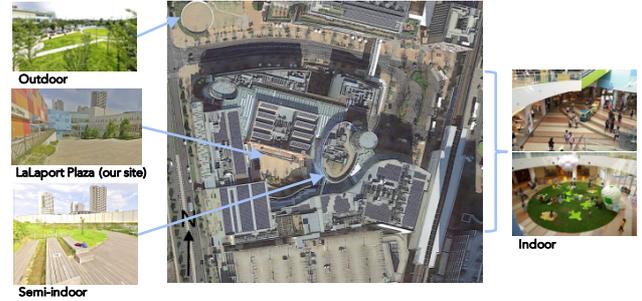
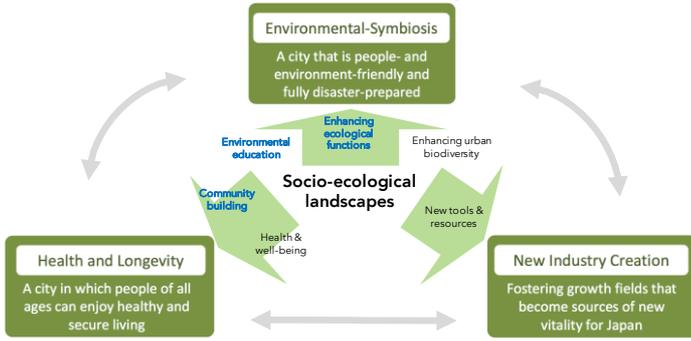


# A step towards the Kashiwanoha Smart City Vision – Common grounds

# Similar spaces in the vicinity



## Why LALAPORT Plaza?

High visibility & human traffic (especially families with children)

Relatively large space that can support multiple uses/functions

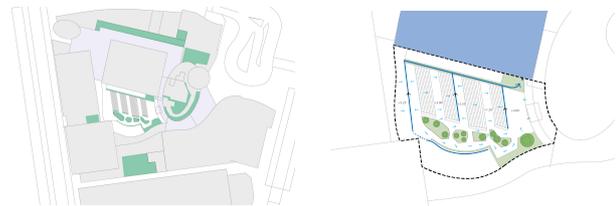
Opportunities to optimise ecological function and the seasonality of human use (hourly, weekly, annually)

How can we enhance biophysical function at the site?  
How can we build community and promote environmental education amongst existing users?

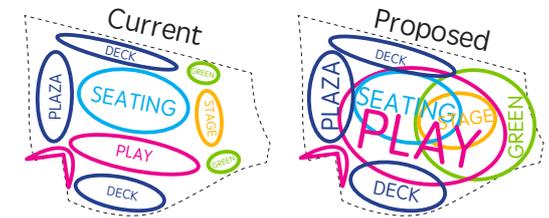
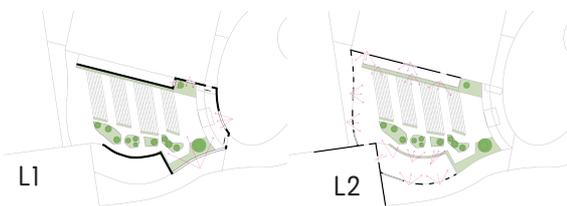
### Site analysis – ‘Social’ (accessibility)



### Site analysis – Blue and Green (hydrology)

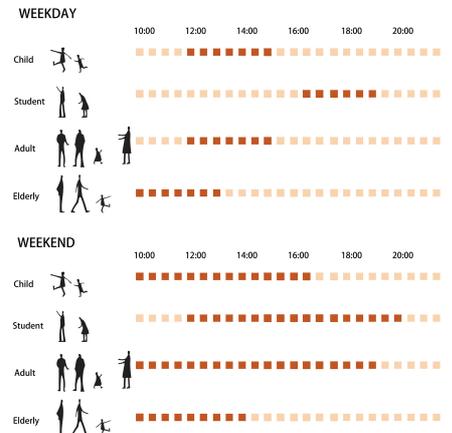
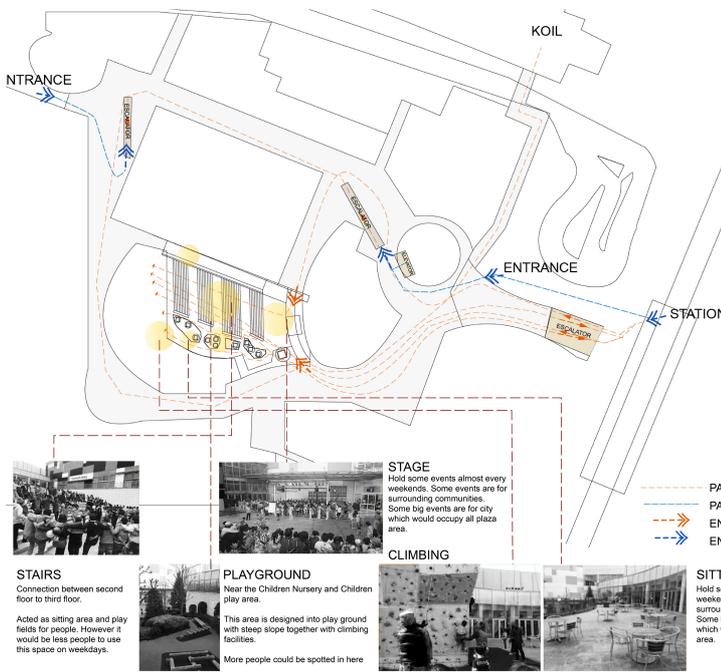
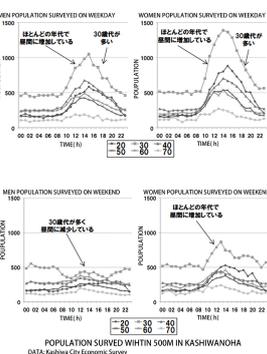


### Site analysis – ‘Social’ (visual porosity)



Zoned Functions      Overlapping Functions

### Site analysis – ‘Social’ (activity mapping)

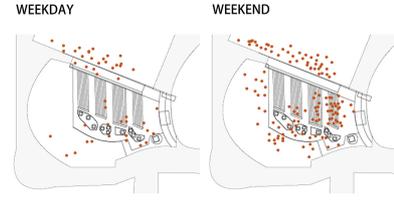


**STAIRS**  
Connection between second floor to third floor.  
Acts as sitting area and play fields for people. However it would be less people to use this space on weekdays.

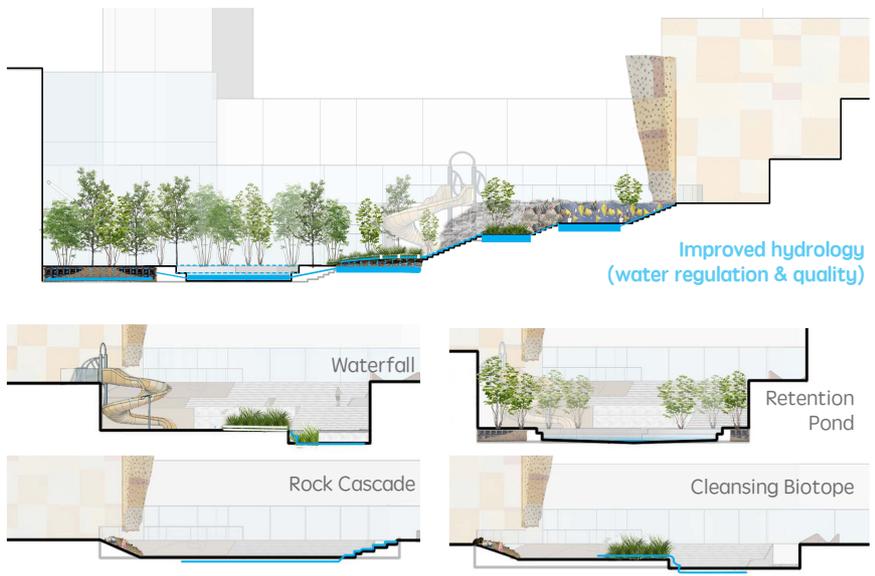
**STAGE**  
Hold some events almost every weekends. Some events are for surrounding communities. Some big events are for city which would occupy all plaza area.

**PLAYGROUND**  
Near the Children Nursery and Children play area.  
This area is designed into play ground with steep slope together with climbing facilities.  
More people could be spotted in here

**SITTING**  
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POPULATION SURVEYED WITHIN 500M IN KASHIWANOHA  
DATA: Kashiwa City Economic Survey



Improved hydrology  
(water regulation & quality)

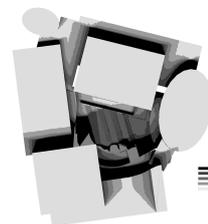
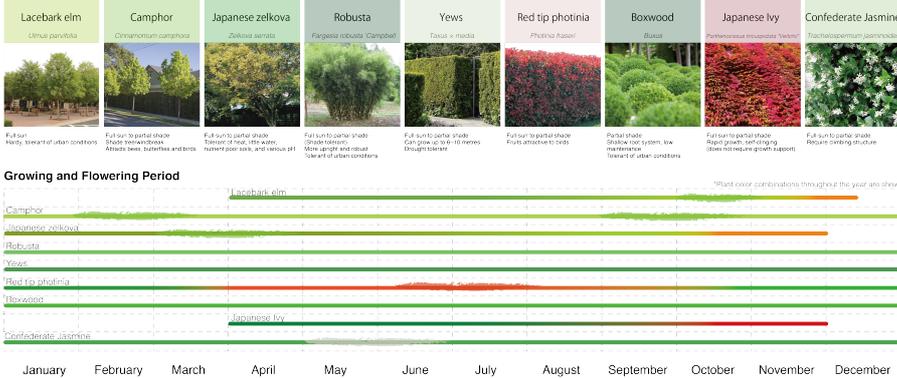
Waterfall

Retention Pond

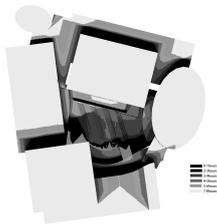
Rock Cascade

Cleansing Biotope

## Enhance site versatility and ecological performance



Summer Solstice June 21st



Winter Solstice December 22nd

Leveraging on seasonality  
Solar shading & wind block

## Promote the use of the site as a communal and educational space



The **LIVING** Room  
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