



Chatfield / LoPresti Elementary School Seymour, CT

Tavella Design Group is the landscape architect responsible for the proposed site improvements to this 650+ student elementary school with new additions. The plan includes new outdoor play areas, biofiltration swales for stormwater remediation and restorative plantings to enhance the natural habitat surrounding the site. A focal point of the design is the courtyard located within the new addition that will provide play space for preschool-age children. The courtyard is designed to promote both physical and cognitive skills through several active and passive play elements including a raised planter with chalkboard and tactile walls, sand play area, tricycle track, bamboo passageway and a story-time reading bowl.