

'Key Spaces' Character

- » Medium to high density development that overlooks and encloses the neighborhood greens and key nodal points along the Main Street.
- » Variation from Main Street is provided by roofscape, materials and boundaries
- » Introduction of gable fronted roof lines provide rhythm and interest
- » Horizontal plinths and material contrast represent an interpretation of shop fronts in Thornbury town centre.
- » Consistent building set back / privacy strip, with boundaries formed by brick piers, low walls and railings
- » 2.5 storey, with potential for 3 storey in prominent locations
- » Ground floor bays
- » Forms legibility feature along the Main

Example Design Features



Plinths, bays



Gables and projections / bays





walls

and railings



Tile and slate hanging





contrast

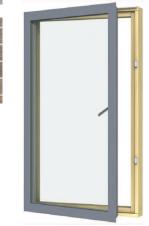
Suggested Materials











Grey Windows

Thornbury precedents









Double-height bays



Varied silhouette

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Appearance of streets, architecture, and open spaces influenced by local Thornbury vernacular - with building plinths providing occasional horizontal emphasis, and a variety of materials employed throughout

Some 3 storey properties in prominent locations

Neighbourhood green

Scale and density responsive to Thornbury context, comprising predominantly 2 and 2.5 storey properties



Location plan



Artist's impression



'Streets' Character

- » Medium density buildings located on the side streets
- » Traditional residential character
- » Predominance of 2 storey building heights with occasional use of 2.5 storey in key locations
- » Semi-regular structure and more simple building forms with predominance of brick
- » Varied frontage setbacks with planted strips marking boundaries

Example Design Features



Use of low speed, pedestrian friendly street design



Simple traditional forms

Limited palette of

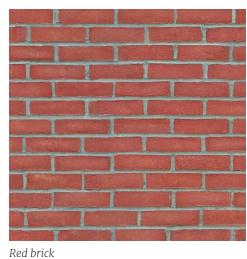




Front gardens and privacy strips defined by planting

Suggested Materials







Plain tile





Windows

Thornbury precedents



Some front gardens





Regular and simple forms





Adjacent development



'Green Frontages' Character

- » Semi-detached and detached properties overlook and frame the green links and open spaces
- » Organic, semi-regular structure influenced by surrounding rural context
- » An informal look and feel with traditional features creating a sensitive transition with open spaces
- » Coherent appearance will be formed by well-coordinated and consistent application of materials along each of the frontages.
- » Mainly wide fronted plots with a maximum height of 2 storey
- » Front gardens with boundaries formed by a mix of stones walls, estate railings and hedges

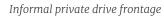
Example Design Features





Stone facade and timber doors







Traditional forms







Stone walls, estate railing and hedges

Suggested Materials

Render





Fibre cement slate





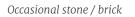
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Windows

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Additive elements





Simple composition, wide frontages Stone / brick boundaries



Short terraces

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Location plan

Permanent and semipermanent wet areas within attenuation basin

Varied gradients

allow walk-in /

walk-out access

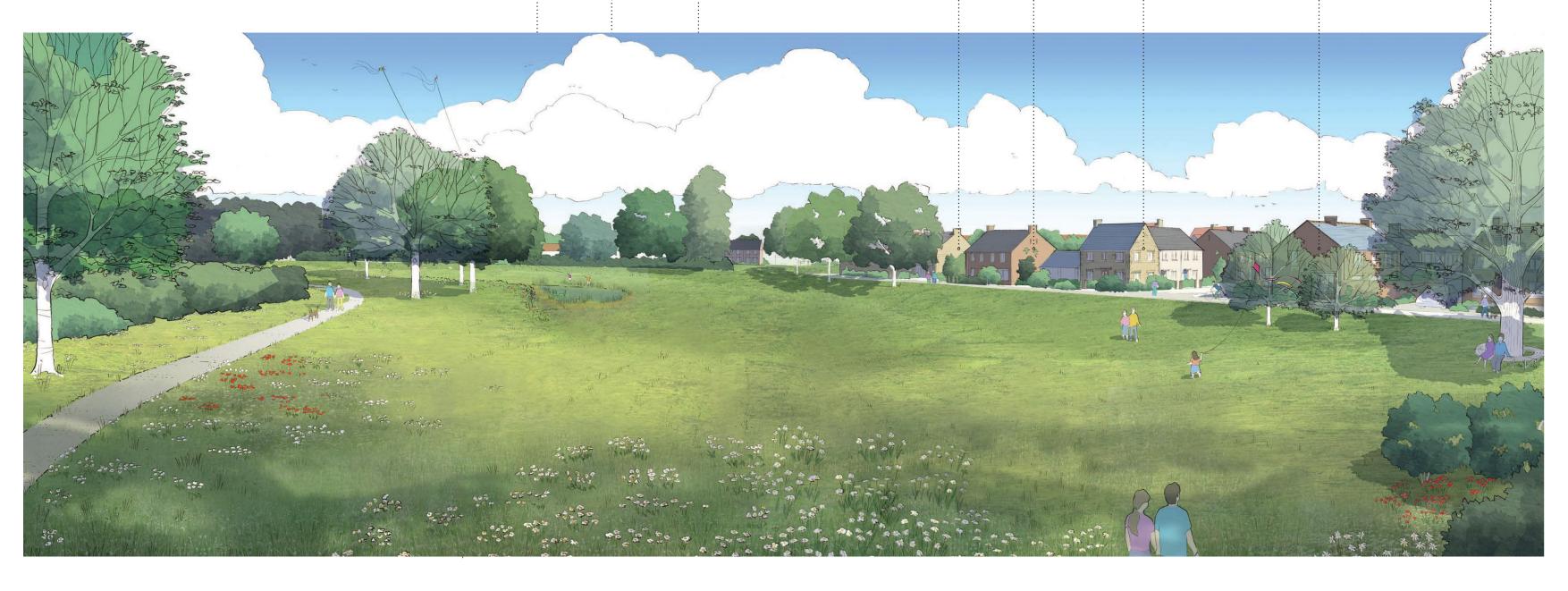
Recreational footpaths

Mainly wide fronted plots with 2 storey buildings

Organic, semi-regular structure influenced by surrounding rural context

Lower density rural edge, responsive to surrounding landscape Mix of stone, render and some red brick

Retained oak tree



10.2. Street Hierarchy

The internal movement network is structured around a well-connected and permeable layout of streets and spaces that are designed to promote movement by sustainable modes. This network will be based upon a hierarchy of routes, as shown on the plan opposite, which each have a different character and role within the development.

An overview of the street types establishes the principles for a legible movement network. Illustrative street sections are shown opposite; however, the fixed details of street dimensions will be determined at the reserved matters design stage.

Main Street

The Main Street will be 6.5m in width, with a 2m footway one side of the carriageway and a 3m shared footway / cycleway on the other side. The 3m shared foot/cycleway will sit behind a 2m grass verge which will also accommodate on street parking in places. The Main Street will be designed to accommodate a bus route serving the site and provide direct frontage access to residential dwellings on either side.

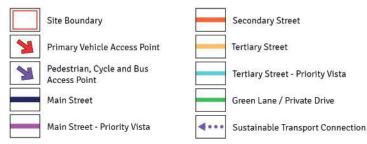
Other Streets

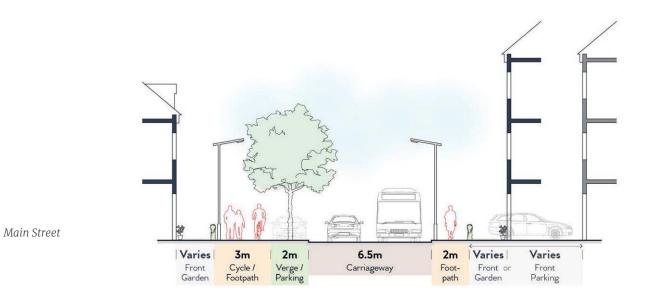
Junctions off the Main Street will provide access to other routes, which are of lower order in the street hierarchy, including secondary and tertiary streets, plus green lanes / private drives. Streets that form part of the Priority Vista are also included.

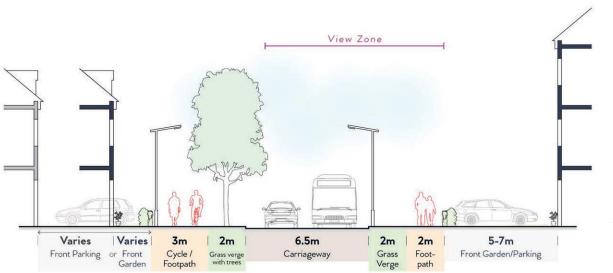
The design of all streets will be subject to further discussion at the detailed design stage. However, indicative street sections are shown opposite, demonstrating how the design and scale of the street scene will change through the hierarchy.



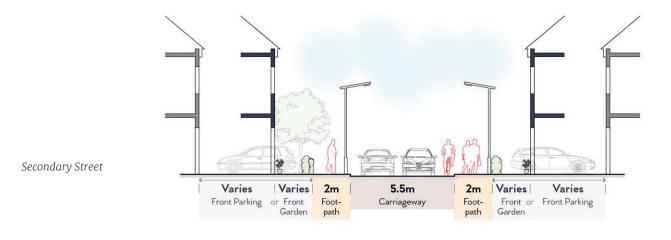
Street Hierarchy Plan

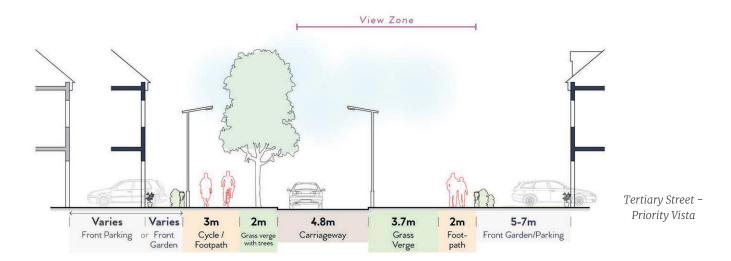


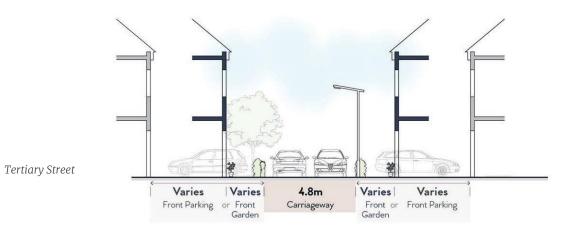


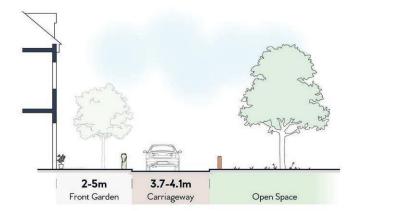


Main Street -Priority Vista









Green Lane / Private Drive