

# Streme provide second helping for expanding school kitchen



Reading Blue Coat School caters for 800 pupils and staff every day of term, serving breakfast, lunch, and after school snacks.

In addition it hires out its buildings and kitchen facilities to weddings and other outside functions, so quality is high on its list of requirements.

In 2012 the School selected Streme to bring its existing kitchen up to hygiene standards, by installing twin sliding insect screens over 6 windows and chain curtain over 2 doors. Then, following the School's expansion in 2014, Streme were commissioned a second time to install screen solutions in the brand new kitchen extension.

**“I am very happy to recommend Streme and would definitely use their services again.”**

**Dave Leathers**  
Maintenance Manager  
| Reading Blue Coat School



School Maintenance Manager Dave Leathers found Streme's prices competitive and their response times impressive. He said: *“We had a quick chat over the phone, and then a surveyor came out to take some measurements and determine what would be the most suitable product for our needs.”*

*“Streme quickly understood our requirements and I found the rep's advice to be extremely helpful. It was very beneficial to talk to someone whose knowledge was bang up-to-date, especially since a couple of windows in the extension were tricky. Sliding screens wouldn't have worked, but the guy who came to site was able to recommend tilting screens which are perfect and which look better too.”*

Describing the first installation Dave said: *“We chose chain curtain for the doors, but in hindsight this was not ideal. The chain couldn't cope with a high volume of traffic and kept getting caught in the trollies.”*

*“For the second installation in the extension we chose PVC louvres instead, which are more robust and act as a draught-proofer. On their second visit Streme replaced all of our original chain curtains with PVC doors.”*

The screens for the existing kitchen needed to be installed during term time and as far as possible outside operating hours. Dave said: *“The fitters were very accommodating towards our kitchen staff and worked round them very well.”*

Meanwhile the installation in the extension was more straightforward, going ahead prior to the new building being put into commission. Commenting on this Dave said: *“I could have left it to the builders to source the screens but as I'd had such a good experience with Streme I chose to work with them personally.”*

Dave is very pleased with the results, and declares the screens to be as good as new two and a half years later.

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