

# GARDEN DESIGN PROCESS



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Jon Gower designs gardens unique to each client's specific requirements. It's Jon's job to inspire you and show you what is possible in your own garden.

To do this Jon needs to understand your aims and objectives for the space. He'll ask you lots of questions about how you want to use your garden, the elements you'd like included in your design, and how he can make the most of your budget.







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### First Meeting

This is a free, no obligation visit to meet you and chat about your garden. It gives Jon the opportunity to see the space and understand your general aspirations for your dream garden.

Jon will talk you through the process from design right through to the building of the garden and will be happy to answer all your questions.

Together, you will discuss your budget and preferred timescales. Jon will then send you a quote for the design work discussed, together with his terms and conditions.





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### Second Meeting & Sight Survey

The next step is for Jon to spend time with you to develop a detailed design brief. This will include everything from how you wish to use the space, what style of design you prefer, what plants and flowers you like and, equally important, what you don't like, to specific elements or features you would like to see.

At the same visit Jon will carry out a site analysis and survey. This will be used to create the scaled drawing of your garden, which will include the position of the house, levels, boundaries, existing paved areas, existing trees, the position of services (pipes, drainage, etc).

Larger and more complex sites will require a more detailed survey carried out by a dedicated survey company.



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## Concept Design

From your design brief, Jon will design the scheme and draw up a scaled 2D layout top plan illustrating the proposed areas of hard landscaping and soft landscaping (plants and lawns) and detailing any changes in levels, walls, steps, water features, and the like.

A moodboard will accompany concepts to help visualise the atmosphere/style/'feel' of the proposed design.

At this stage, a third meeting will take place to discuss the proposal and make any necessary amendments.



MOOD BOARD











### Master Plan Document

Once the concept design has been agreed, using a combination of hand rendered and computer generated designs in both 2D and 3D (depending on your budget), presentation plans are drawn up with full details of hard landscaping, features and design elements to bring the overall design to life.



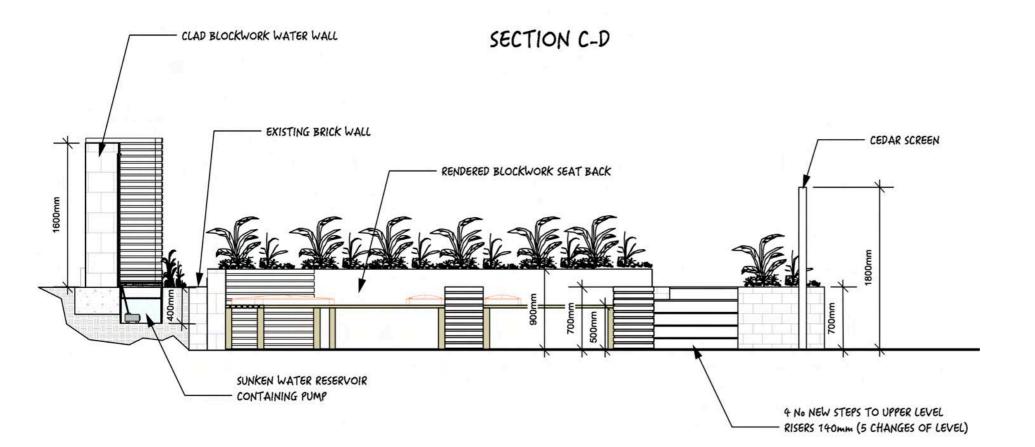


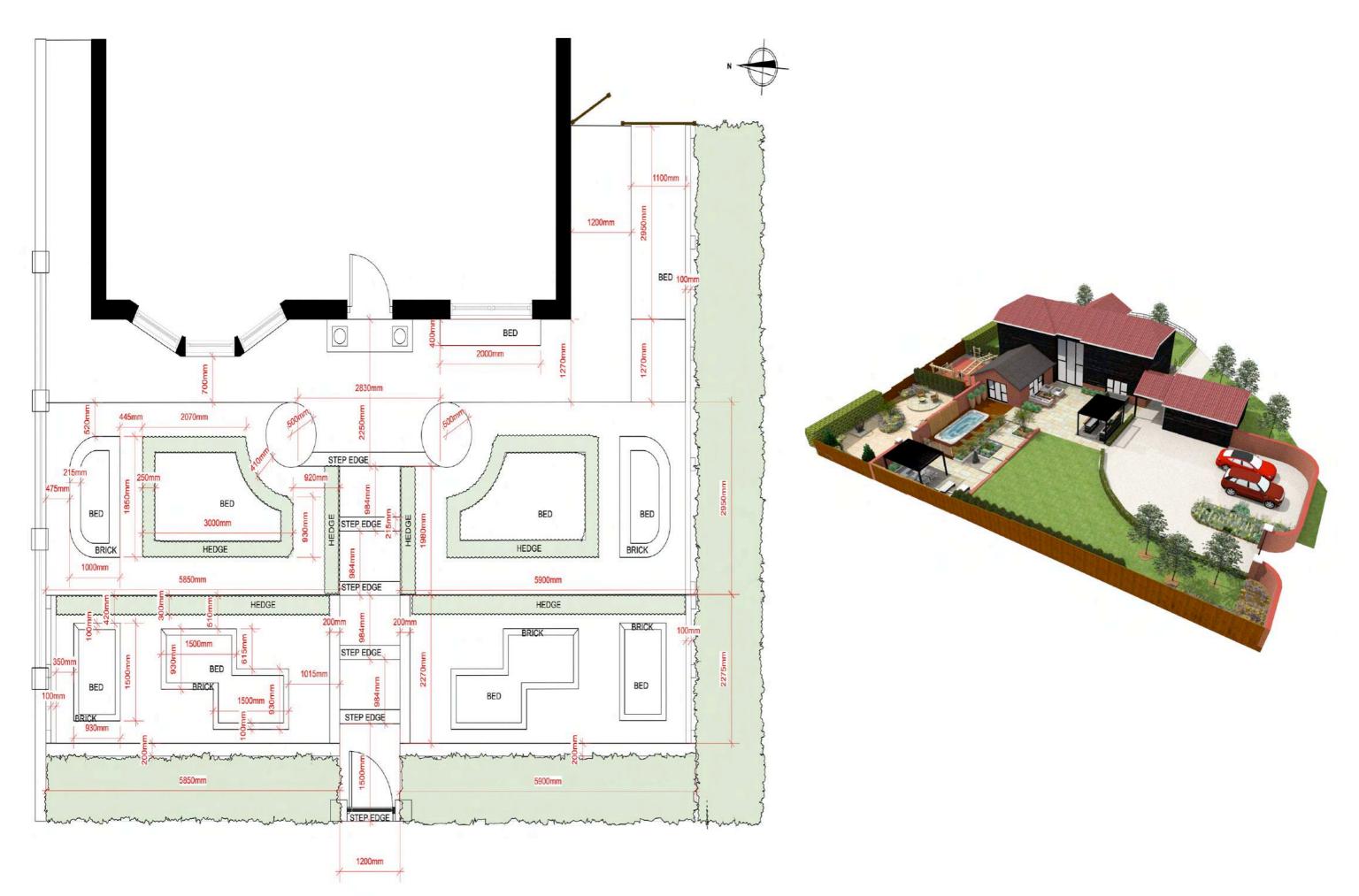
# **Technical Drawings**

Jon will provide all detail construction specifications and drawings required to build the garden. This could be anything from standard retaining wall drawings to a bespoke water feature.

Technical drawings include full setting out plans, levels and construction details to allow landscape contractors to provide a broken-down quotation for the build of the new design.

Having prepared the detailed specification for the construction of your new garden, Jon can then introduce you to accredited landscapers that he has worked with and obtain quotations for the build. Jon can also project monitor the build to ensure that all the design details are created as intended.





# Planting Design

A full detailed planting plan will also be created. This will consist of a pictorial view of the plants, detailed planting positions showing the placing of each individual plant and its eventual size, plus a full plant list together with the pot size to be planted at.





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BULBS 30 x Alium "Mount Everest" 30 x Tulip "White Dream"

### LOW HEDGING

120 x Euonymus japonicas "Jean Hugues" (4 per metre)





Cupressus arizonica var. glabra 'Fastigiata', pom pom form (Smooth Arizona cypress 'Fastigiata', pom pom form)









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(Allium 'Mount verest')

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(Shrubby bindweed)

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Iris 'White Swirl' (Iris 'White Swirl')



x superbum (Shasta daisy)



'Waterwheel' (Confederate jasmine 'Waterwheel')



isia 'Powis Castle' (Wormwood 'Powis Castle')



Astrantia 'Snow (Masterwort 'Snow Star')



cneorum (Shrubby bindweed)



Cornus canadensis (Dwarf cornel)



Philadelphus 'Belle Etoile' (Mock orange 'Belle Etoile')



Rosa 'lceberg' (Rosa 'Iceberg')



Stipa tenuissima (Mexican feather grass)



Tulipa 'White Dream' (Tulip 'White Dream')

