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| Project | Christ's College School |
| Location | Christchurch |
| Designer | Wilkie and Bruce |
| Product | Manual & automated sunscreen roller blinds |
| System | SP45 & Agio Automation |
| Fabric | 1% open Sunscreen – Charcoal |

The challenge

The new West Wing addition to the historic Christ's College building was a challenge the architects managed to overcome beautifully. The practical requirement for window coverings was for a 1% open sunscreen fabric which would maximise glare reduction, while maintaining an outward view. Automation of some blinds was specified in order to achieve easy operation when needed.

The SP solution

SP Blinds sourced a 1% open sunscreen fabric in a Charcoal colour to create the right level of glare reduction sought after by the architects. The fabric's PVC coating makes it durable, robust, and easy to maintain, which is especially important in a school environment. Agio motorised roller blinds were installed in most classrooms to allow easy operation, many of which were linked blinds to reduce motor costs. Where electrical wiring could not be achieved, chain operated blinds were supplied with a chain guard to provide extra protection against rough handling.