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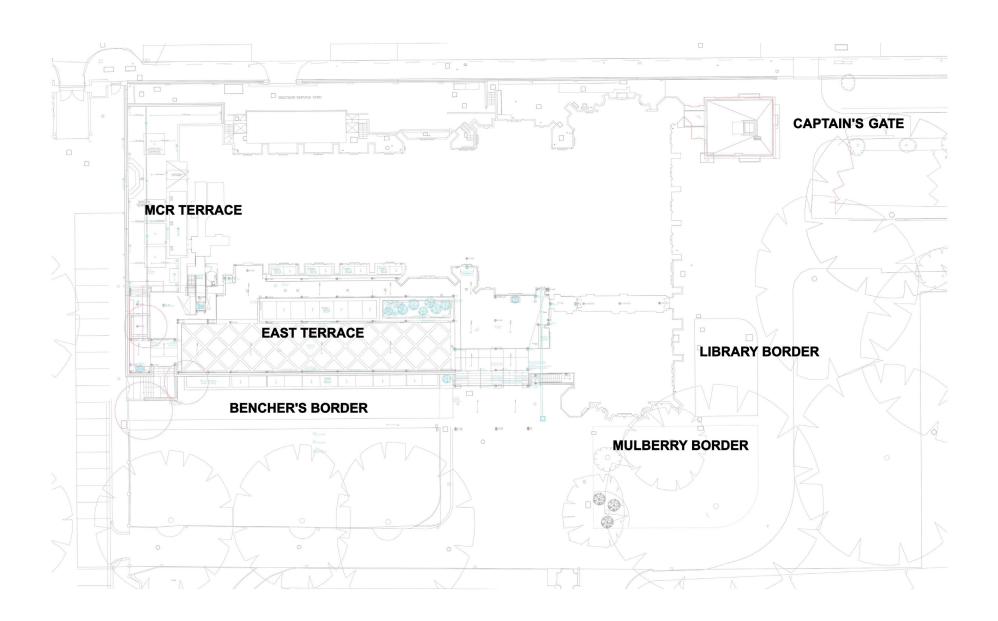
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# Location Plan



#### Bencher's Border

### Planting Design Intention.

The border to be framed by a 1.2 metre, double staggered, English yew hedge concealing the grille to the south end of the border. Seven 1.8m tall English yew cones are aligned to the architectural detail of the Great hall and placed on the central axis of the tower to the north end of the border.

The border is 47m x 3.8m. The herbaceous perennial and grasses planting scheme within the evergreen structure is designed to create interest through the seasons. Once the dead flower heads and grasses that give interest through the winter are cut back in February and March, the Tulips and peonies will provide the first colour along with fresh green foliage and followed by the early day lily, and Irises. Euphorbia, ferns and foxgloves play a role before the daisies and roses emerge. Towards mid to late summer a bolder display of monbretias, red hot pokers and grasses come into flower.

The perennials are arranged in two groups alternating along the border. A number of complimentary plants are used in both groups to link the planting together. The shady corners evergreen ferns are planted to soften and give interest. Shrub roses, peonies and irises in pastel shades are formally arranged on the south end of the border between the yew buttresses.

The flower colours range is predominantly pastel shades in the yellow orange and red spectrum. Stronger tones are used selectively in bursts through the seasons. The grass foliage and flower seed heads have been selected to provide autumn and winter interest.

The tallest and longest flowering plants are distributed evenly and set out to weave between the yew cones along the border.

# Planning References.

With reference to planning application no:

Application 2 2015/4402/P & 2015/4500/L 2015/4402/P condition 6 - replacement tree 2015/4402/P condition 9 - hard and soft landscape works

Application 3 2015/4404/P & 2015/4498/L 2015/4404/P condition 7 - replacement tree 2015/4404/P condition 10 - hard and soft landscape details 2015/4404/P condition 11 - hard and soft landscape works

Application 4 2015/4408/P & 2015/4541/L 2015/4408/P condition 7 - green wall 2015/4408/P condition 10 - hard and soft landscape details 2015/4408/P condition 11 - hard and soft landscape works

With reference to the Landscape Habitat Management Plan:

Chapter 3 Habitat Management Plan 3.1 Bird boxes; 3.2 Bat boxes 3.3 Native landscape planting Chapter 4 Additional Measures Additional measure no. 4 - Creation of new habitat





# Mulberry Lawn and Library Border

### Planting Design Intention.

This is a woodland style garden and includes a new border to replace the existing motorcycle car park, and mulberry lawn. Planting here will provide a solution to the struggling lawn and offer a softer ornamental frame at the foot of the building.

The planting colour scheme will reflect the plants used in the Bencher's' border and include a higher density of cream and white to darken up the shade, with concentrated hints of stronger oranges and yellow. The predominant interest comes from contrasting foliage texture, form and colour.

The seasons reflected in the planting arrangement differ and offer a contrast to the Bencher's border. There are low growing scented winter flowering shrubs, early spring bulbs and late summer flowering perennials.

A formal layout of clipped evergreen domes with a low hedge line the paths providing structure to the looser planting arrangement within the borders.

Evergreen and deciduous shrubs are used to develop an informal frame within the borders, and align with the tree trucks and architecture features of the surrounding buildings. Larger drifts of herbaceous plants flow between both borders.

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