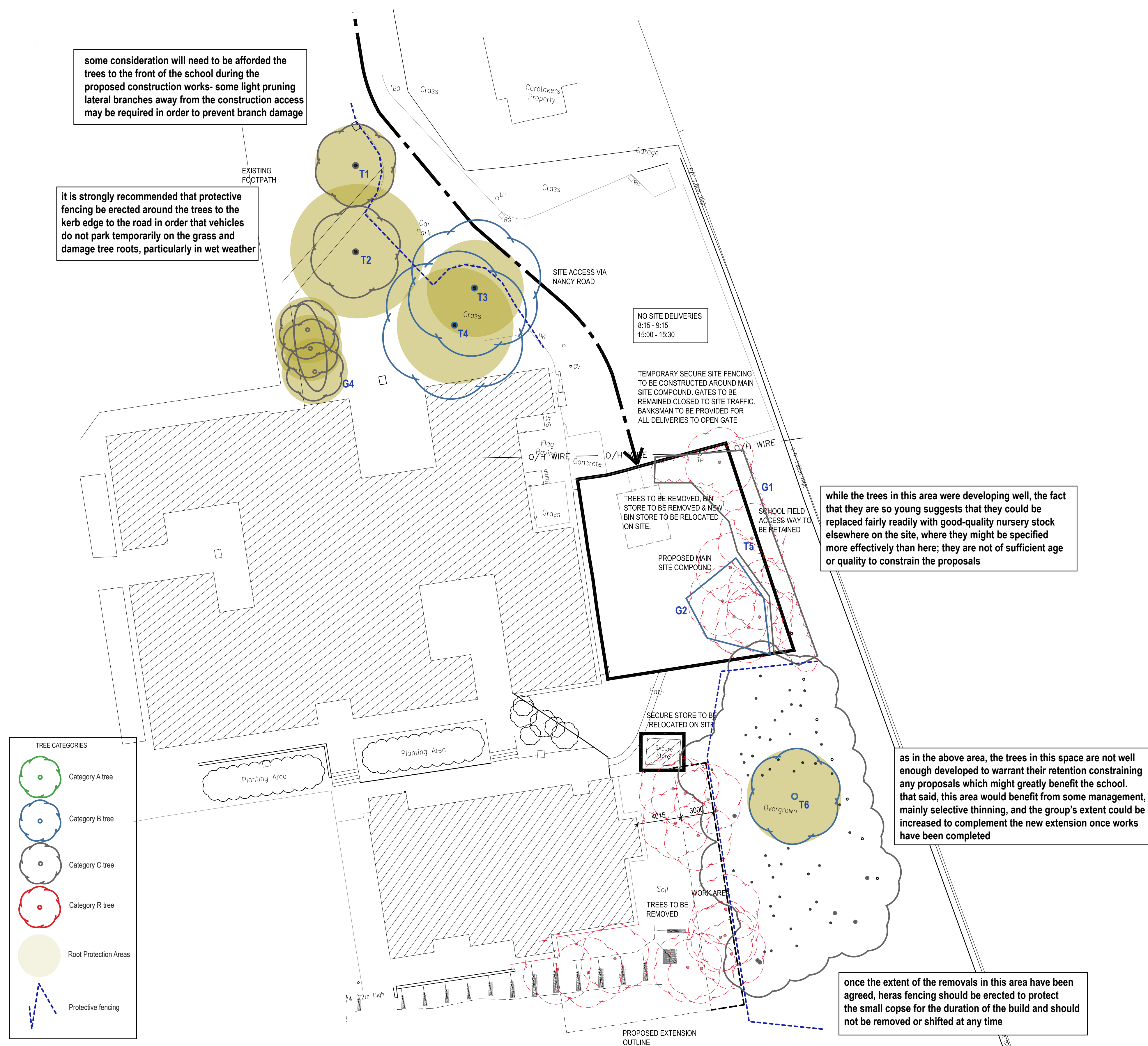




tree no	species	height	DBH (mm)	RPA (av. radius)	crown spread N-E-S-W	crown clearance height	age class	condition	structural condition	preliminary management recommendations	estimated remaining years	Category grade
T1	cedar	10	310/300	3.7	3-3-4-2-5	2	SM	fair	Twin, balanced stems- poor form for species; unremarkable tree; minor dead wood	Should not be allowed to constrain layout- can be easily be replaced with better tree	10	C1-
T2	cedar	9	610 basal	6.1	4-2-4-2	2	SM	fair	Upright habit; no obvious strong main stem	Unremarkable tree; should not be allowed to constrain layout- can be easily be replaced with better tree	10	C1
T3	London plane	13	370	4.4	5-7-4-2	2	SM	good	Slightly suppressed by T4, but maintaining a reasonable form; very little dead wood; some lower branches may be becoming obstructive	Crown raise lightly and remove dead wood	10+	B1
T4	Norway maple	12	440	5.3	8-6-8-7	2	M	fair	Fairly extensive surface root damage due to exposed, girdled roots, typical of species; scattered dead wood; moderate vigour; a blanket of seedlings below tree	Crown raise and remove dead wood; set mower higher to prevent root damage; monitor	10	B1-
T5	Silver birch	10	190	2.3	4-3-2-3	1.2	SM	good	Developing well within group and outcompeting adjacent species	In conflict with proposals, but success of species informs use as a replacement tree	10+	B1+
T6	Ash	12	360	4.3	8-6-4-5	2.2	M	fair	Upright form; fair symmetry; dead wood lower on stem due to adjacent trees; crown otherwise OK	Dominant tree in wood but casts fairly light shade; remove large dead wood if access to area is permitted	10+	B1
G1	Field maple; blackthorn; hawthorn; hazel; birch	4 max	various	Allow 2metre offset	As shown	0	Y-EM	fair	Slightly scrubby hedge providing a medium of screening from adjacent footpath	Some is in conflict with proposals; easily replaced elsewhere	10+	C2
G2	Ash x4; birch x4	6 max	various	Allow 2 metre offset	various	various	EM	good	Larger trees within G1 linking towards main stand, G3; all developing reasonably well	In conflict with proposals-again, age and size suggests they can be easily replaced	10+	C2
G3	Birch; cherry; rowan; ash; field maple; elder; goat willow	11 max	various	Allow 2 metre offset	various	various	EM-M	fair	Even-ages planted group with resultant lack of structure and top-heavy form; trees in OK health, but stand looks 'artificial'	Some trees will need to be removed to enable the development- thin remaining stand by approx. 20% to allow remaining trees to develop; plant more scrubby species on edges if pedestrian-level screening is required	10+	B2
G4	Leyland cypress x3 + shrub mass	8 max	various	Allow 2.5 metre offset	As shown	0	M	fair	Group to front of school- little value but highly visible	Retain if desired, but will quickly outgrow the area	10	C2

In principle, the proposals should have a minimal long-term effect on the local amenity in either tree, or wider landscape terms. Those trees noted for removal are generally young and could be readily replaced as part of a landscaping scheme to enhance and complement the new facilities at the school.