

A Kindergarden for Hangberg



Hangberg is a very poor township in Hout Bay, Cape Town. There are approx. 8.000 people living in Hangberg, mainly fishermen and their descendants.

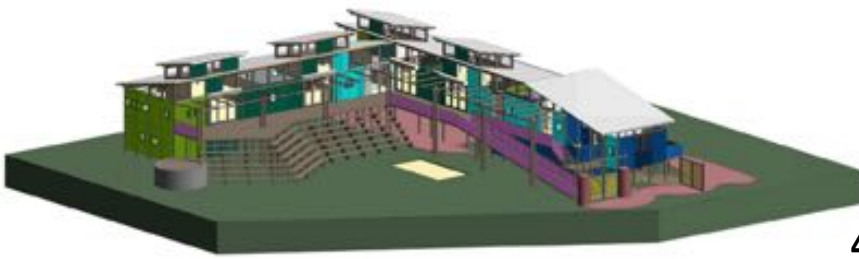
The environment is socially very volatile: unemployment is very high, as are levels of crime, alcoholism and substance abuse. Many children are neglected.

There are some 2.900 school-going children and some 1.200 pre-school children. But there are only 2 registered play schools taking 200 children, so there is not enough place. For many, the streets are their playground.

By the time the children enter school, they are struggling to cope: Hangberg's Primary School had a failure rate of 16%! in Grade 1.

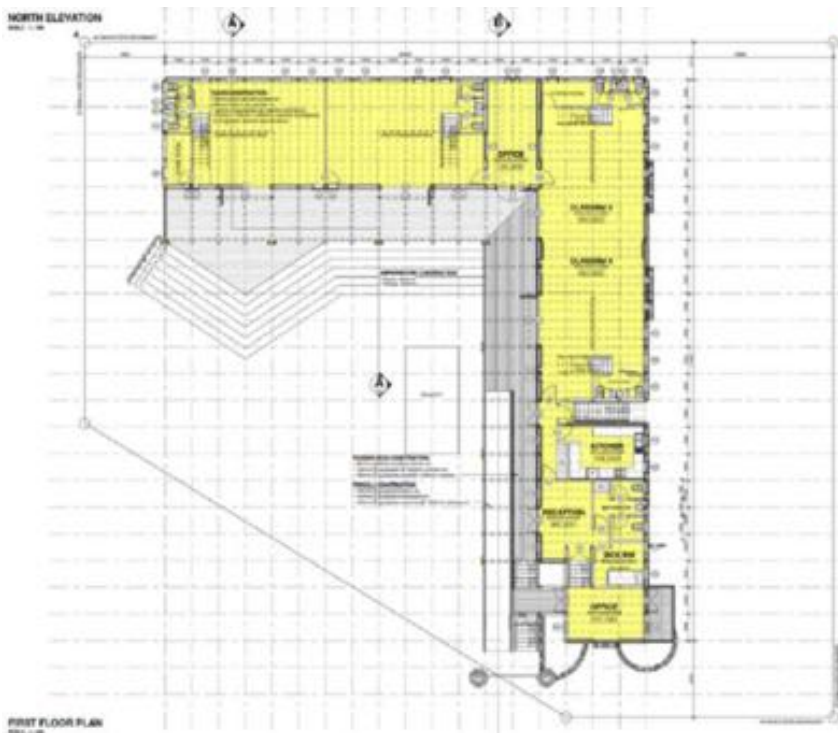
In order to help, the Hangberg Educational Trust was formed in 2012. Since July 2014, it has been operating in rooms "on loan" from Sentinel Primary School.





The Plan

- 4 class rooms for 120 children
- 450 sqm. of enclosed space
- Paved undercover play areas
- Sick bay, office, 2 toilets per class
- High level of security



The Funding

Capital required R 4.4 million
Over R4m secured

Missing the last 7.5%

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Only German speaking club in South Africa

Chartered in 2009

Mission to improve education

Meeting every Thursday 18:00-20:00

Winchester Mansions Hotel

Beach Road, Sea Point, Cape Town

