THE QUAKER PROJECT AT BRIGFLATTS

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PROJECT FOCUS

A FAMILIAR LANDSCAPE







TOWARDS AN ATTUNED ARCHITECTURE

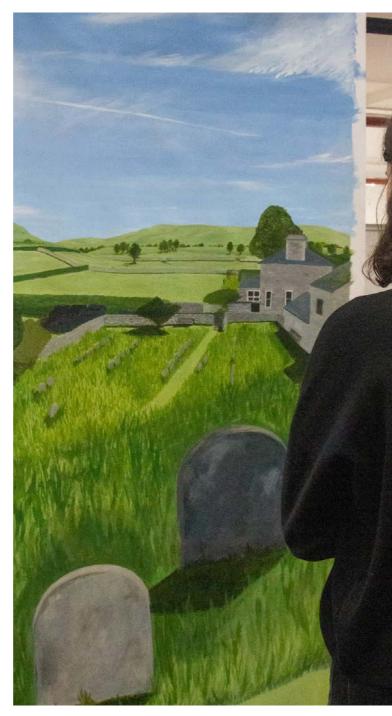
ATTUNING TO Familiar places

Developing Methods for Attuning to the Affective Qualities of a Place: A Case Study of Brigflatts



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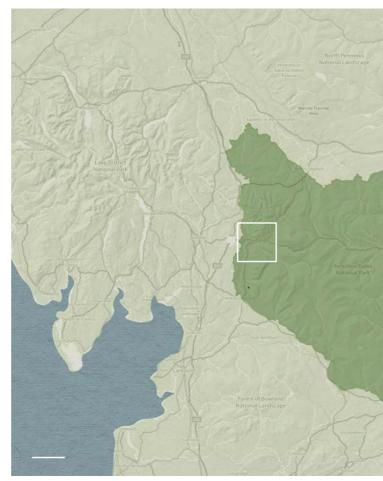
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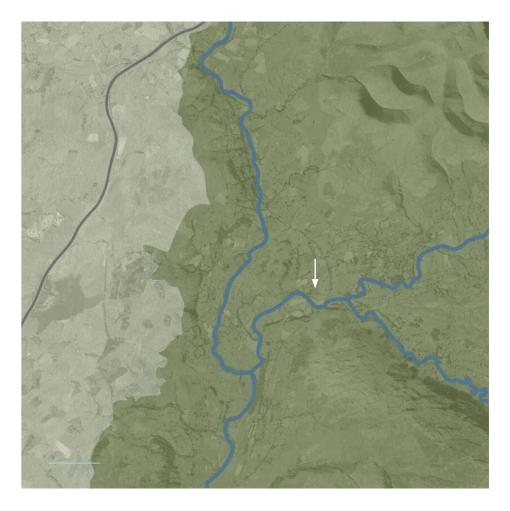


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"our criteria when moving here was stone walls, sheep and hills"

BRIGFLATTS QUAKER MEETING HOUSE

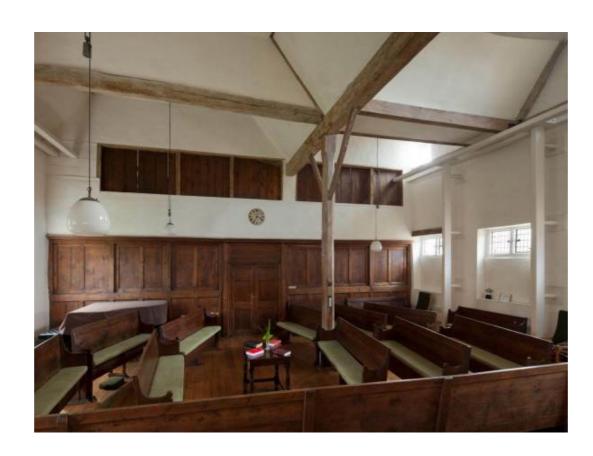


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'A Quakers' Meeting' by Egbert van Heemskerk, painted in the second half of the 17th century. Historic England Archive



The interior of the Quaker Meeting House in Hertford, Hertfordshire Historic England Archive

International work

Quaker podcast

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QUAKER

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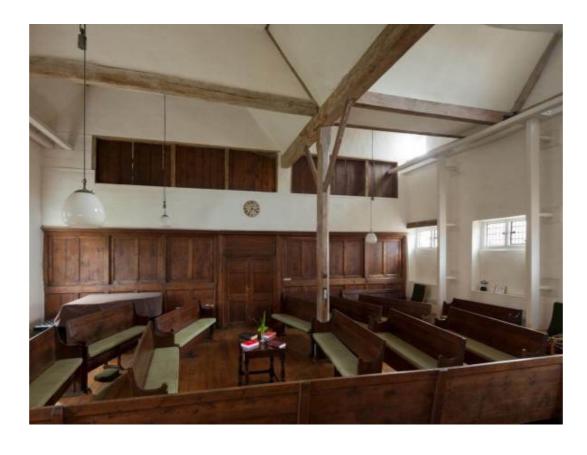
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QUAKERISM

INTEGRITY - EQUALITY - SIMPLICITY - COMMUNITY - STEWARDSHIP OF THE EARTH - PEACE



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A SECURE FUTURE FOR THE FRIENDS OF BRIGFLATTS



Friends of Brigflatts Meeting Brigflatts.org



Inside the Brigflatts Quaker Meeting House British Listed Buildings



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RE-ACTIVATING THE QUAKER GROUNDS

activate a site by providing new experiences

create spatial qualities that attract visitors

support activities not currently feasible

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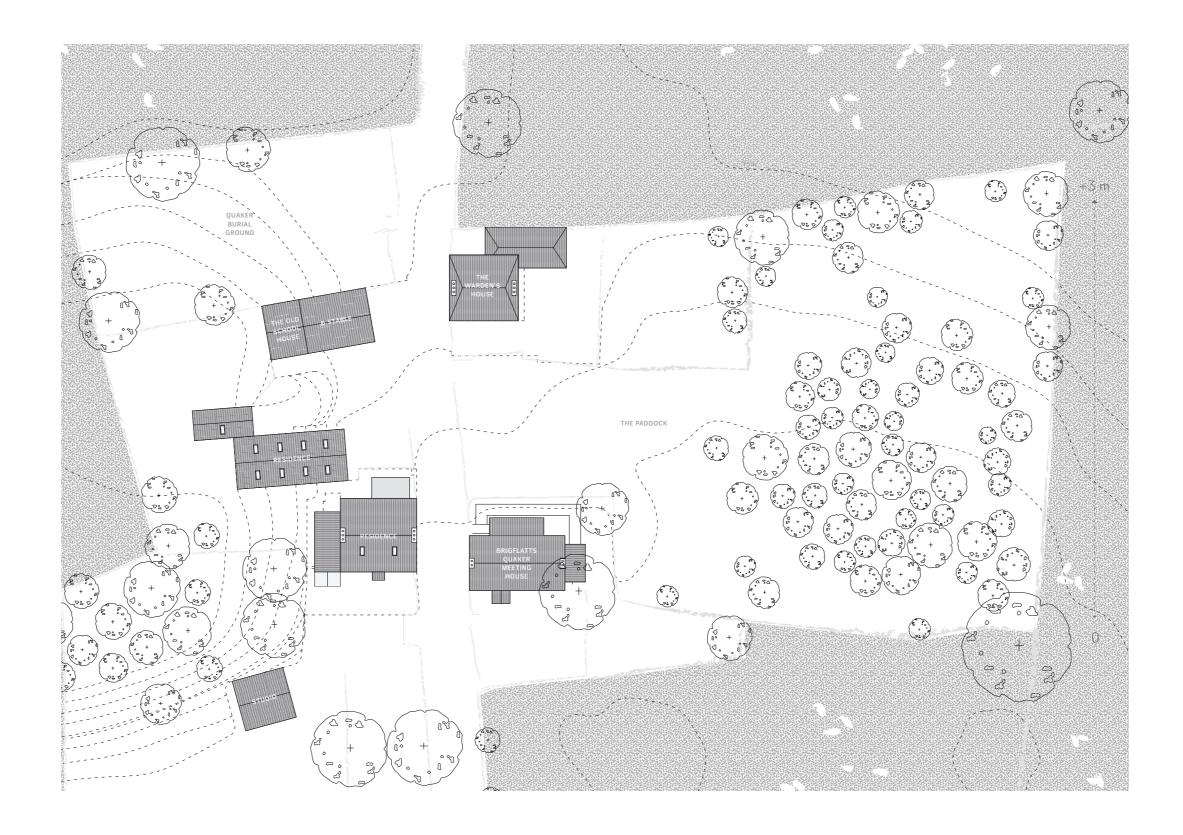
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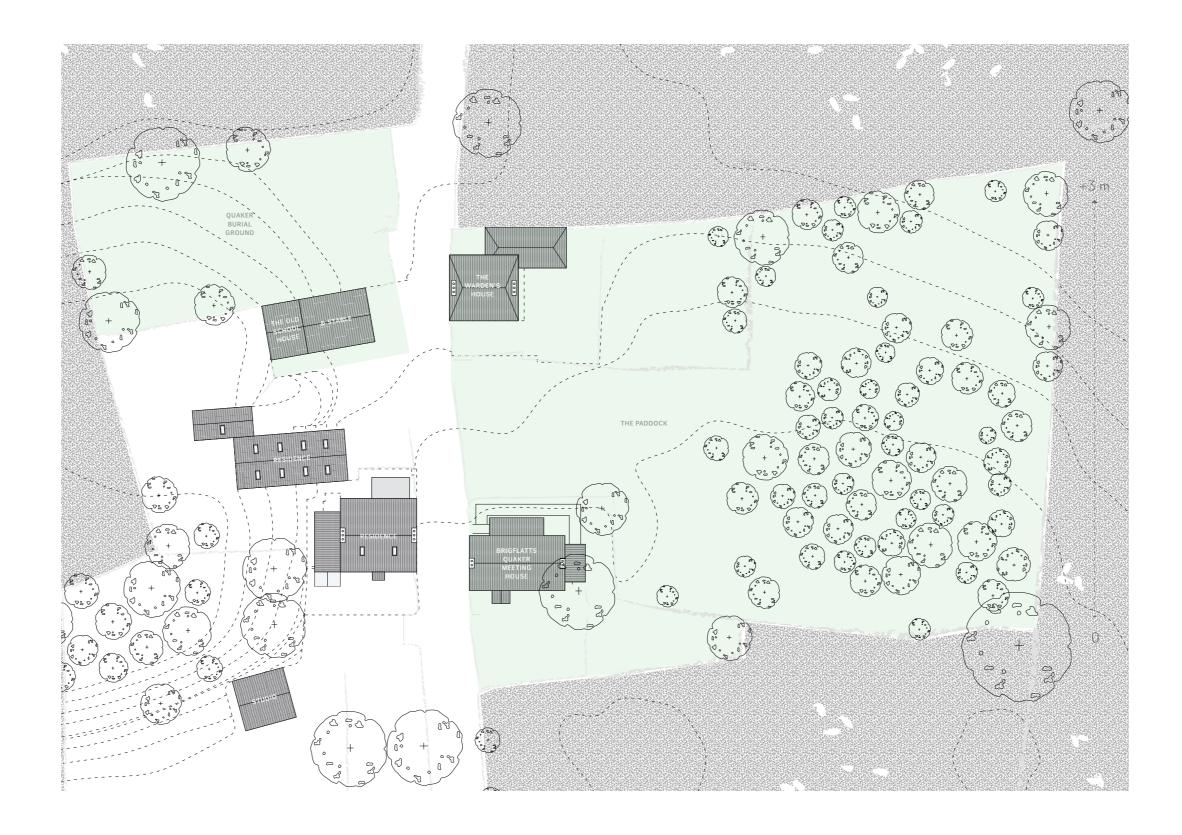
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- meet the needs of the quakers
- imagine a future for the neighbourhood
- envision the future of development in the national park





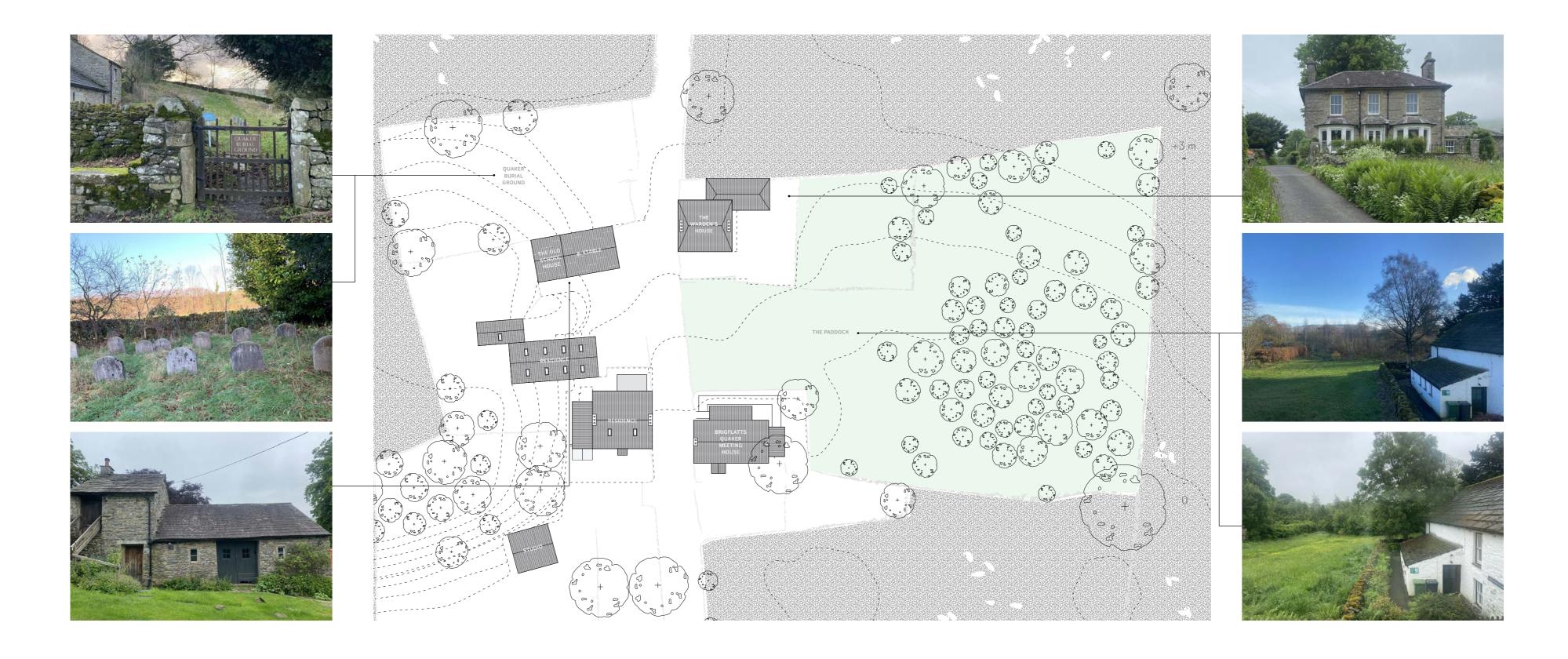












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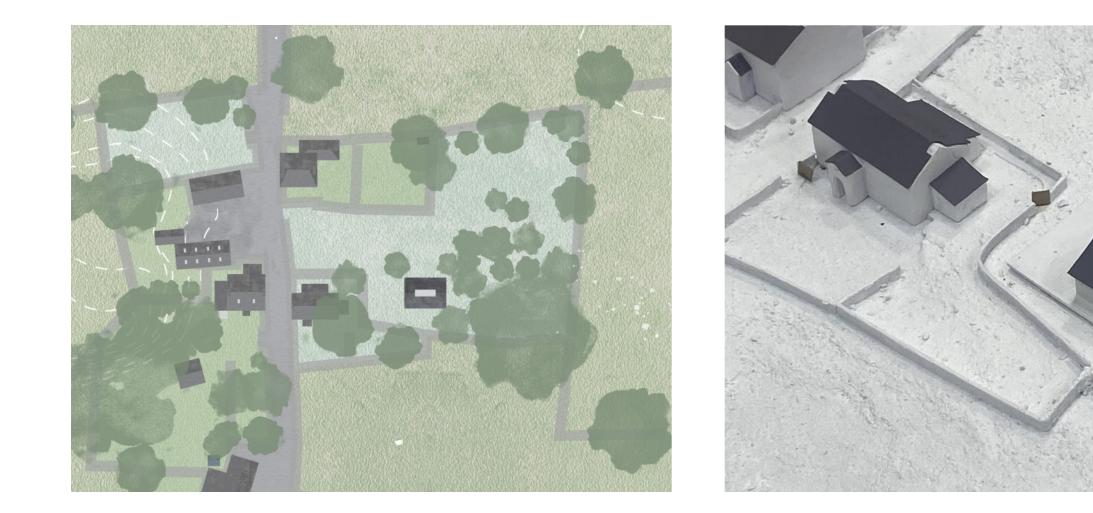
"Please come in and wander the paths between our recently planted trees, picnic, or just sit quietly and enjoy the peace."



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PROPOSAL

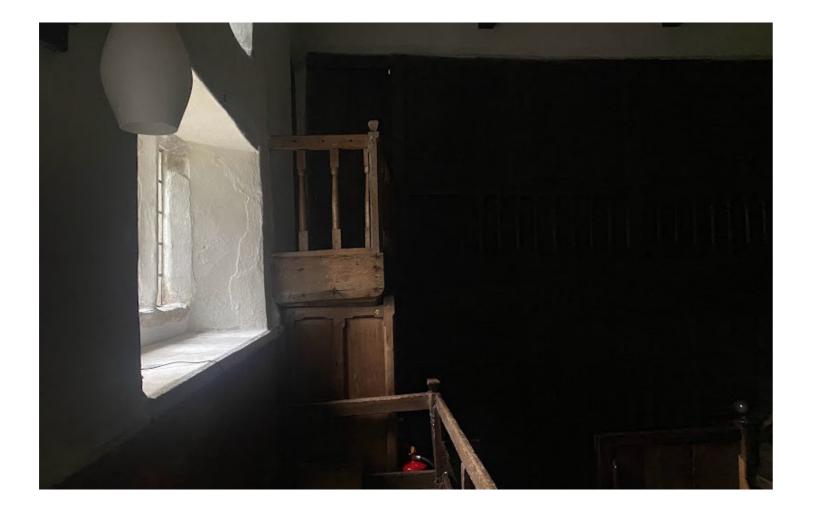


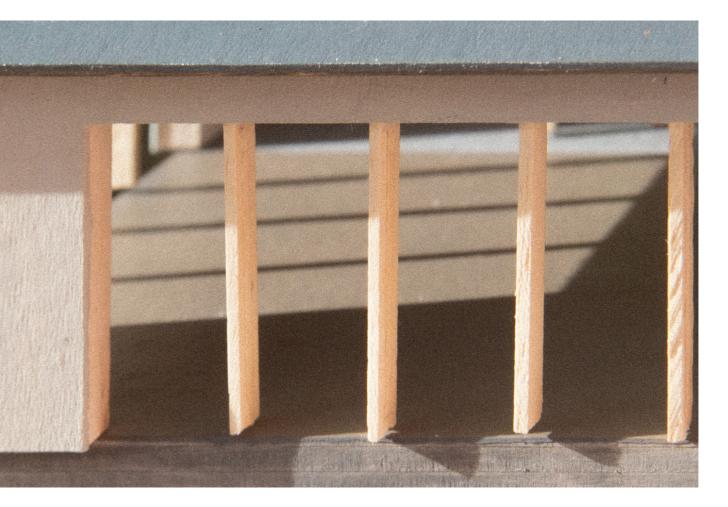




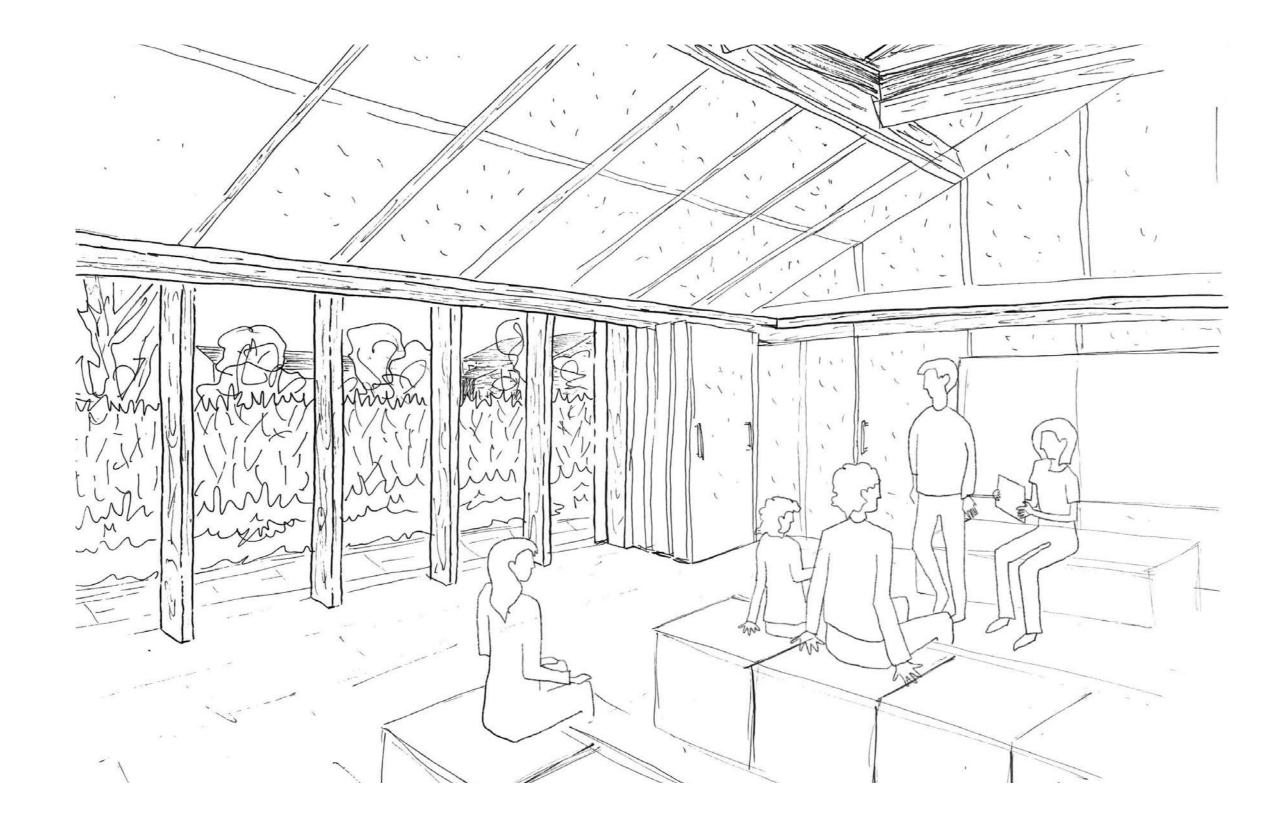




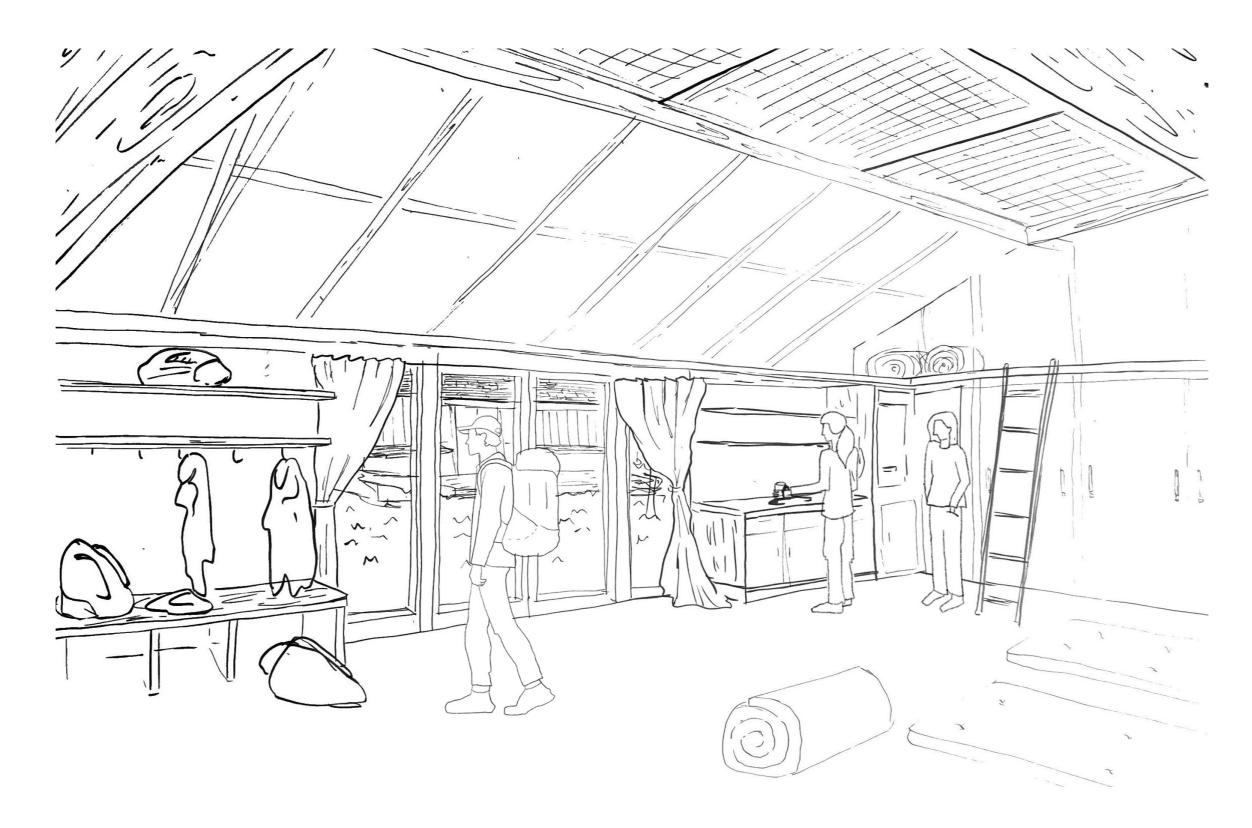






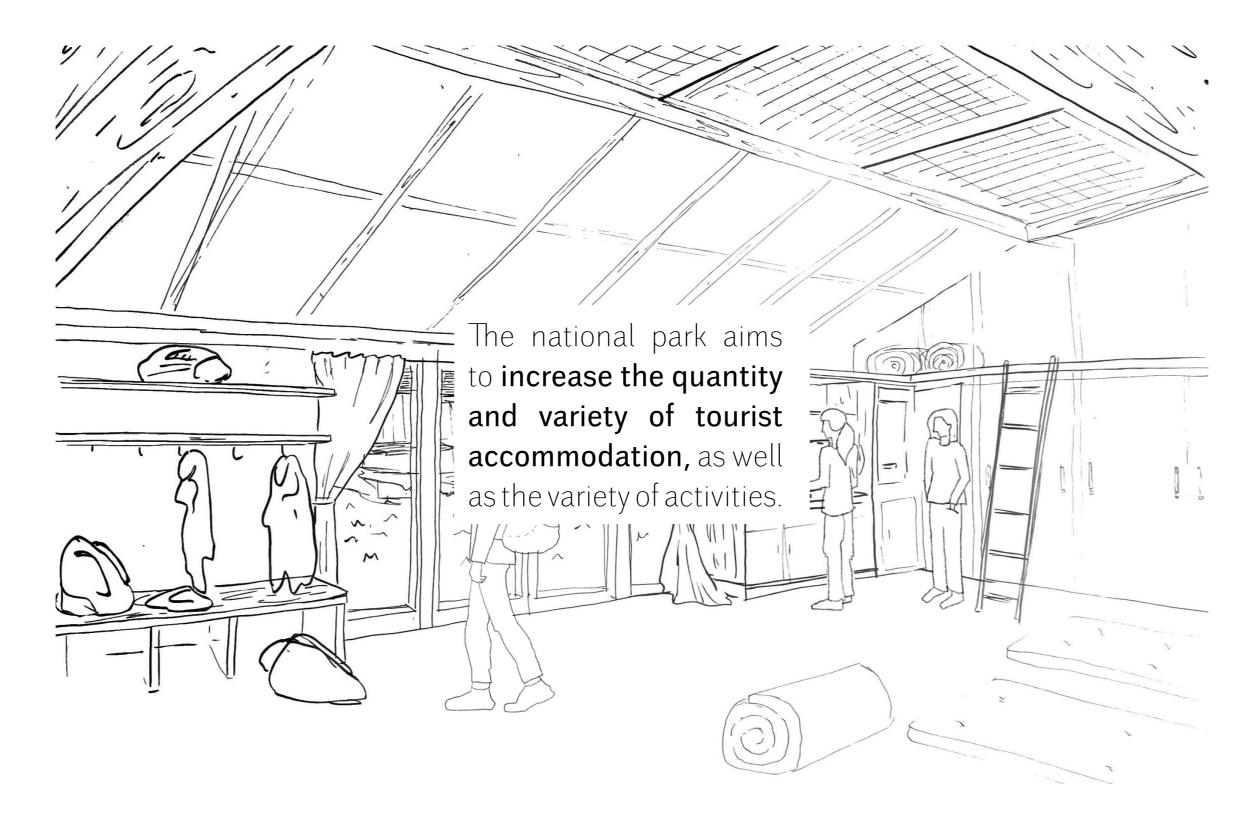


THE BUNK BARN

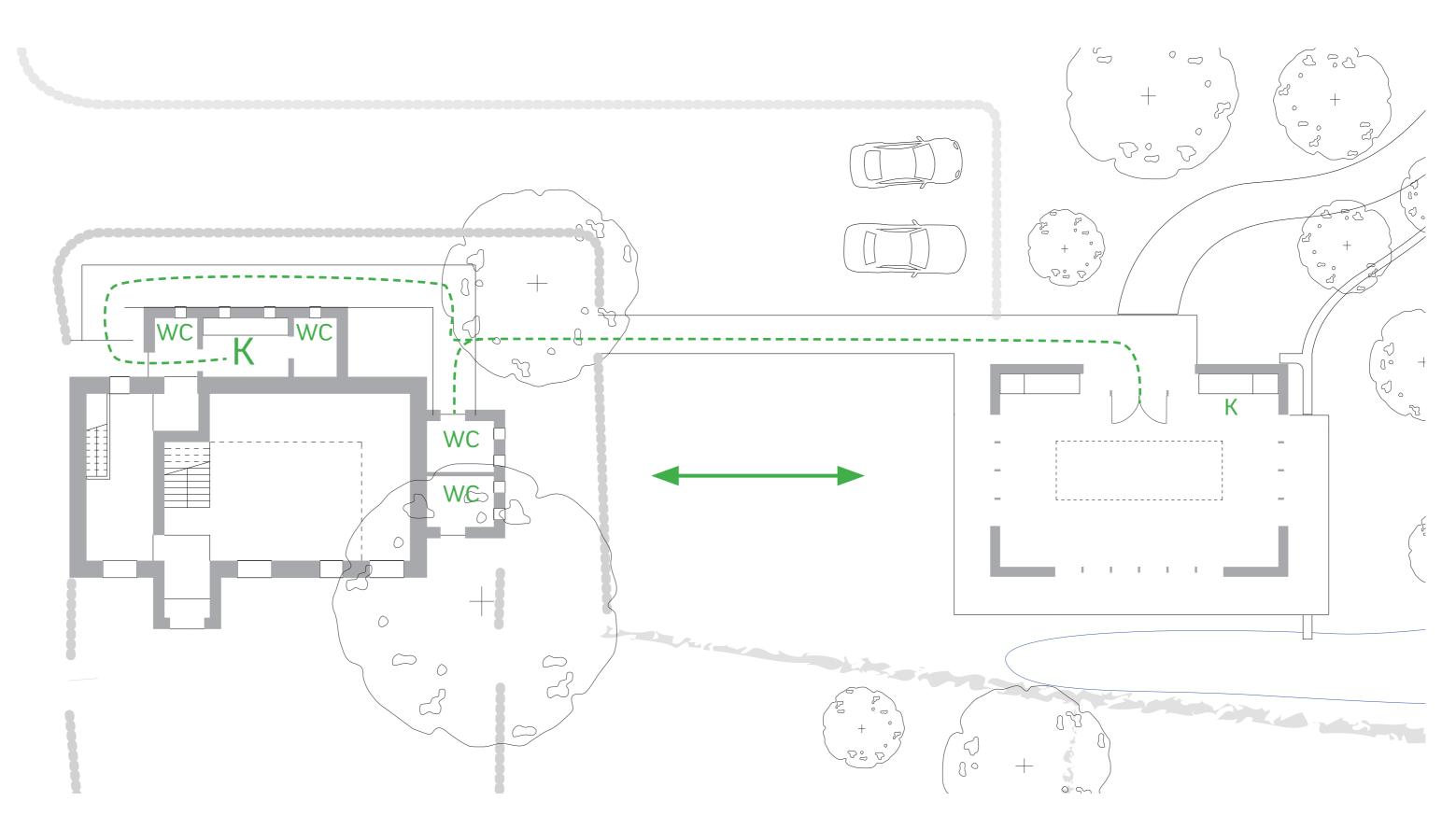


"That's what first brought us to Brigflatts... Walking here from Sedbergh"

THE BUNK BARN



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THE BUNK BARN



simplicity

THE ARTIST RESIDENCY



giving a physical space for people engaged in activism and craft

supporting those who are "practicing faith through action" and "truth seeking"



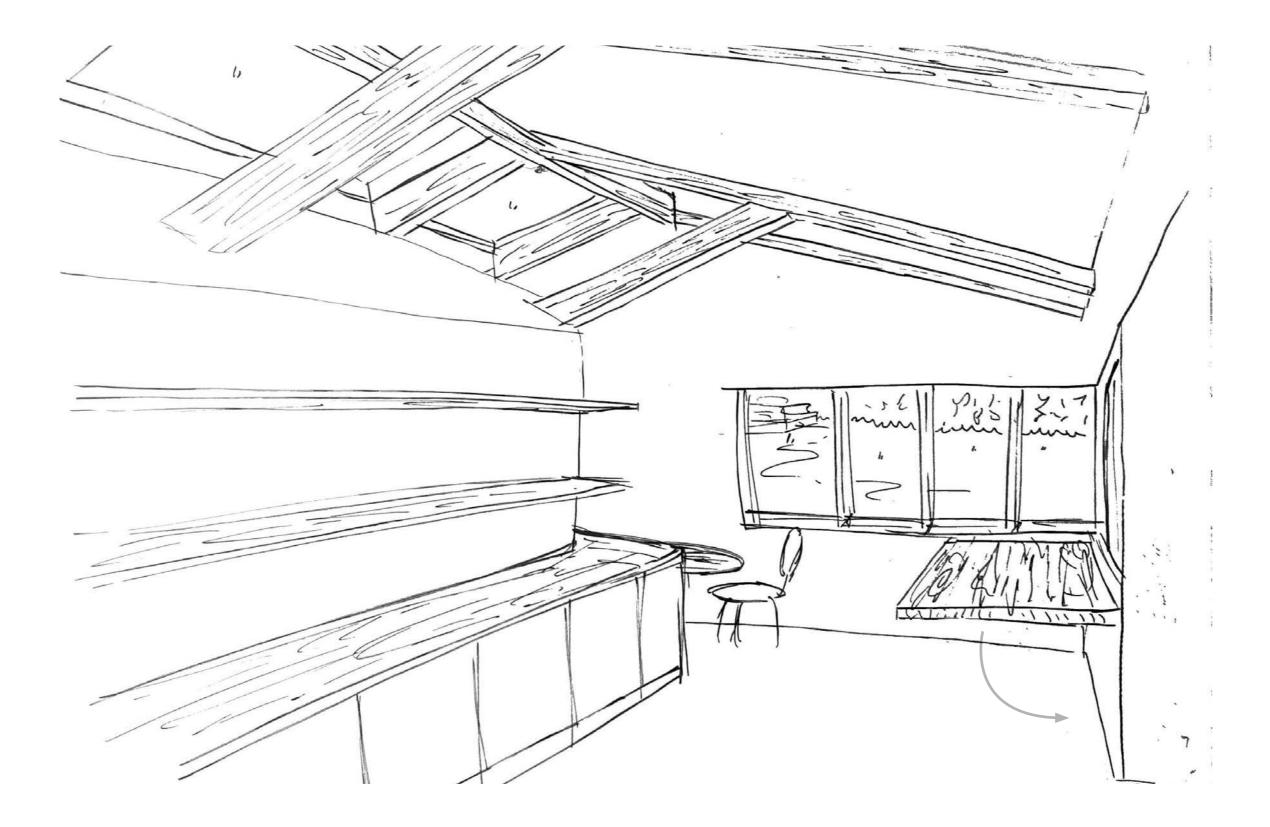


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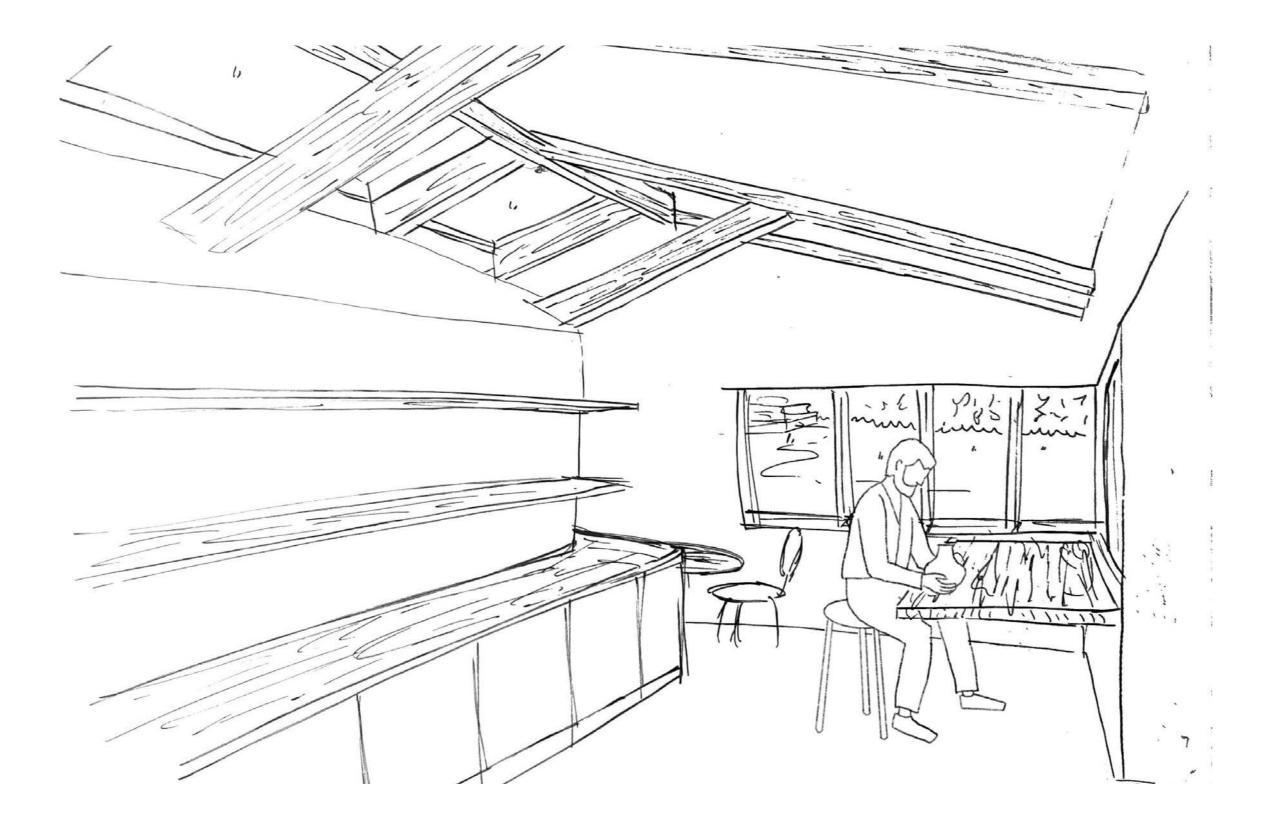
flexible workshop space

THE ARTIST RESIDENCY



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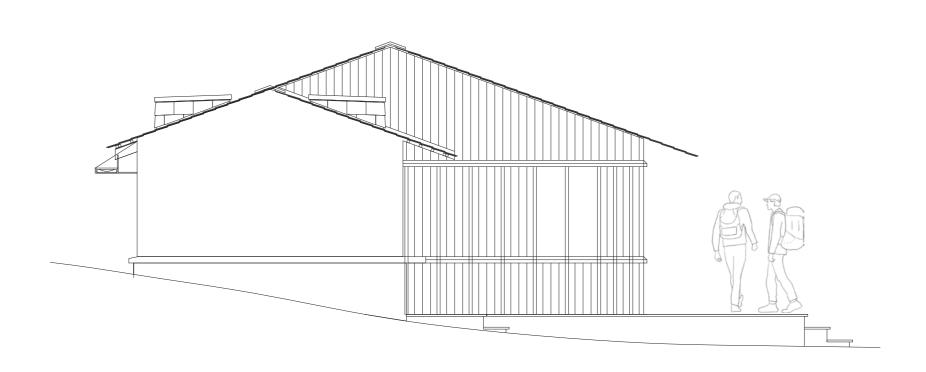
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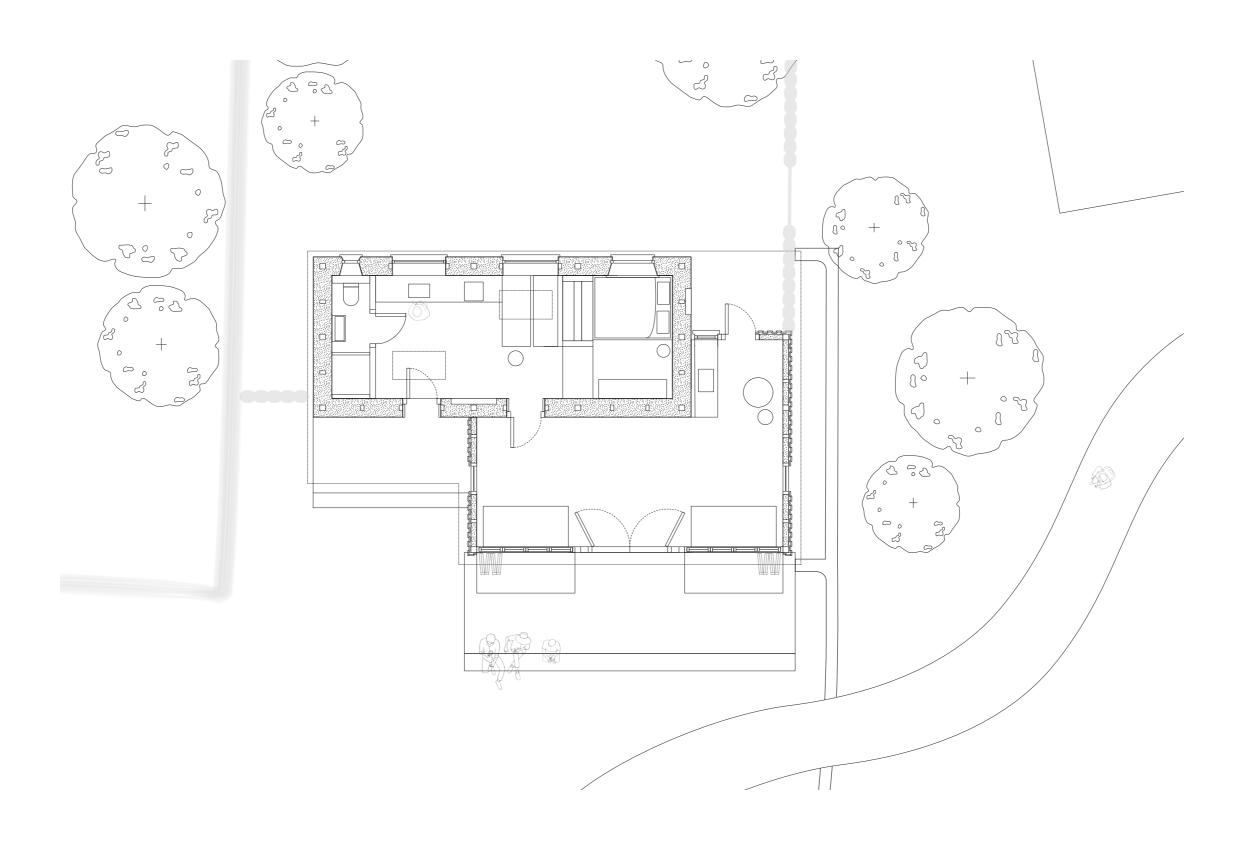
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north facing private accommodation



south facing public workshop

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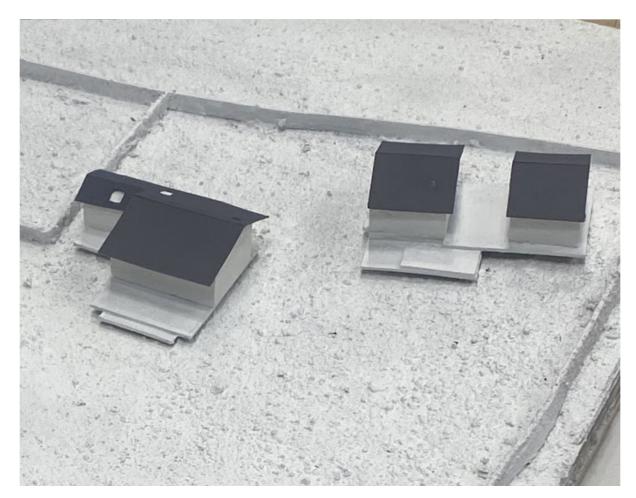
connecting with the neighbourhood

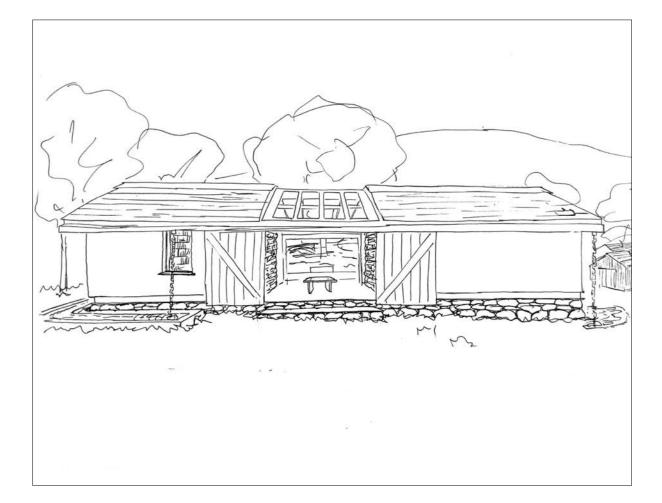
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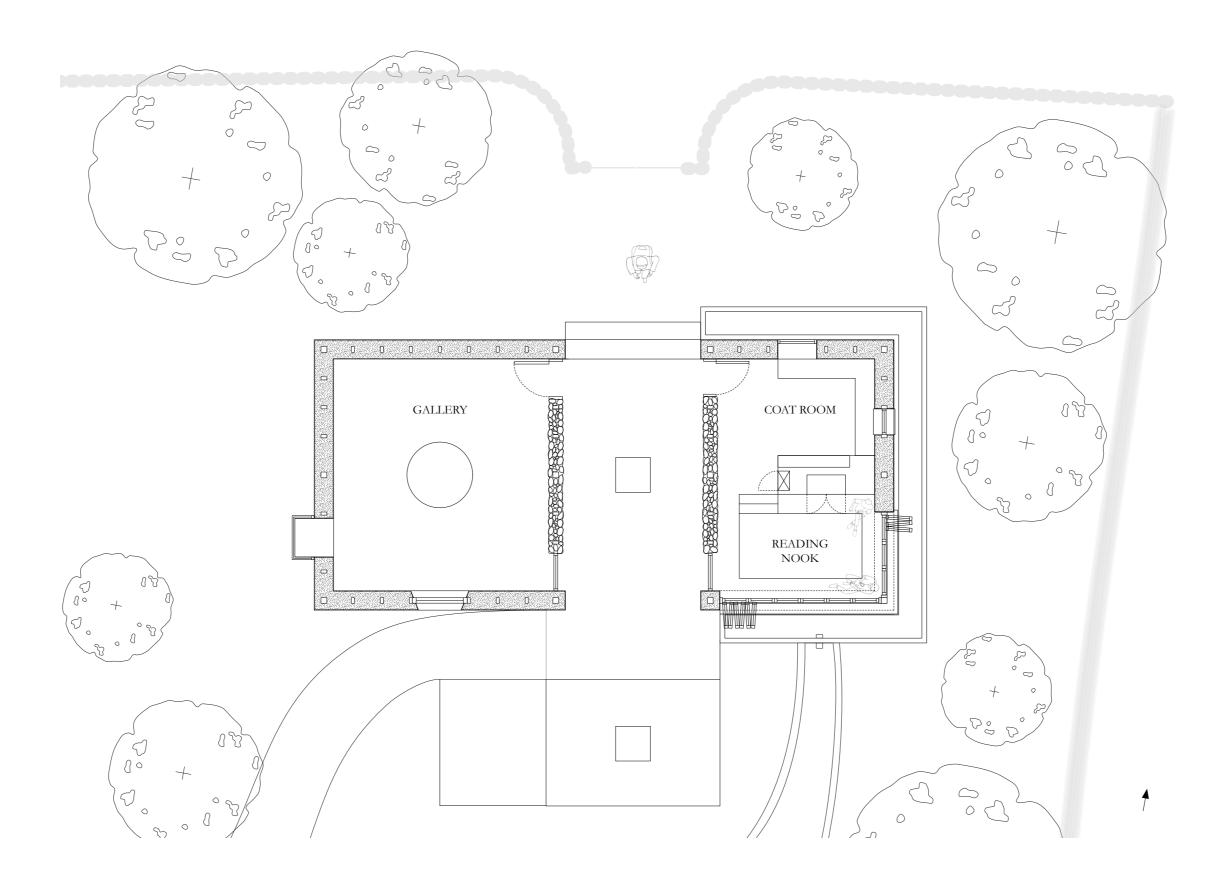


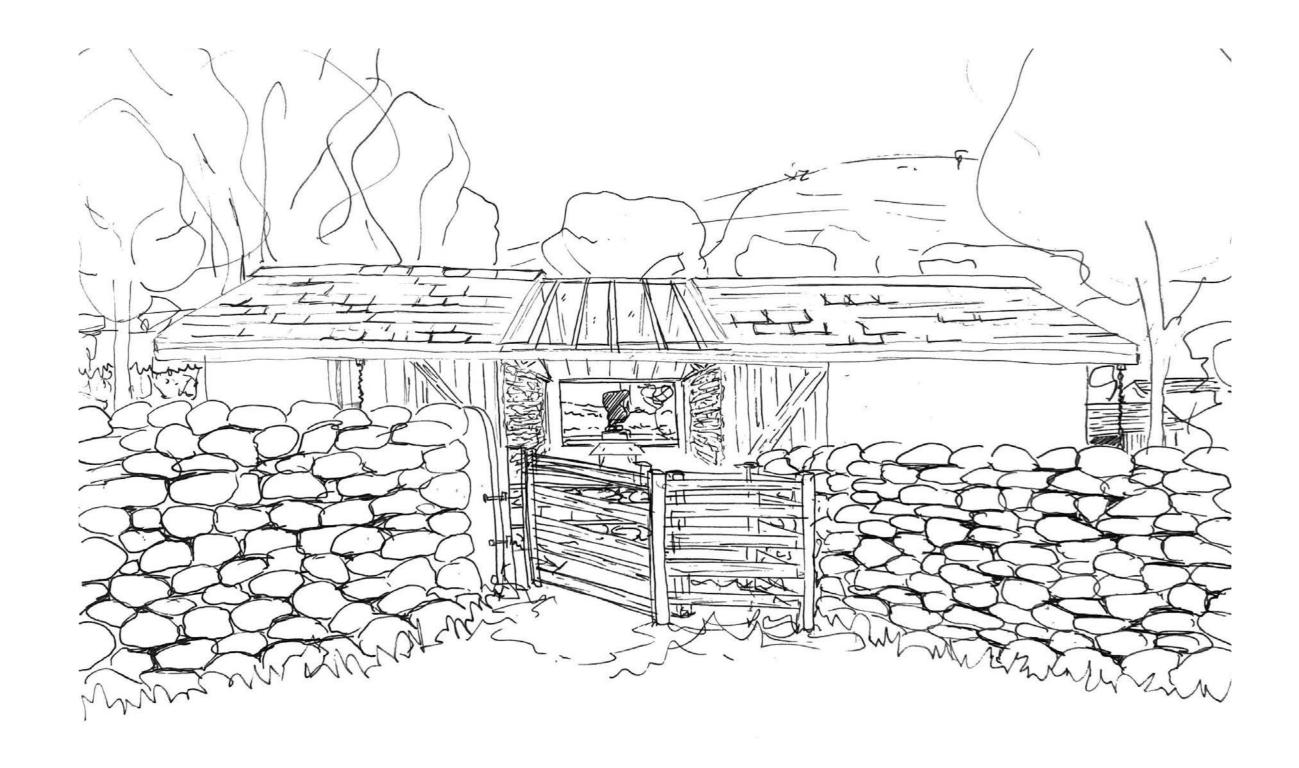
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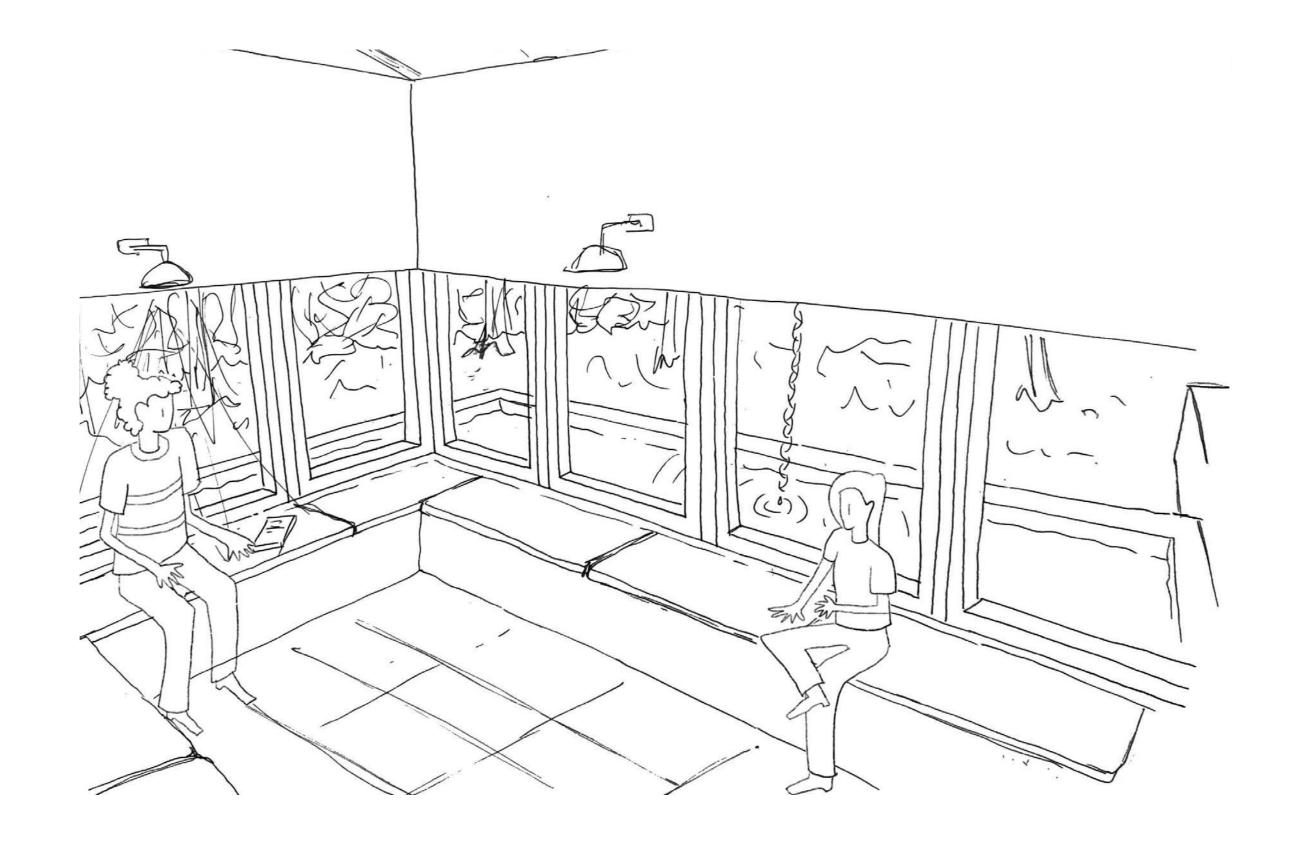




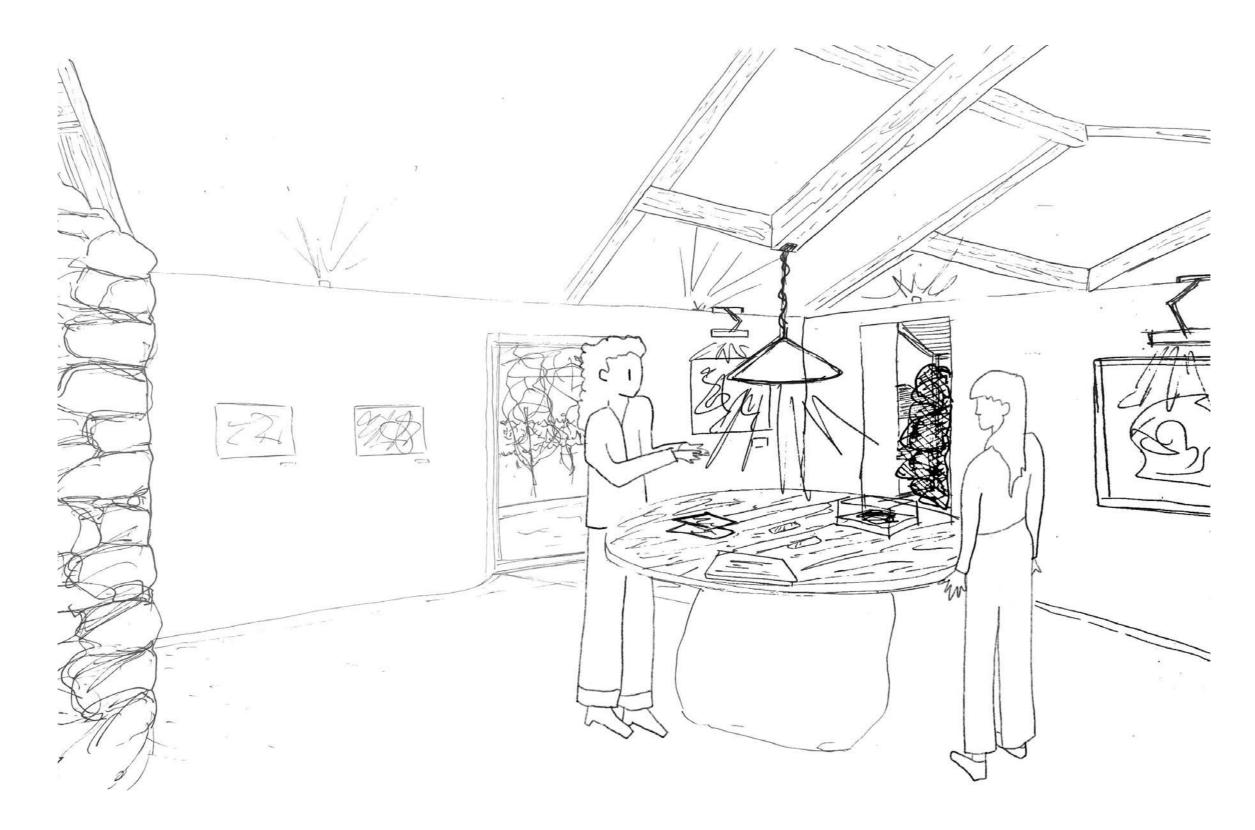








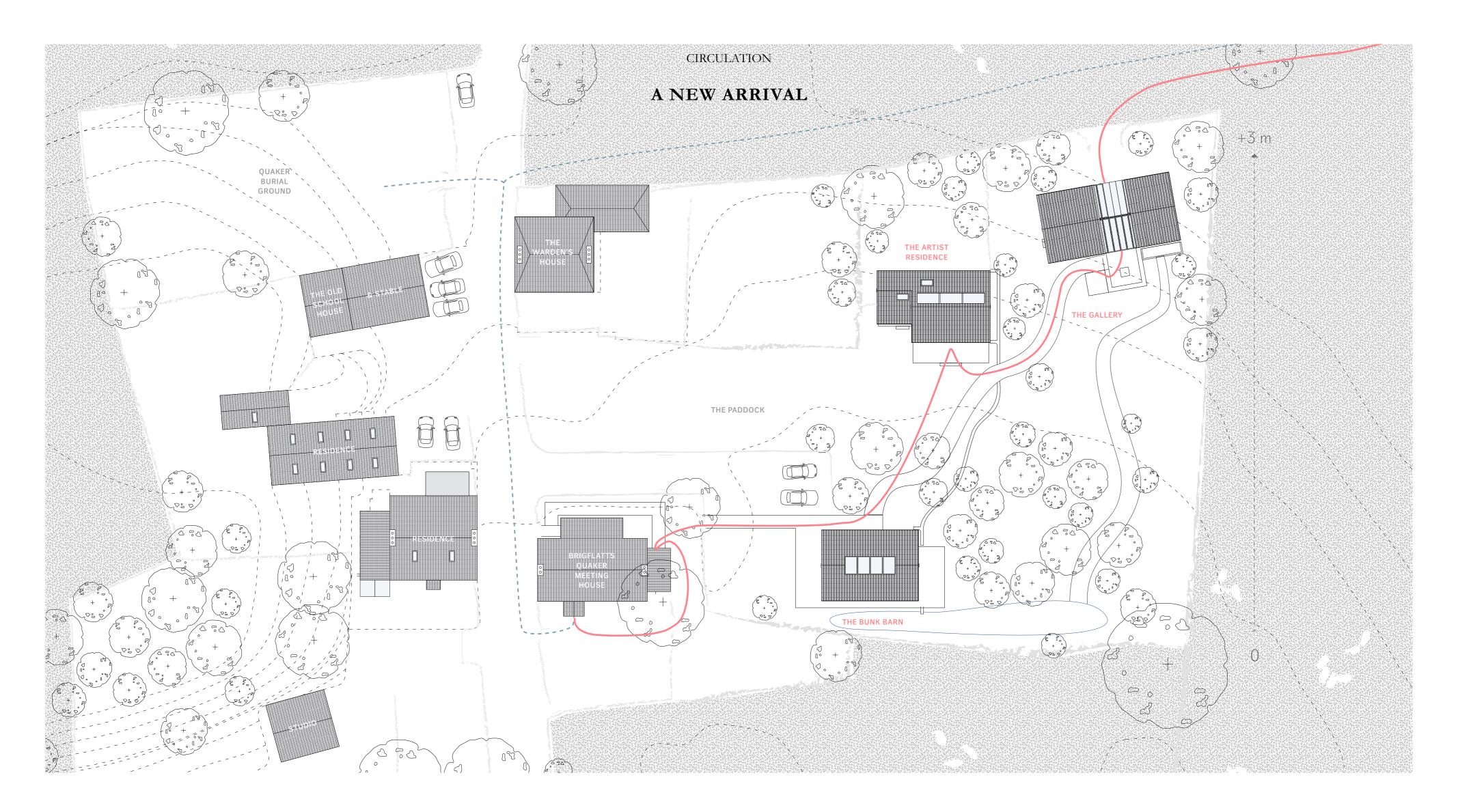
THE GALLERY

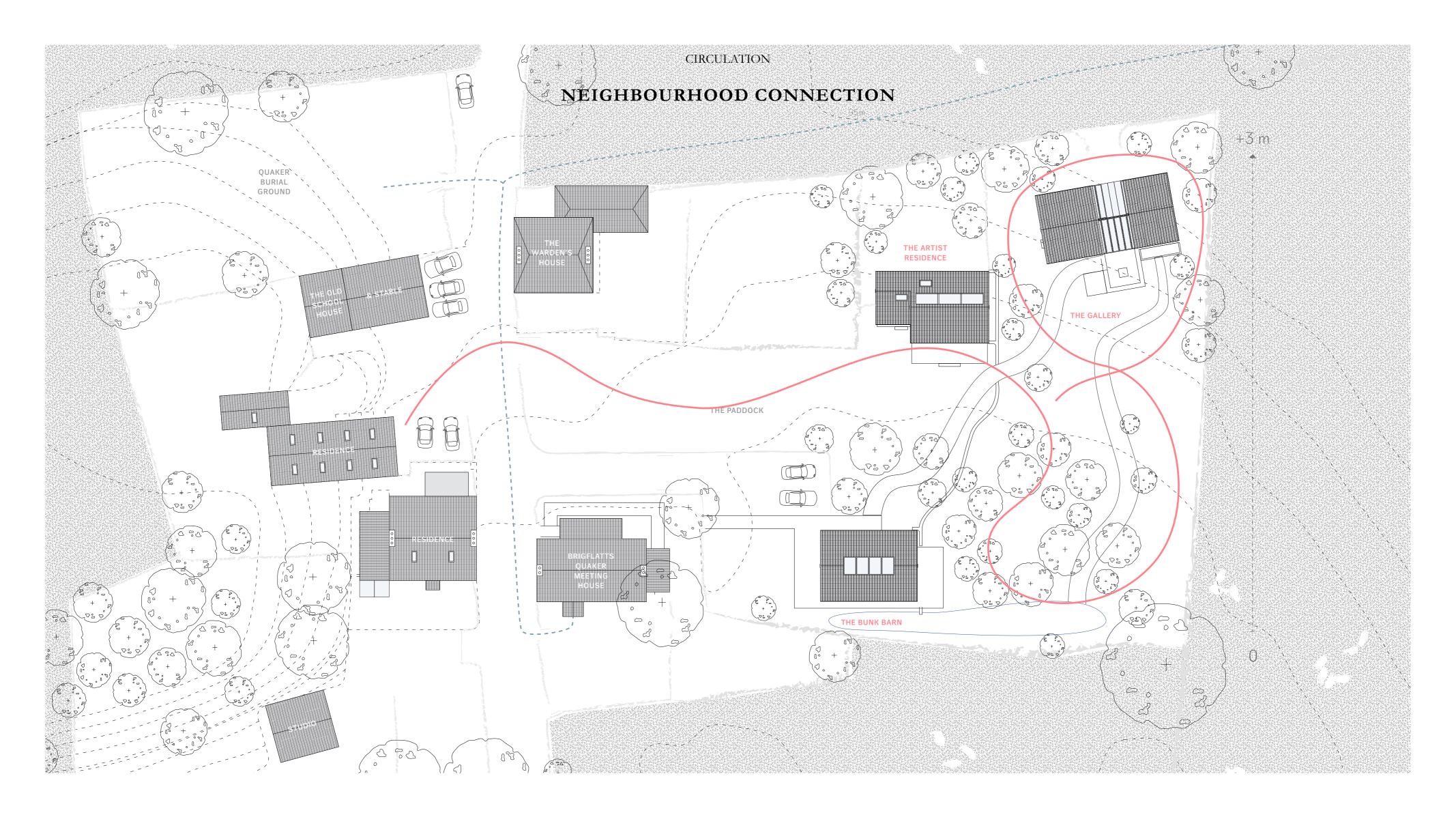


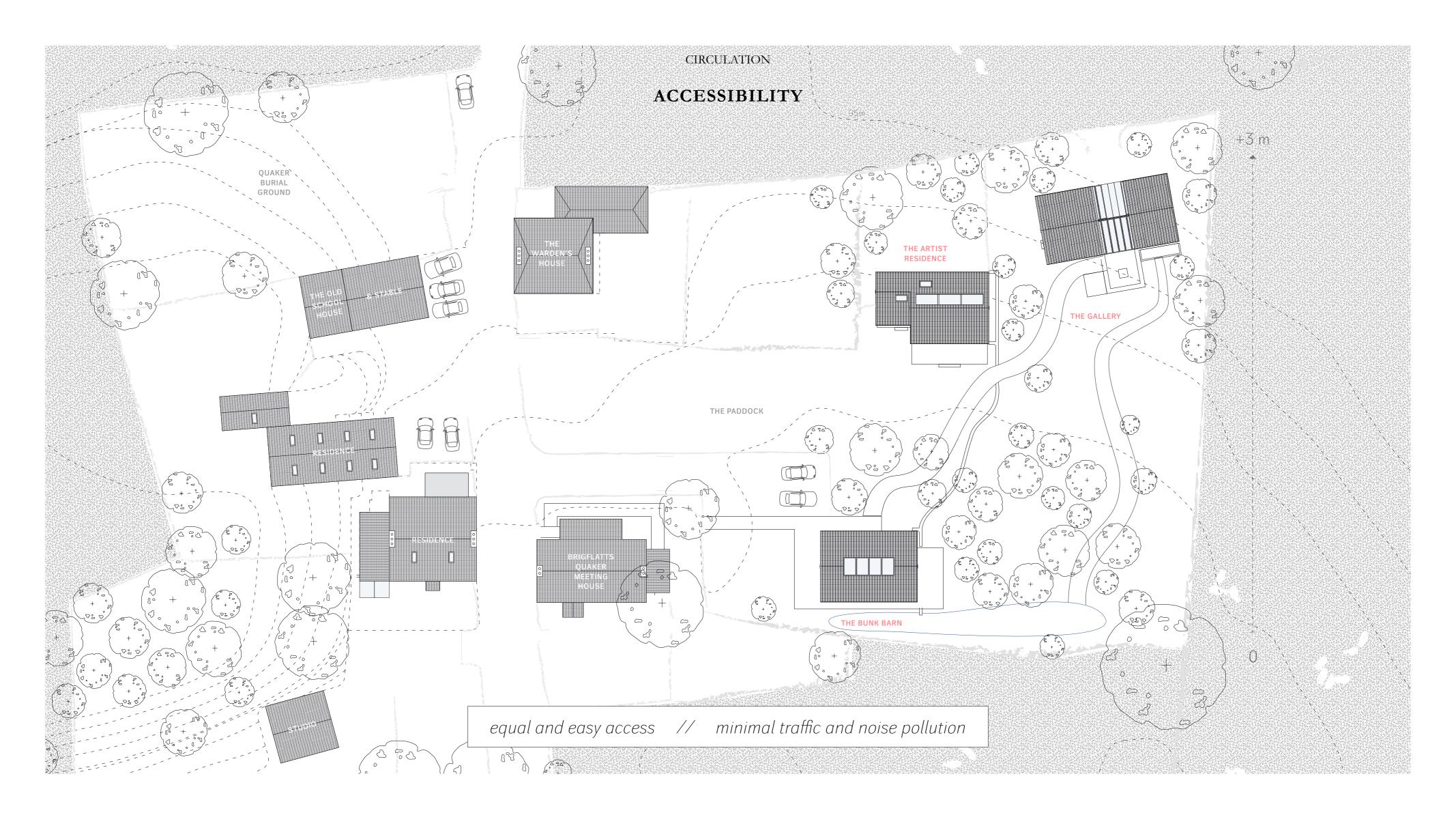
a dynamic space that attracts tourists, locals, and neighbours to visit throughout the year

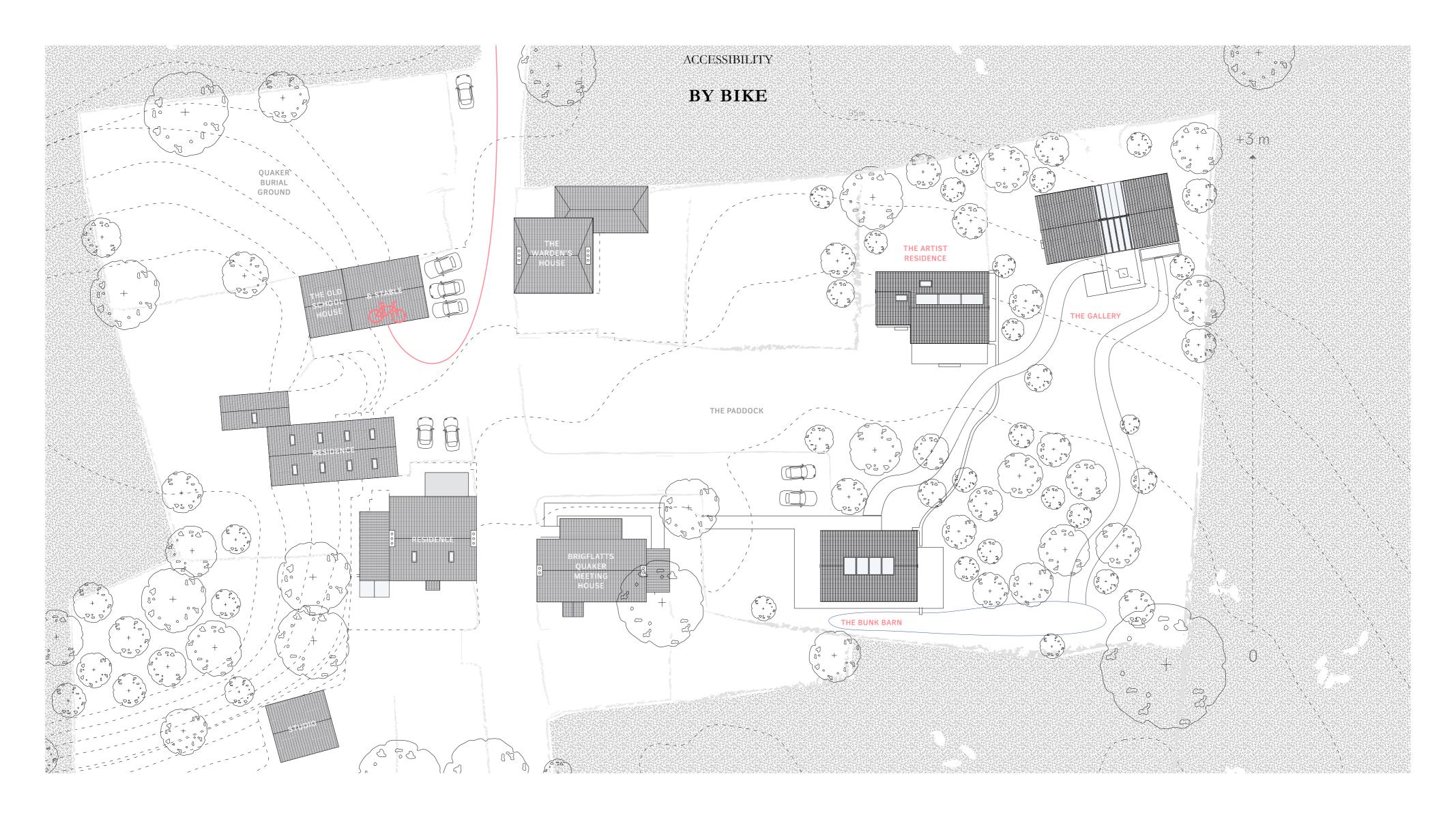


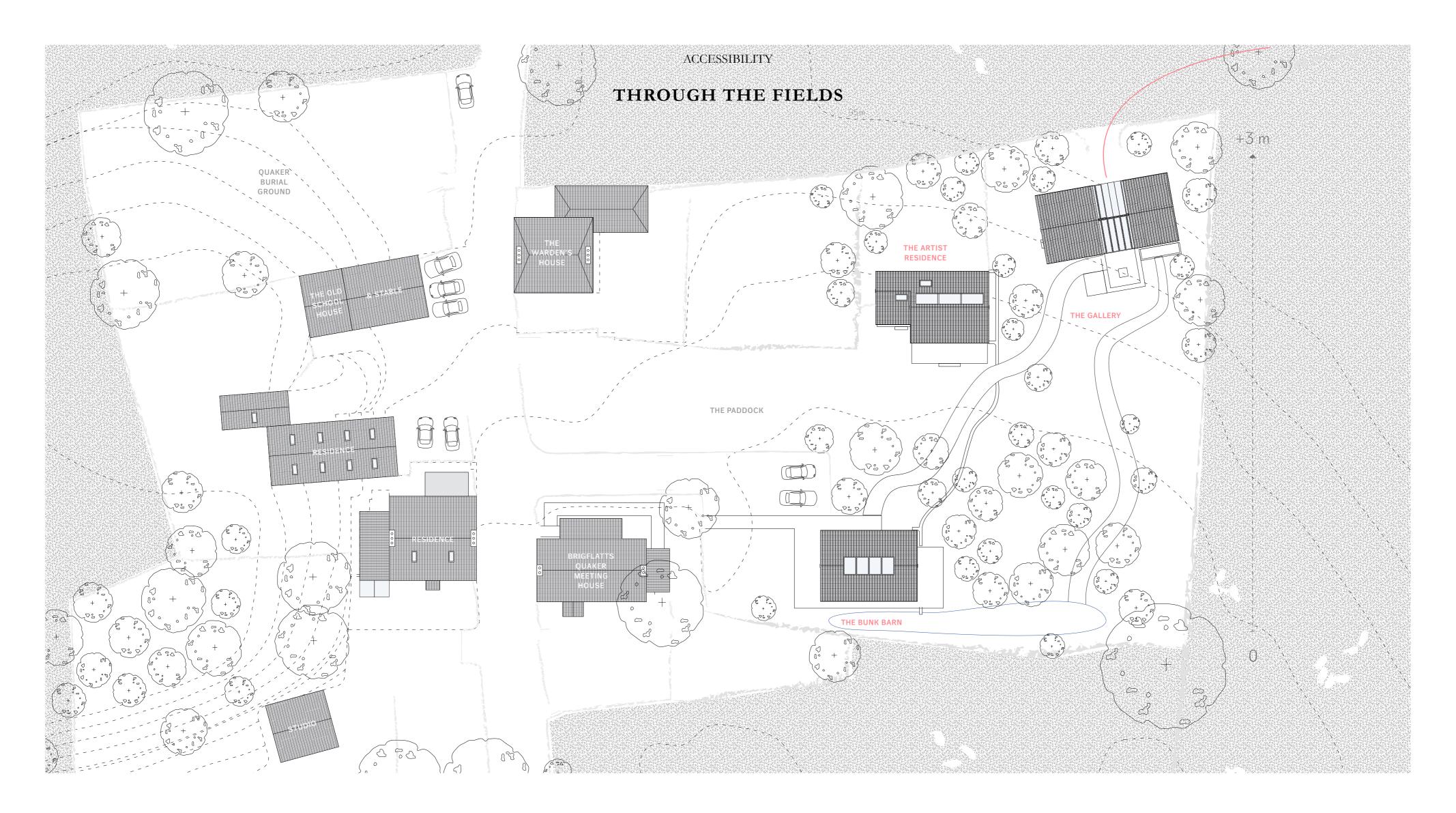


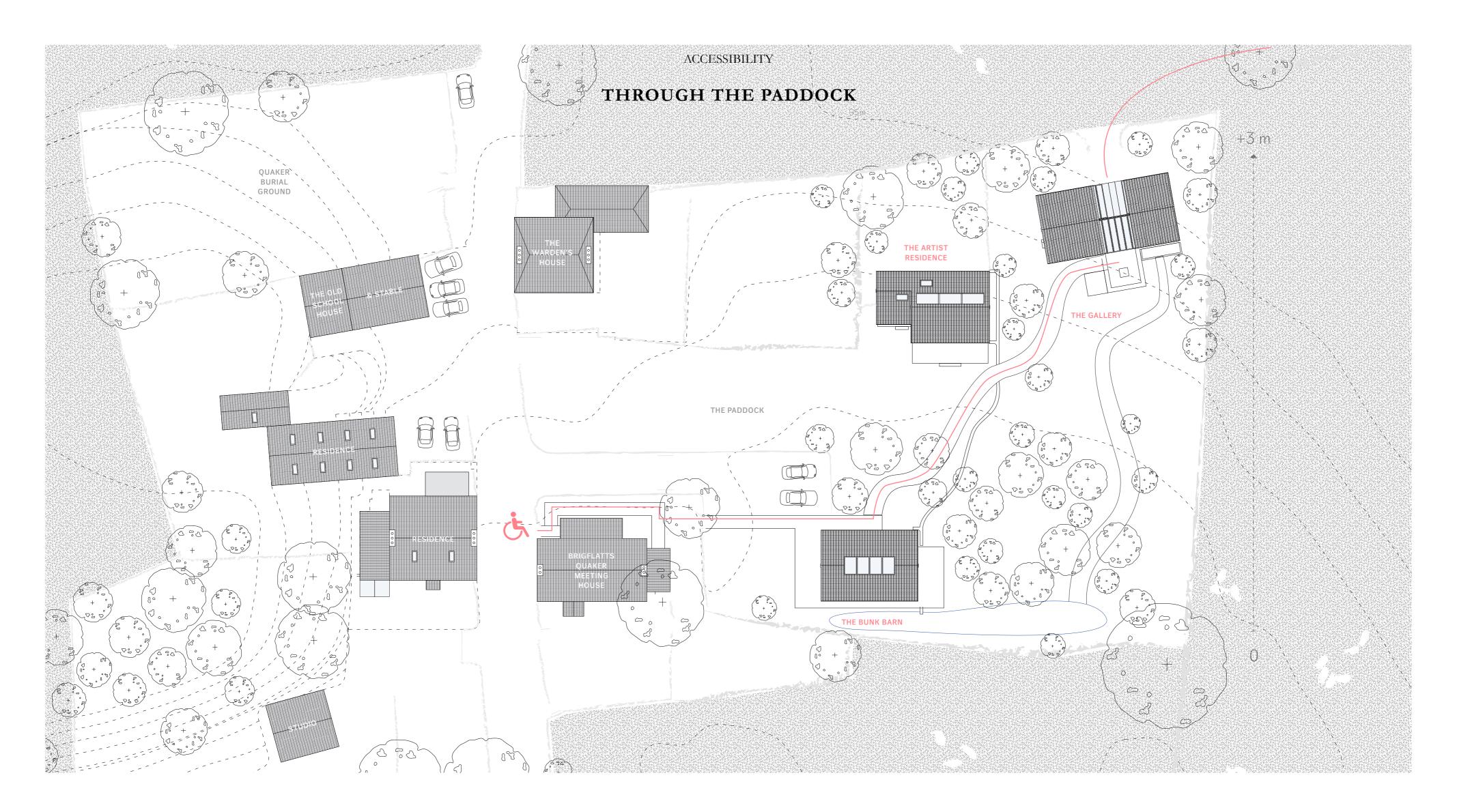


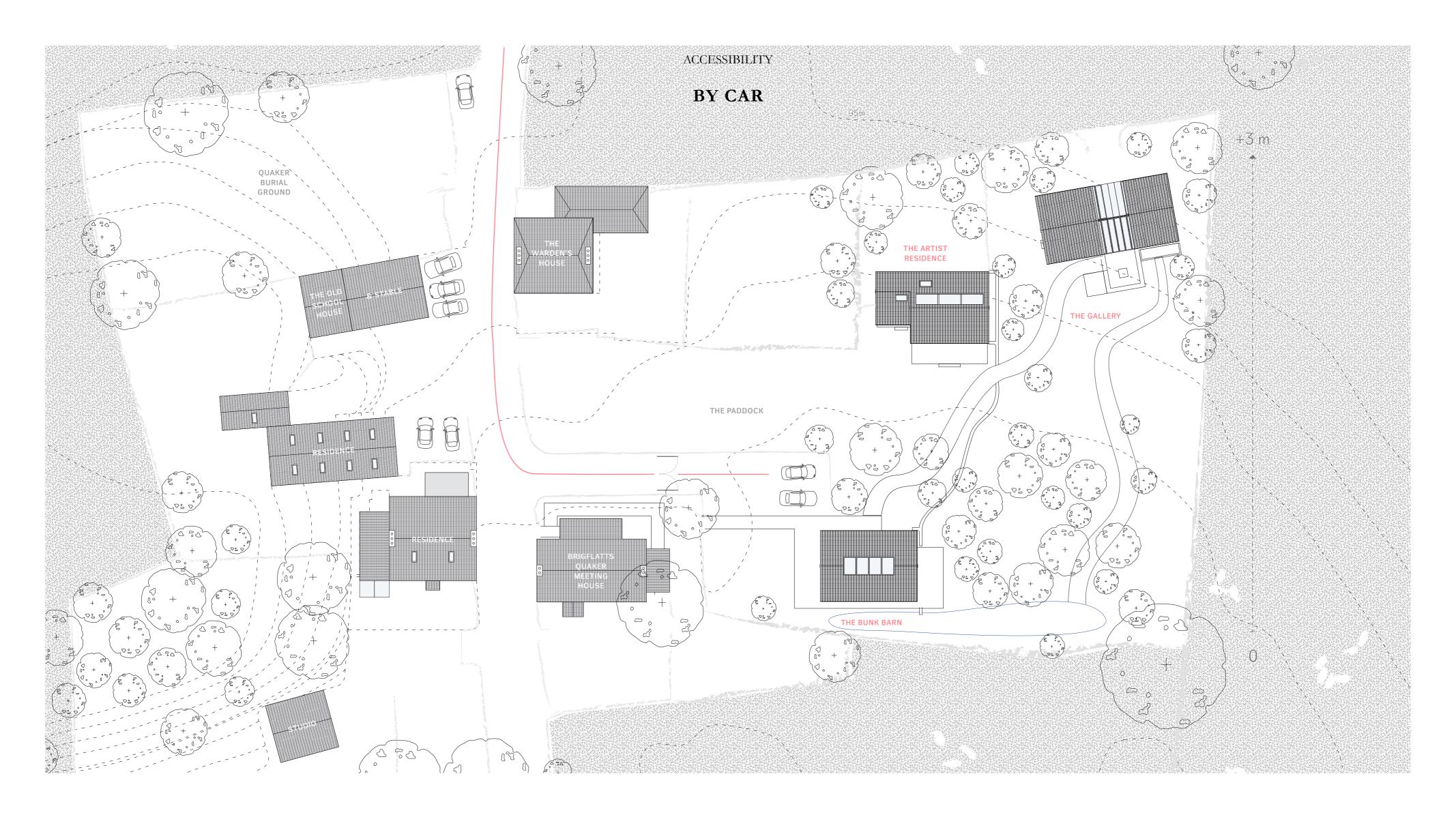












AN ATTUNED ARCHITECTURE

RELATING TO THE VERNACULAR



AN ATTUNED ARCHITECTURE

REQUIREMENTS FROM THE NATIONAL PARK

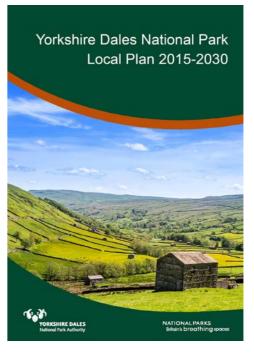
Yorkshire Dales National Park Design Guide



"in keeping with the surroundings"

"preserve the character"

"enhance spacial qualities"



DESIGN APPROACH









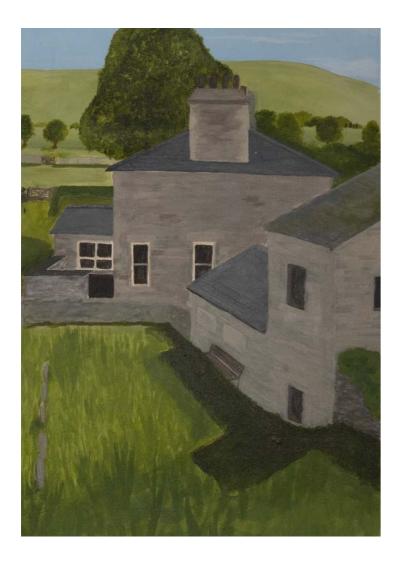




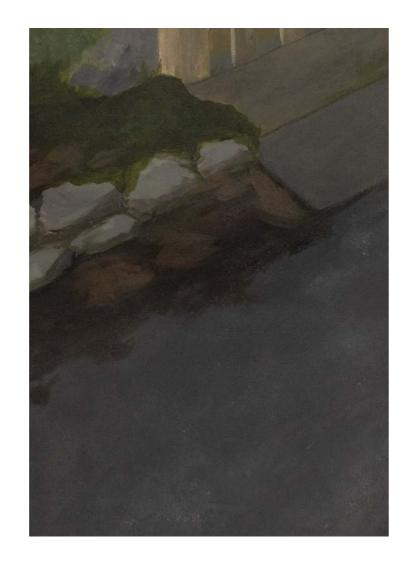


AN ATTUNED ARCHITECTURE

ASPECTS OF ATMOSPHERE



The Body of Architecture





Material Assemblies

Tension between Interior and Exterior



The Light on Things

URBAN COMPOSITION

RHYTHM OF STRUCTURES



URBAN SCALE

PERCEPTION OF PLACE

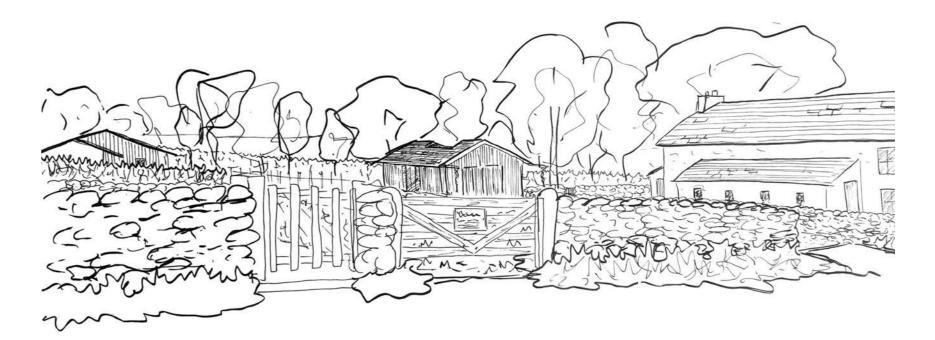


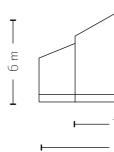


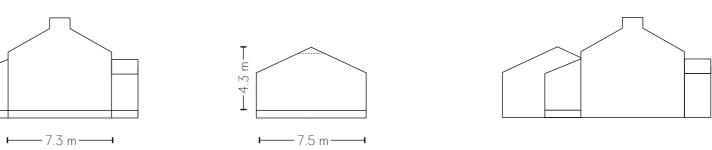
BUILDING SCALE

"THE BODY OF ARCHITECTURE"









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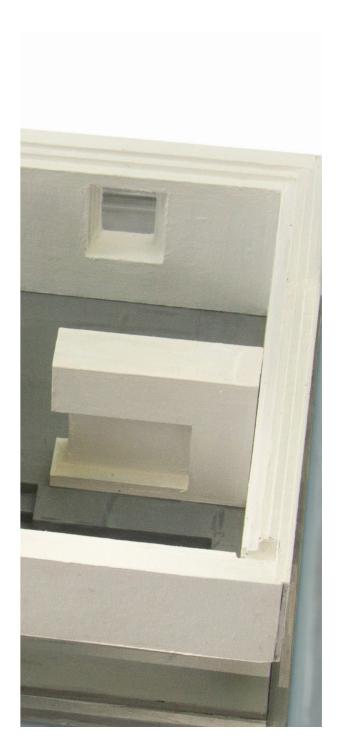
FRAGMENT SCALE

INFORMED MATERIAL ASSEMBLIES



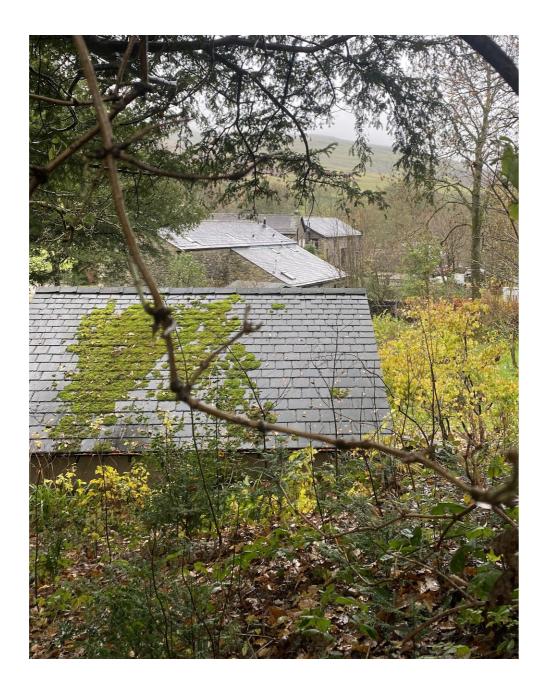






FRAGMENT SCALE

SLATE ROOFS



"the overlapping slate roofs... shiny after it's rained"



FRAGMENT SCALE

FLAG STONES







A SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

Stewardship of the Earth Quakers -

National Park -

Desire for sustainable materials, methods, and energy generation

LOCALLY SOURCED MATERIALS



LOW-TECH CONSTRUCTION METHODS





Source: Building With Hempcrete, The Last Straw

forming hempcrete - volunteers donating their labour in a community event



Source: Making a House out of Eco-Friendly Hemp, Grand Designs

LOW-TECH CONSTRUCTION METHODS



Source: Digging Trench, shutterstock, Ilia Baksheev

digging trenches for rubble foundation and ground source heat pump



Source: wheelbarrow debris, adobe stock, oksanamedvedeva

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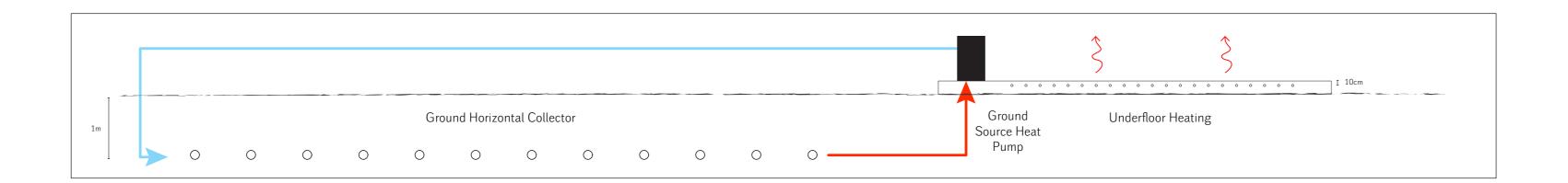
Source: Stone masonry, Sarah Smith



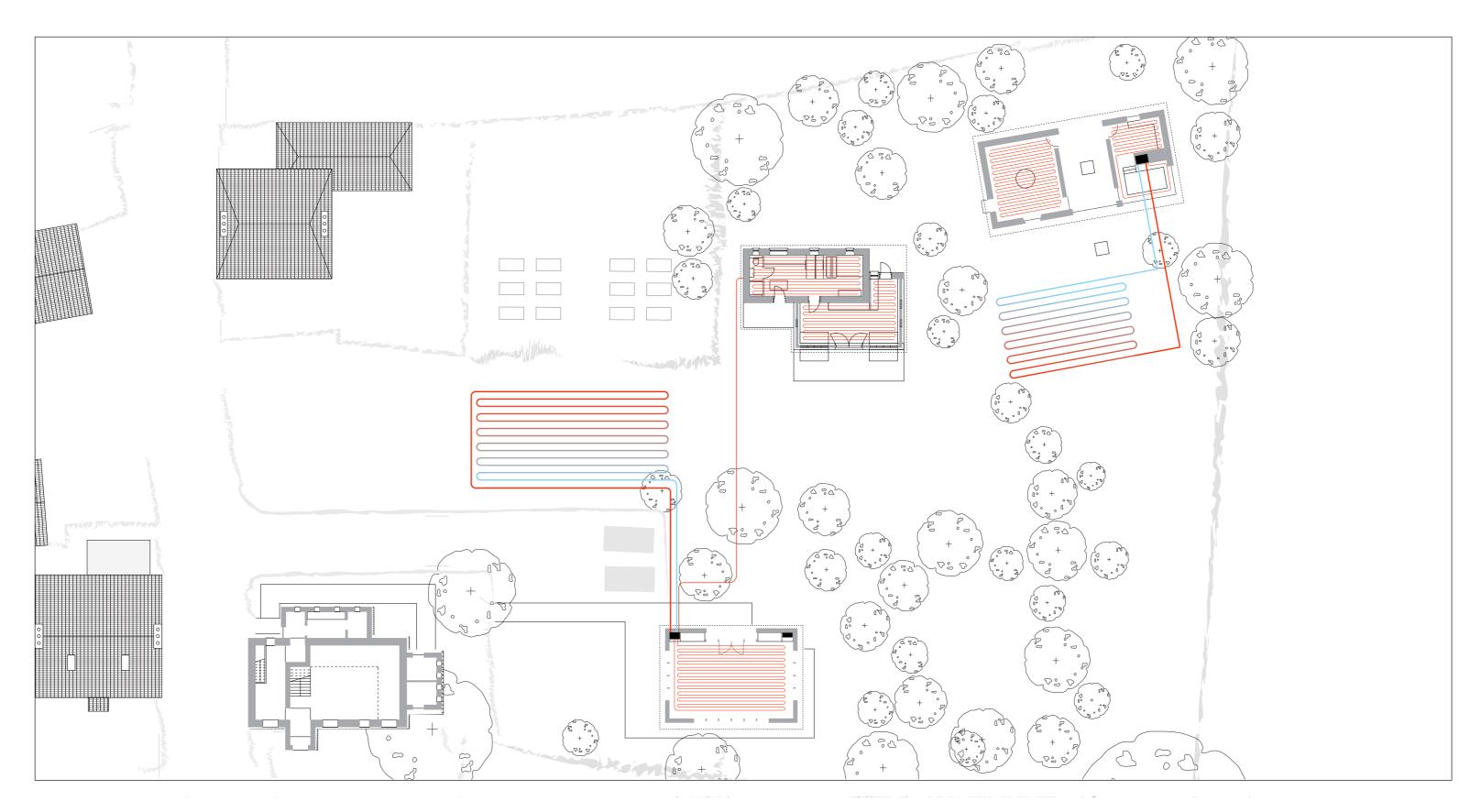
high-skill heritage crafts

Source: Stone wallers, BBC News

ENERGY GENERATION



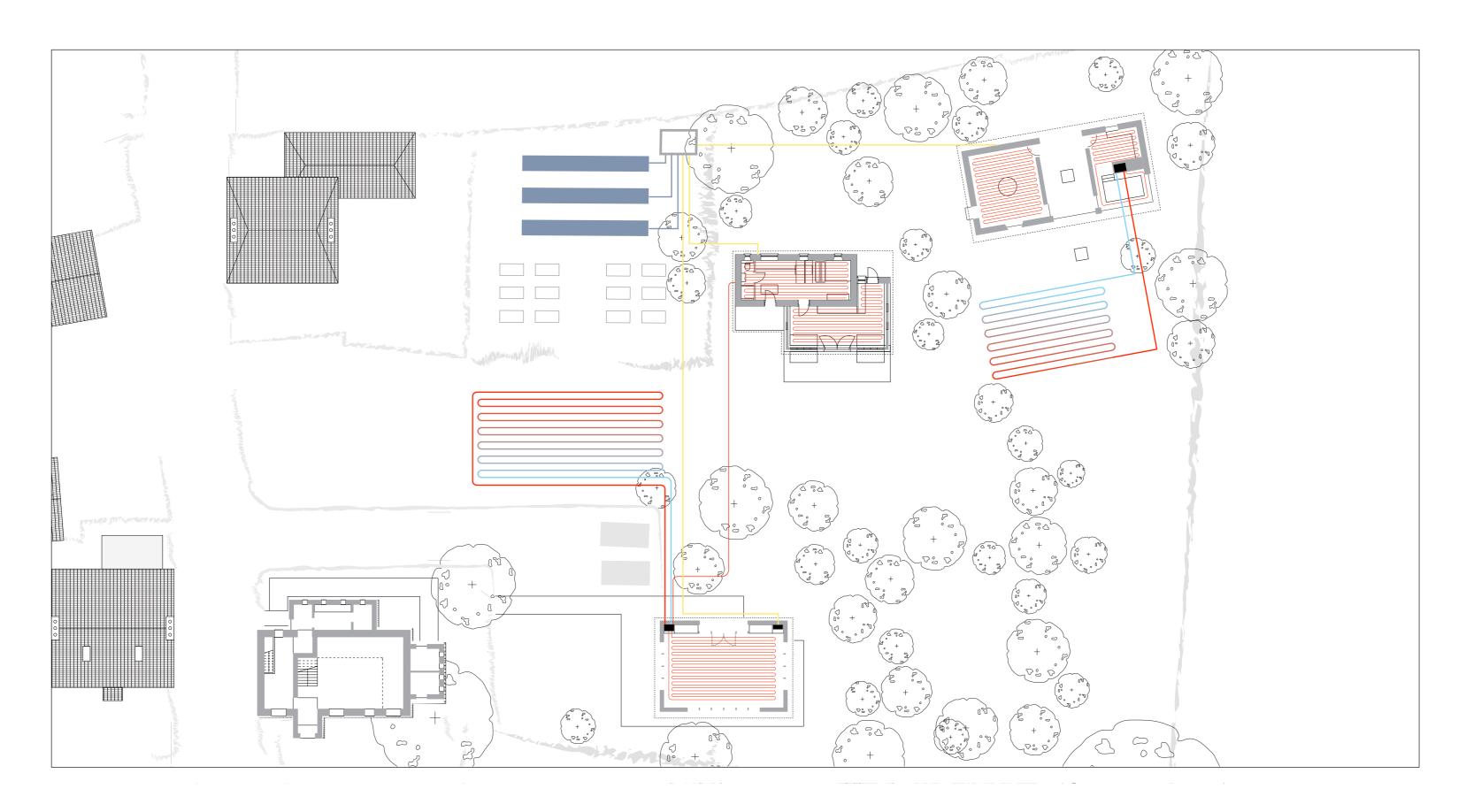
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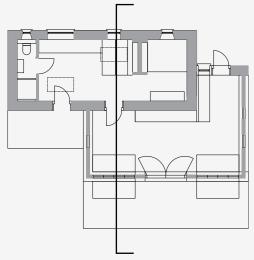


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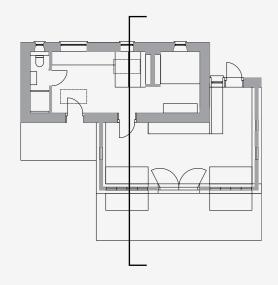
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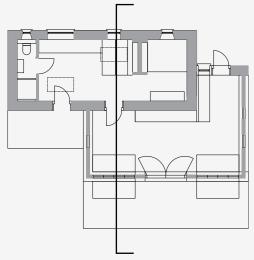


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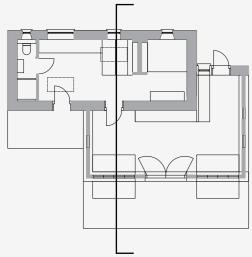


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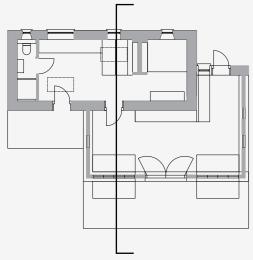






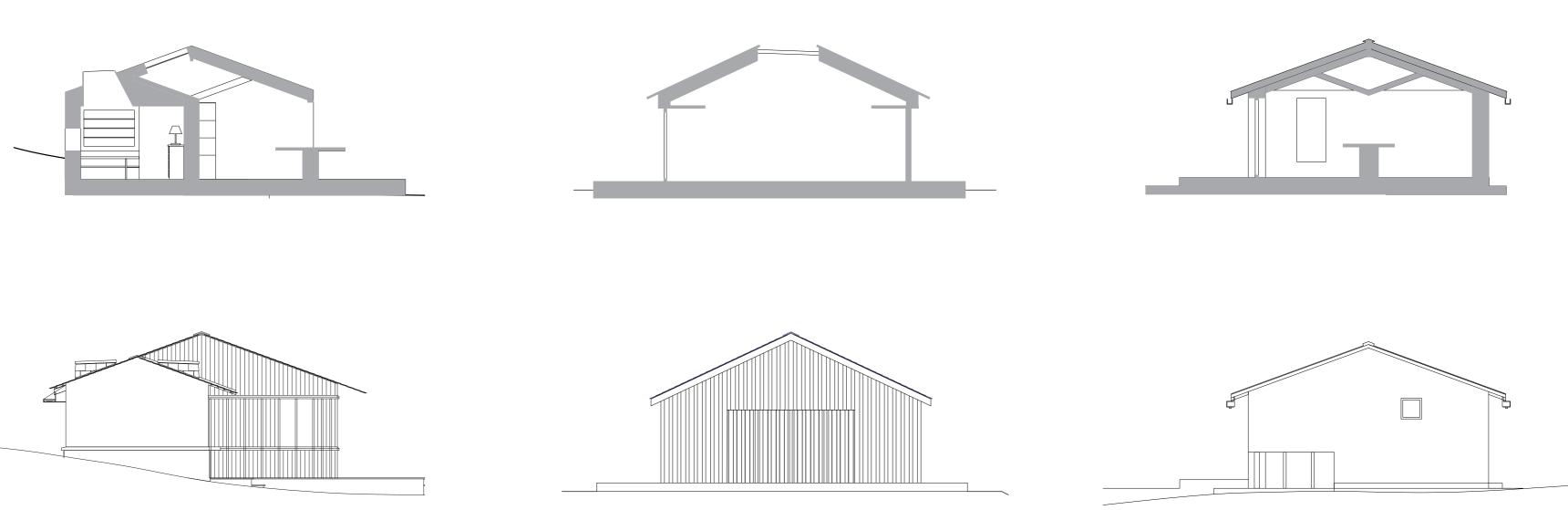


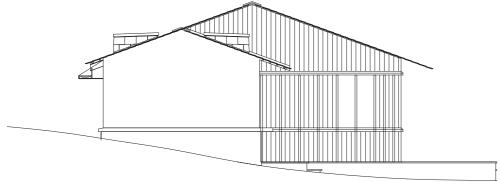




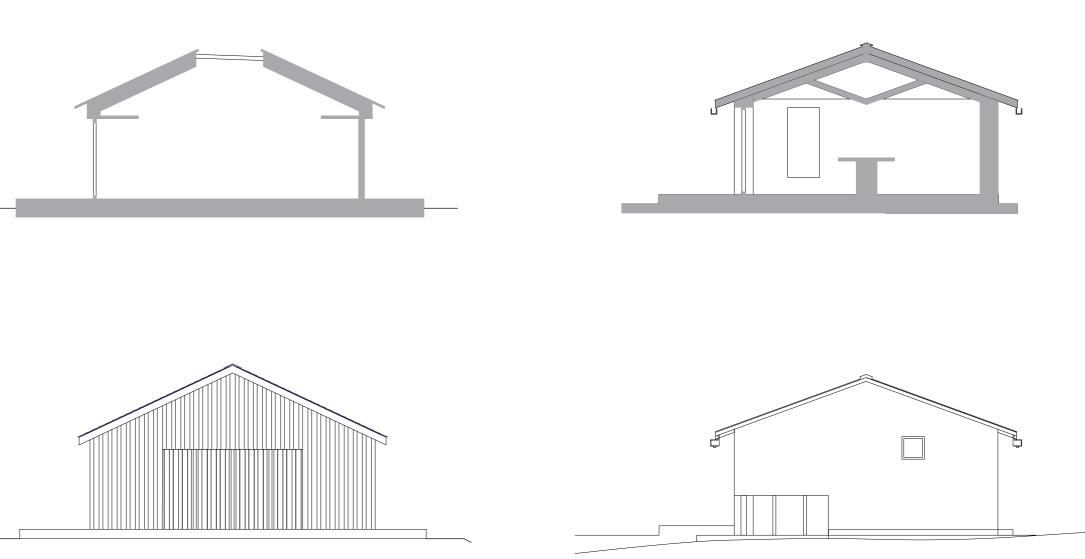


PLAYING WITH FORM AND FINISH





The Artist Residence



The Bunk Barn

The Gallery

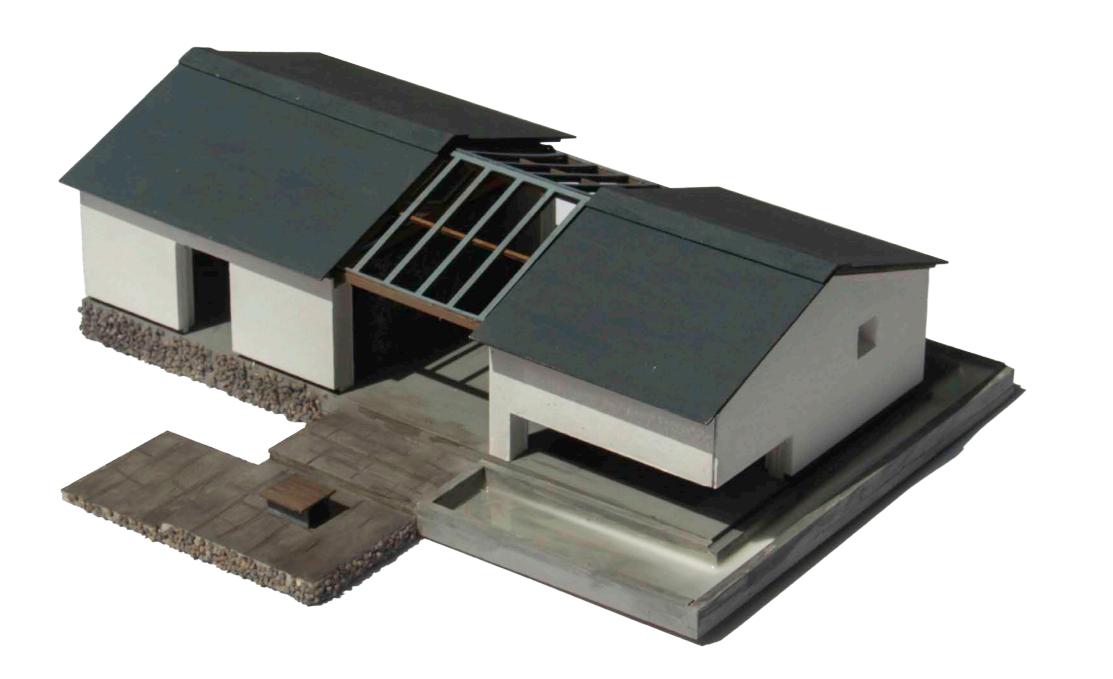
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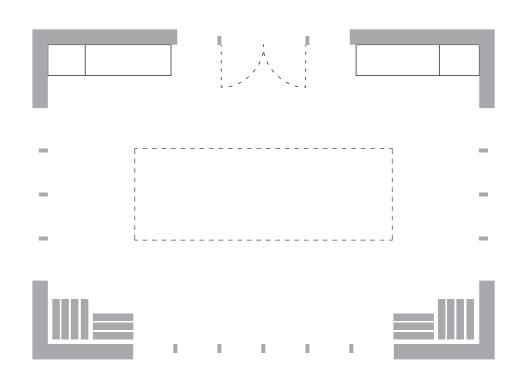


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integrity & simplicity



DESIGNING WITH LOCAL BODIES









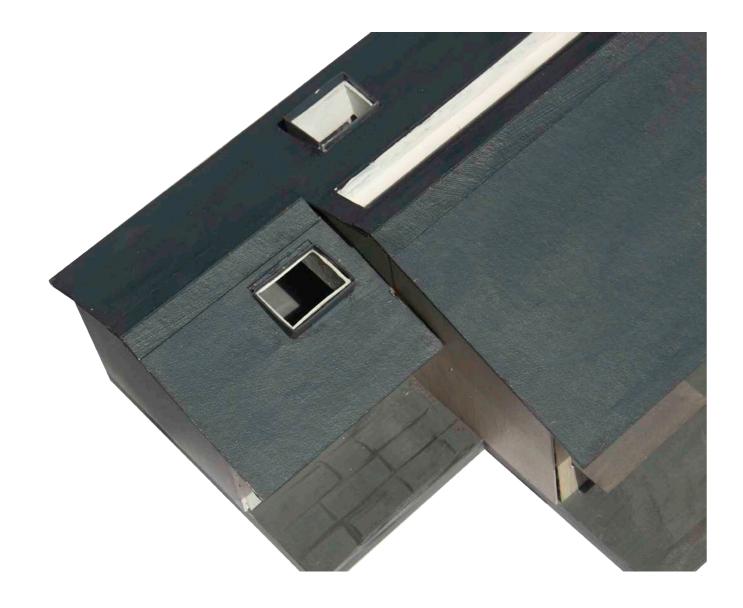


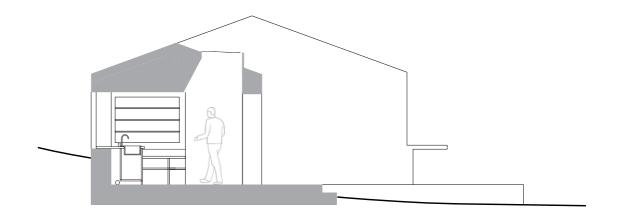


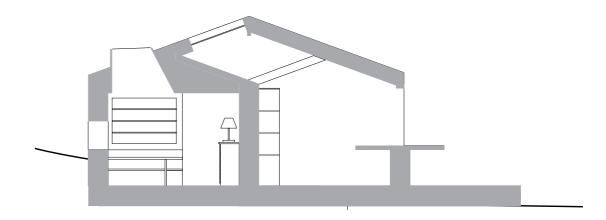






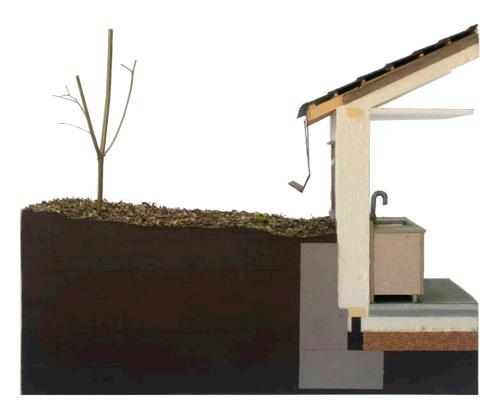






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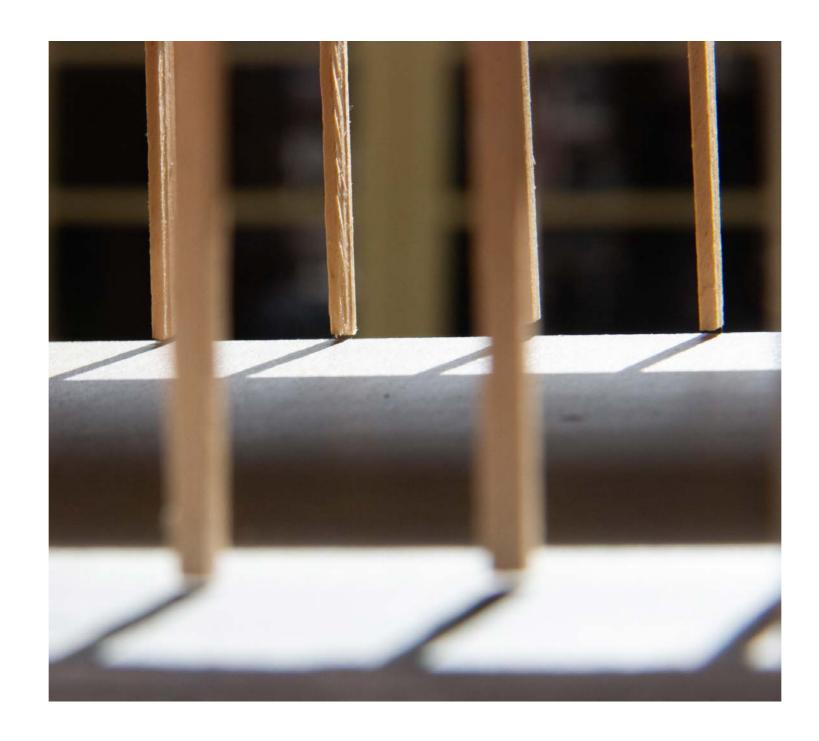
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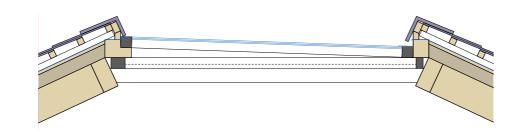
LIGHT AND PATTERN



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THE BUNK BARN



"It's a good place for watching the stars."

PORCHES



ATTUNING TO INHABITANTS

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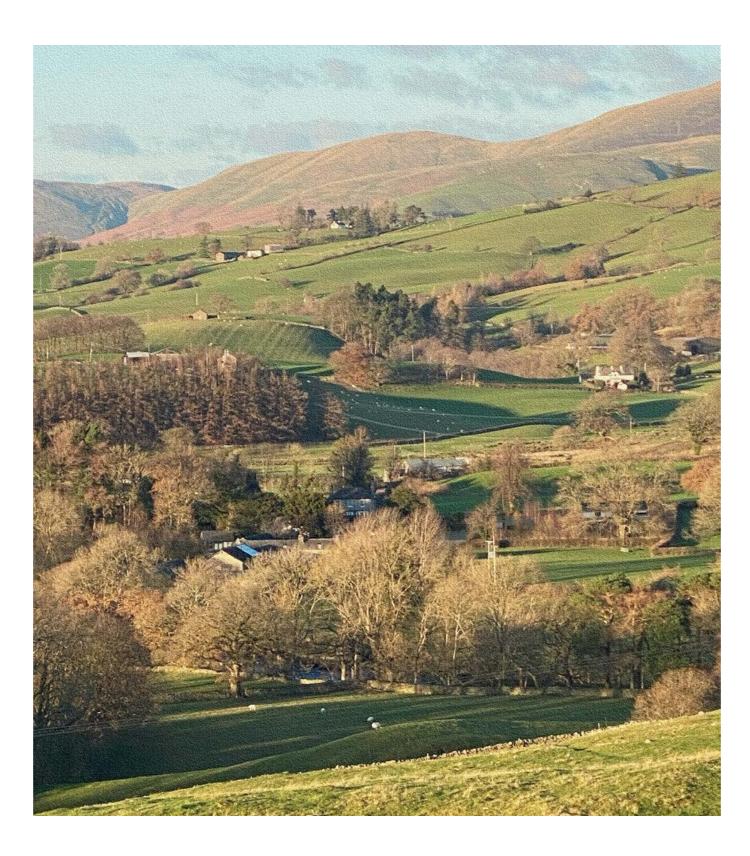




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FINAL THOUGHTS