



LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE

Site Design, Planting Plans, Site Amenities

Chris Hadfield Public School

Client: Simcoe County District School Board

Location: Bradford, Ontario

GREENLAND® was retained by the SCDSB to provide landscape architectural services for the proposed Chris Hadfield Public School in Bradford, Ontario.

Greenland was responsible for preparation of a preliminary landscape design, construction drawings and specifications and opinion of probable costs for the landscape works.

The landscape design was undertaken to be low impact and minimal maintenance with key enhanced landscape areas adjacent to the streetscape, neighbourhood yards, main entrances and junior and senior playground areas.

The junior and senior playground areas were designed to accommodate active and passive activities and the installation of future play structures at the discretion of the school board when financially feasible. These play structures include an on grade slide and sand play area, outdoor



black board and music centre and friendship circle and theatre surrounded by native trees, grasses and wildflowers. Surface materials including asphalt, limestone screening, grass and mulch were utilized to provide a balance of hard and soft play surfaces and reduce maintenance in high traffic areas.

A pathway was incorporated around the perimeter of the junior soccer field and portables to link activities in the school grounds together. A permeable treed fence line along the open space area to the east provides access to the open space while providing a visible school boundary for supervision and preventing motorized vehicles from entering the school grounds.

The design phase of the project was completed in the winter of 2014.

