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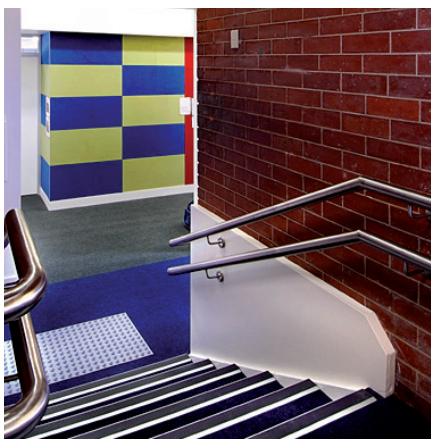
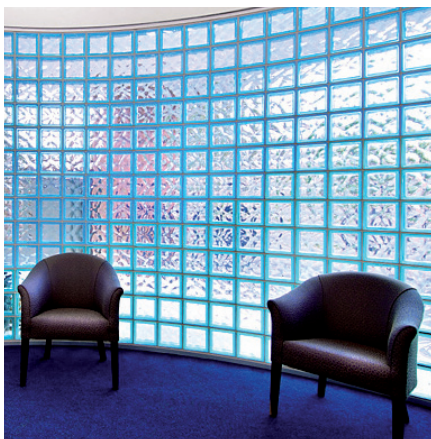
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As part of the Federal Governments' Building the Education Revolution schools upgrade, this project called for the addition of a two storey extension to an existing 1920's school. Demolition of an existing library and extensive demolition to create wide openings in the external walls of the existing structure at the first floor level in conjunction with the reinforcement of the existing structure presented some challenges for the project team.

The new structure is steel framed with extensive structural timbers used for flooring, roof frame and external feature panels. The external cladding is a striking combination of brickwork, Colorbond steel and painted FC cladding. Some existing classrooms were also opened up and altered. All areas were fully serviced and air conditioned.

The end result is the addition of a new library, resources room, activities space and 6 new classrooms.

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