

References

Gymnasium Schulstrasse Berlin-Mitte

The Schulstrasse High School in Berlin has become a modern educational facility for lower and upper secondary levels. The new building combines contemporary learning environments based on Berlin's «compartment» concept with a two-story sports facility. The striking color scheme gives the school building a distinctive identity and adds a vibrant architectural accent to the densely built-up neighborhood.

Facts

Area	Architecture
Location	Berlin, DE
Year of manufacture	2024-2026
Architect	a+r Architekten
Products	IGP-DURA®xal 42



Details

On the approximately 13,000 m² site at the corner of Schulstrasse and Iranische Strasse in Berlin-Mitte, a modern [school campus](#) was created, combining innovative learning concepts with attractive sports and outdoor facilities. Designed by [a+r Architekten GmbH](#), the secondary school was developed according to the Berlin Compartment Concept and accommodates 664 students. The six compartments create flexible learning and social spaces that support a variety of teaching methods and strengthen interaction within the school community.

The school building is complemented by two stacked three-court sports halls, which are available not only for school activities but also for local clubs and recreational sports, thereby providing added value for the neighbourhood.

The striking facade design, with its colorful pilaster strips, is particularly distinctive. The vertical design elements were coated in eight selected shades from «[Polychromie Le Corbusiers](#)». IGP offers this original color palette exclusively worldwide as the [IGP-DURA®xal 4201A](#) deep-matte powder coating series. The slightly recessed window profiles, which are at the same height, echo the design concept and were finished in a neutral, metallic-looking shade of product code [4201E13212L3S](#).

This creates a harmonious overall appearance that effectively highlights the colored facade elements.

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