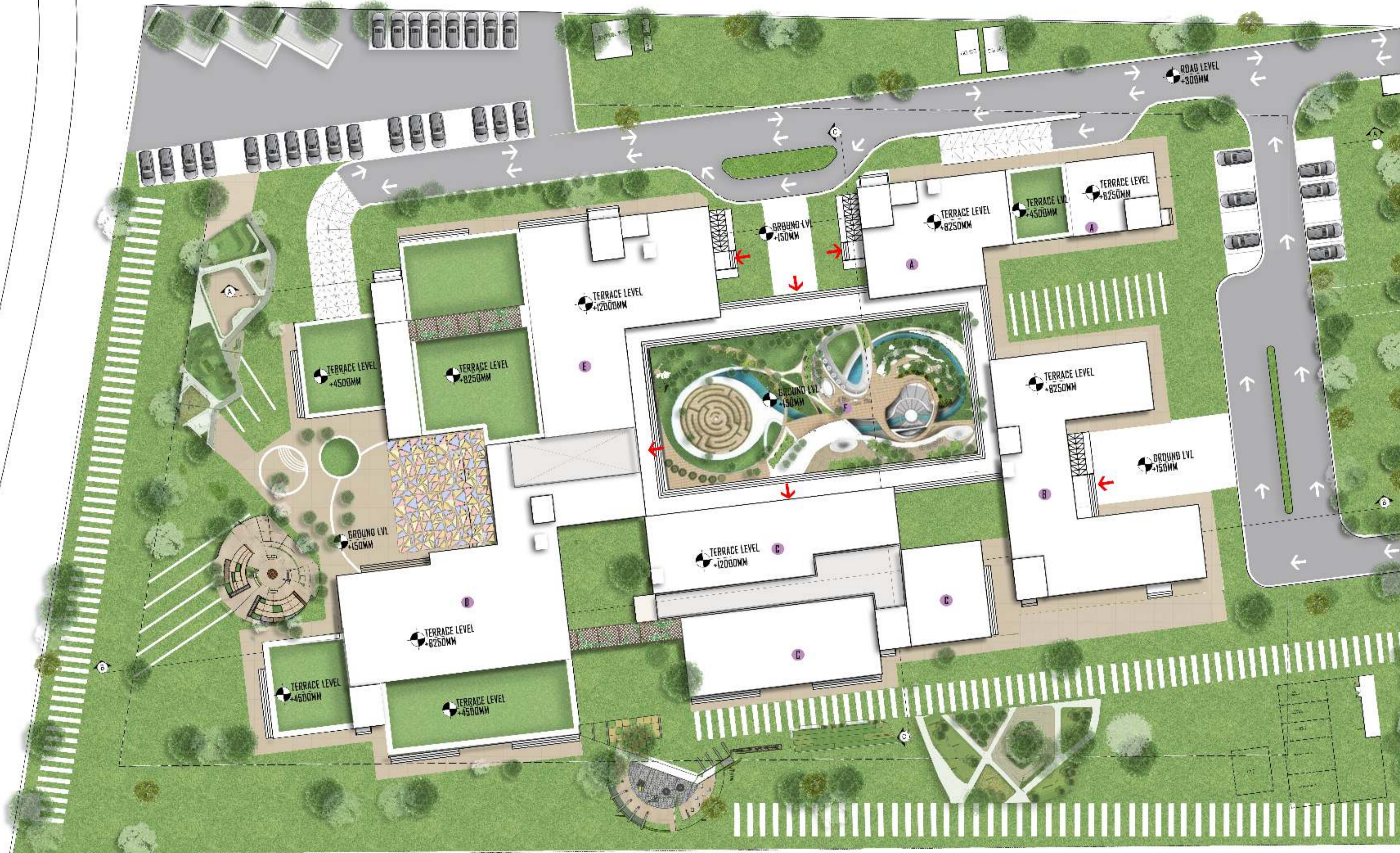
ADDITION OF OPEN SPACES/ TRANSITION SPACES



VERTICAL ZONING



SITE PLAN



DIAGNOSTICS/
EDUCATION CENTRE/
ADMIN ENTRY

18 M WIDE ROAD

COMMUNITY/
VISITORS
ENTRY

- A** ADMIN & DIAGNOSTICS
- B** COMMUNITY BLOCK
- C** EDUCATION CENTRE: LEVEL 2 AUTISM
- D** EDUCATION CENTRE: LEVEL 1 AUTISM
- E** VOCATIONAL CENTRE
EDUCATION CENTRE: LEVEL 3 AUTISM
- F** SENSORY GARDEN

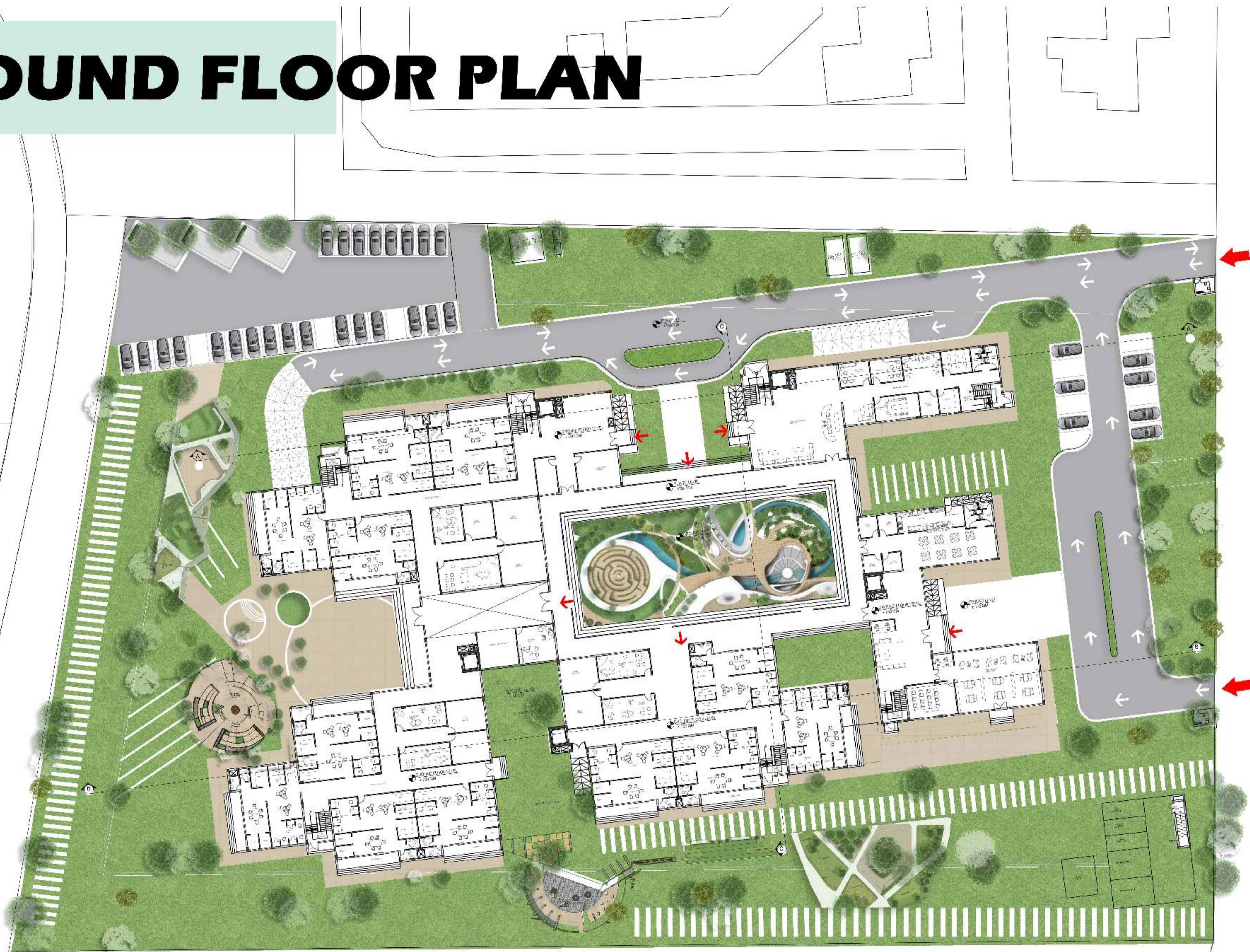


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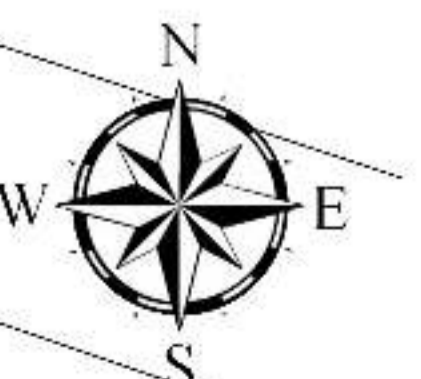
3D VIEWS



GROUND FLOOR PLAN



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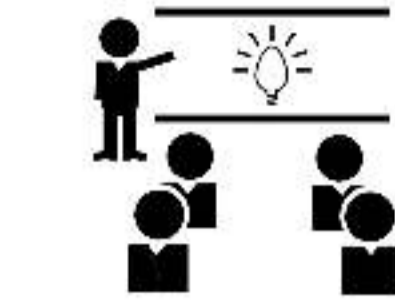


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CLASSROOM



ACTIVITIES



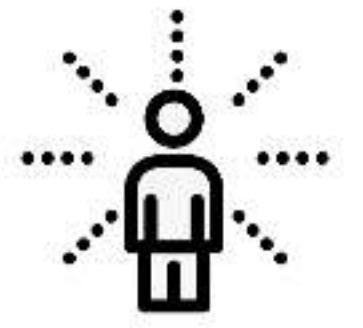
LEARNING



GROUP



INTERACTIVE PLAY

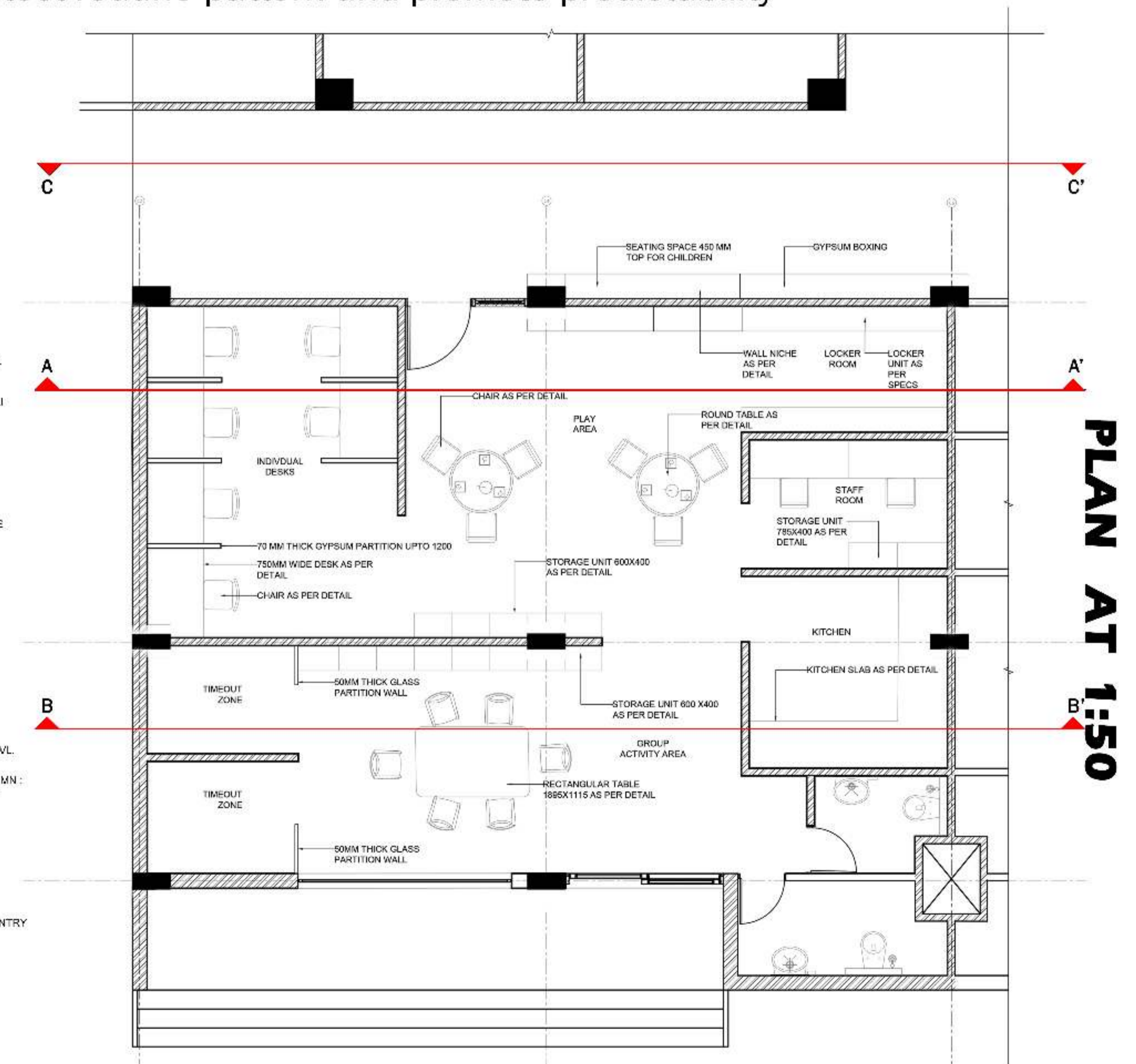
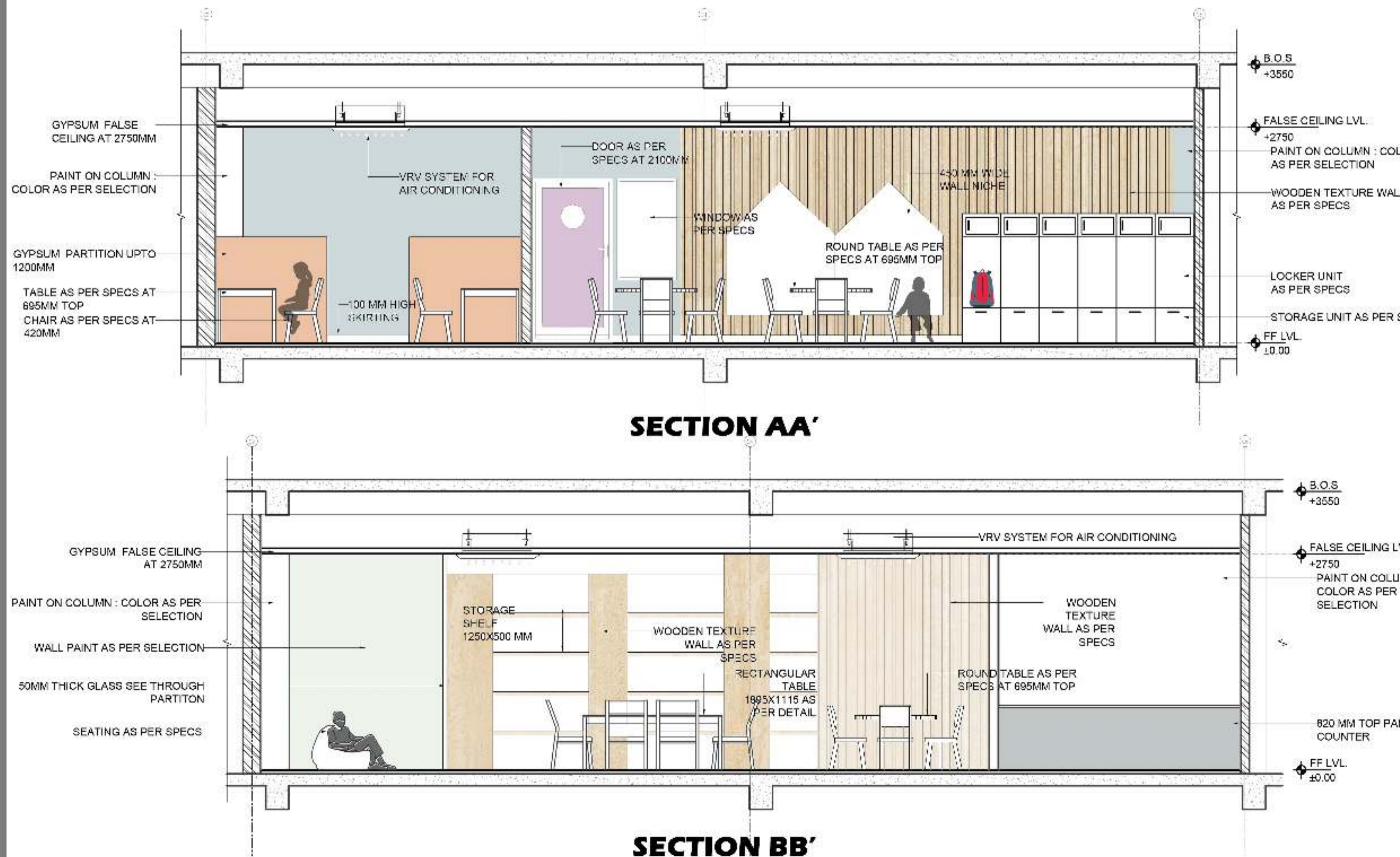


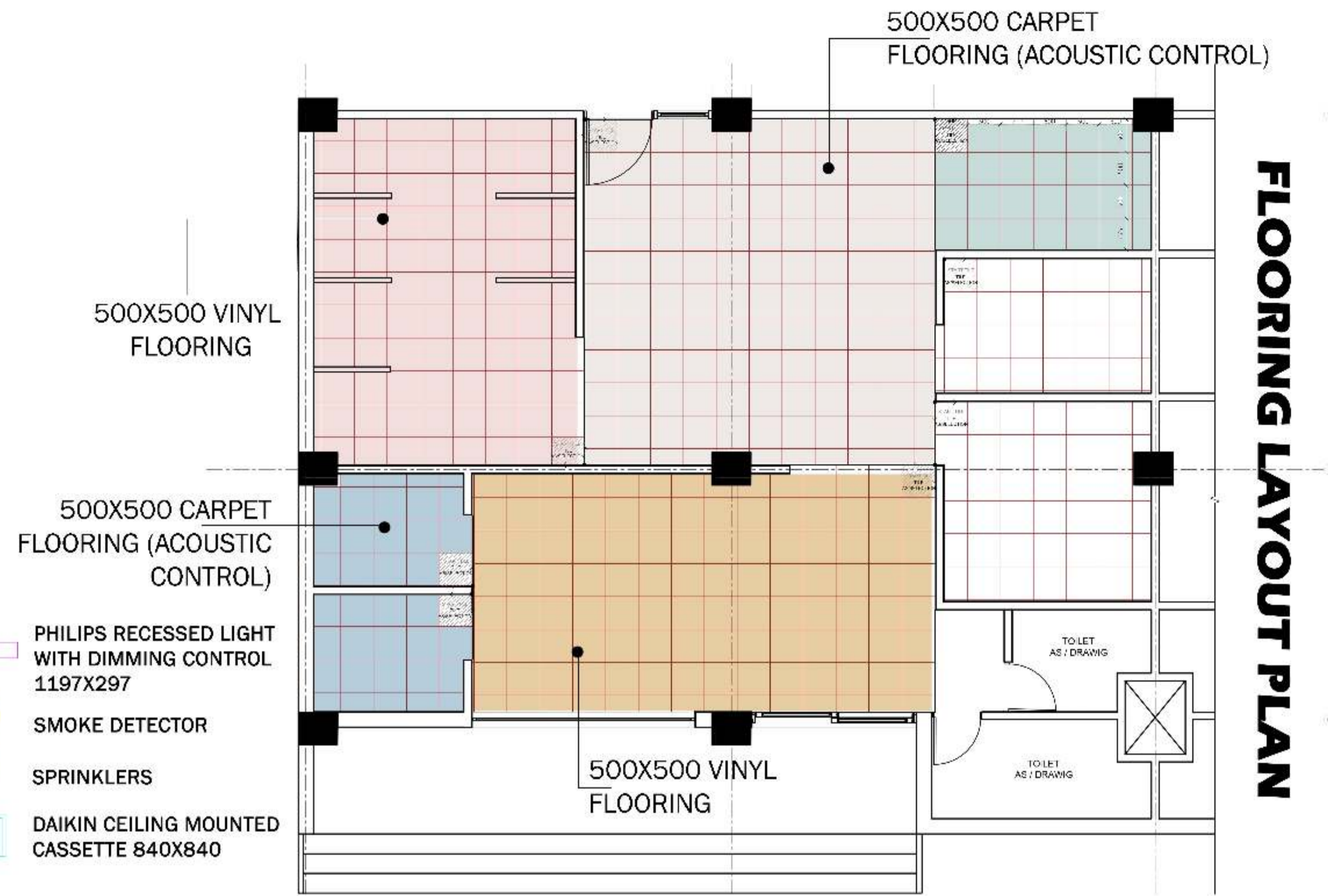
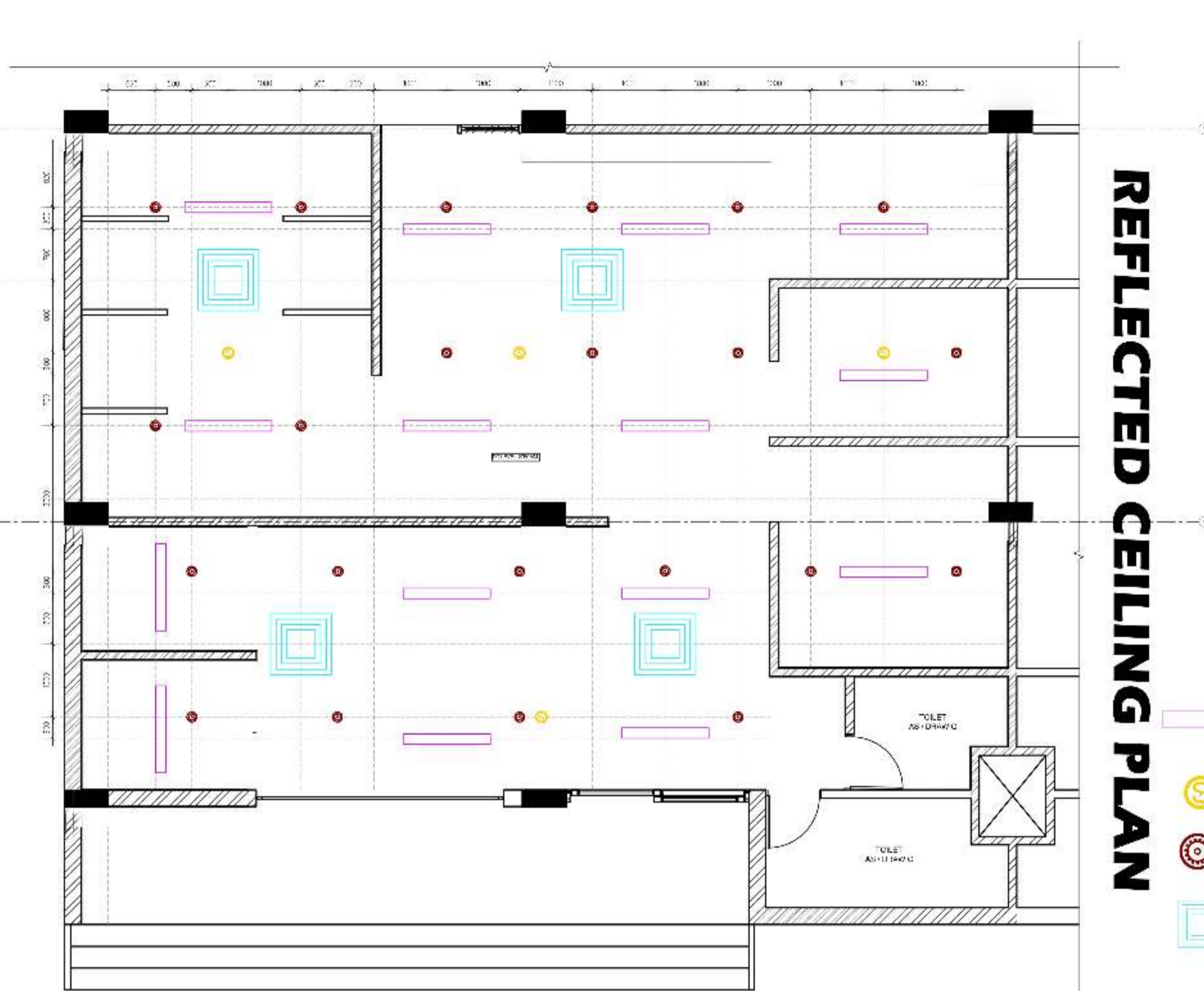
SENSORY

SPATIAL SEQUENCING

Zones in classroom are divided on the basis of their functions i.e high focus and low focus areas.

The different activities within the classroom also helps them to associate an activity with specific zone which will ease the transitions b/w activities, protect routine pattern and promote predictability





NOTE : DIFFERENT COLOR IN FLOORING HAVE BEEN DONE SO AS TO DIFFERENTIATE ONE SPACE FROM ANOTHER AND HELP IN EASY WAY FINDING

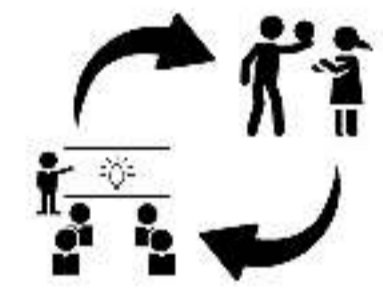
CORRIDOR



SPATIAL IDEOLOGY

Widened corridor to create meandering main street presence filled with special features to encourage spontaneous learning opportunities

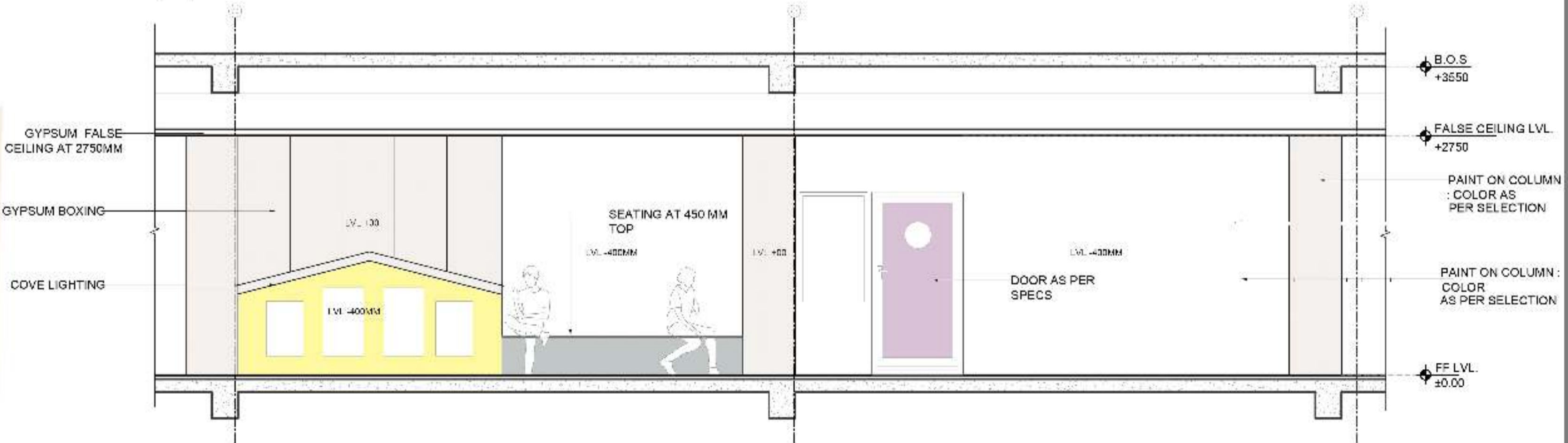
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TRANSITION AREA



INTERACTIVE PLAY



ELEVATIONS



SOUTH ELEVATION

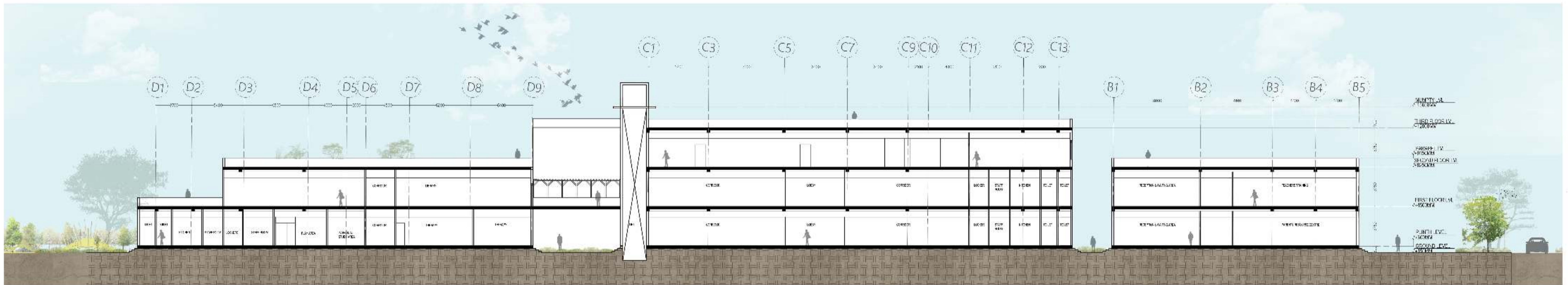


NORTH ELEVATION

SECTIONS



SECTION AA'



SECTION BB'



SECTION CC'

SCALE 1:200

3D VIEWS



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