



PARKHEAD HOUSING ASSOCIATION, GLASGOW
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Saint-Gobain PAM's Classical rainwater system has been installed on a former school in Parkhead, Glasgow which is being brought back into use as the new headquarters for Parkhead Housing Association in a £4.1 million makeover.

Parkhead Public School is a category B listed building – built in two phases in 1878 and 1887. and it was important therefore that the refurbishment complemented the character of the original premises. Saint-Gobain's Classical cast iron rainwater and gutter system was chosen to maintain architectural integrity and building aesthetics.

Saint-Gobain PAM supplied 91 lengths of gutters and fittings in a £25,000 contract. The company was also able to manufacture a pattern at competitive price which will assist in securing future projects for this profile.

The Classical range is recognised for its aesthetic charm, ability to withstand high winds and heavy snow and, above all, its long life capabilities. Cast iron is naturally durable up to 100 years and is cost effective, requiring minimal maintenance.

The building is being brought back into use through the Parkhead Cross Townscape Heritage Trust, in partnership with Glasgow Building Preservation Trust and Parkhead Housing Association. Funding for the project has come from Glasgow City Council, Heritage Lottery Fund, Historic Environment Scotland and the Scottish government. The building will be used as a local enterprise centre containing a range of office suites and flexible space for the local community to use.

Architect: ZM Architecture Limited, Glasgow

Contractor: CBC, Glasgow

Installer: John Fulton Plumbing & Heating, Glasgow



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