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Project details

Client	Einwohnergemeinde Teufen AR
Architecture	Hubert Bischoff Architekturbüro AG
Project type	Education and research, Temporary buildings
Construction type	Wood element construction
Services	Timber construction
Construction	2019
Locality	Niederteufen
Country	Switzerland

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New daycare building with a healthy indoor climate

Since February 2020, Niederteufen in Switzerland has been home to a new timber construction for an extra-curricular daycare centre. The new building provides accommodation for school lunch and afternoon daycare services. As well as being utilised for daycare, the building could also be made available for adult education, music lessons or for use by clubs. We were in charge of the timber construction project, which involved planning, producing and erecting the building shell – including the lift and stairwell.

The building has a floor space of 450 m² spread across a total of three floors. As well as the office, playrooms, fitness and movement rooms, and daycare rooms, it also houses the lunch facilities, kitchen, washrooms and a cloakroom.

We planned, designed and produced the wooden roof and wall elements in the space of four months. The wood-concrete composite ceilings make for added interior comfort. The high proportion of wood used throughout the building has a positive impact on the indoor climate, with the natural raw material creating a cosy atmosphere that is palpable, putting both the children and the teaching staff completely at ease.

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The timber construction creates a pleasant indoor climate that is palpable.



The light wood and large windows go a long way towards creating the pleasant atmosphere inside the room.

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The consistent use of wood as a building material creates an understated and harmonious effect in the stairwell as well.

The entrance area of the new building is bright and spacious, with the practical timber cloakroom offering plenty of room.



Surrounded by all the wood, the children and staff feel totally at ease in the interior spaces.

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The large windows flood the inside of the timber element construction with daylight.



The clean and modern design of the open-plan kitchen is enhanced by the generous use of timber.