



Our Success Story

Creation of a bespoke ICT Hub to transform and inspire learning

“ Our research had shown us that while many of our children were technically very adept at using iPads and other similar devices, a surprising number had lost some really important computer skills. Since creating a discrete ICT room we have seen both pupils and staff showing great enthusiasm and pleasure at having a designated space where they can experience both ICT lessons as well as creative cross-curricular learning. Having fast, reliable PCs with one per child (as well as iPads) is allowing teachers to make the most of their time in The Hub and for the children to learn more than they ever have in the past. We wish we could have done this years ago! ”



► Summary

Archbishop Benson is a very happy and successful school built within a large, attractive site overlooking the City of Truro. It is a mainstream state school which caters for pupils from the ages of 4 to 11 years old, with over 420 on the register.

The school established a clear classroom space in order to build a new ICT Suite which could optimise the use of ICT for all pupils. They wanted to extend use of the ICT hub so it was available to more pupils throughout the school day and also for extra curricular activities. In addition, hardware needed to be upgraded and more desktops were required.

NCI's team of engineers have established a strong reputation in designing and installing bespoke ICT suites, not only in local, UK schools but as far afield as the Falkland Islands and the Philippines.

Austen Banks
ICT Network Manager

The Technologies

Computer Aided Design:
room layout

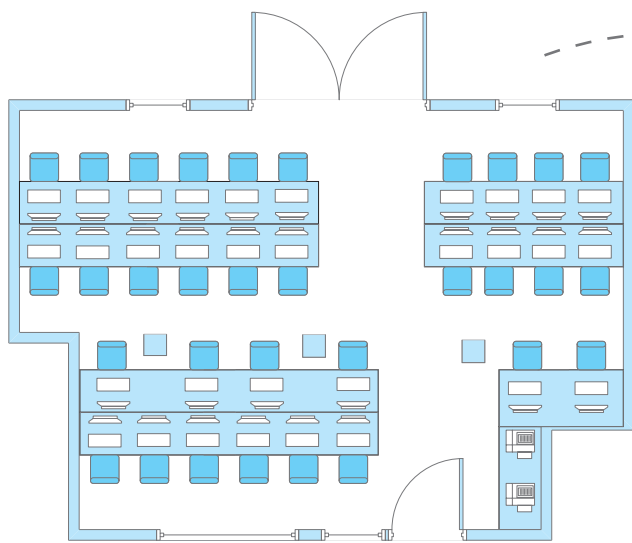
Custom built ergonomically
crafted wooden desks

Dell Optiplex All-in-one
Desktop PC systems with
monitors

How NCI transformed the ICT Hub at Archbishop Benson School:

The team surveyed and measured the room in order to design the best layout to maximise the use of space. They aimed to create a child-friendly learning environment that is safe, robust and facilitates effective teaching and support.

The desks were custom built and ergonomically crafted with curved, bevelled edges for ultimate safety and comfort. The suite is designed for the efficient and neat installation of hardware, minimising the impact of trailing cables with dado trunking and the latest compact Dell 'all-in-one' desktop PC's and monitors.



THE HUB



'THE HUB' from concept
to completion!



Cloud
Services



IT Support
Contract



Security



On-site
Installation



BDR



Broadband



Telephone
Systems



IT
Procurement

NCI was founded in February 2004, by Directors Andy Trish, Chris Penrose and John Andrew, with a vision to provide great IT support to the local community. Over the last decade, the company has grown considerably and is now a 30 strong team of passionate and dedicated professionals delivering IT solutions to businesses and schools across the UK.

NCI continually strive to improve their services and increase customer satisfaction. Years of experience working closely with small and medium sized businesses and schools have led NCI to develop products and services that empower their customers to progress and lead the way.

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