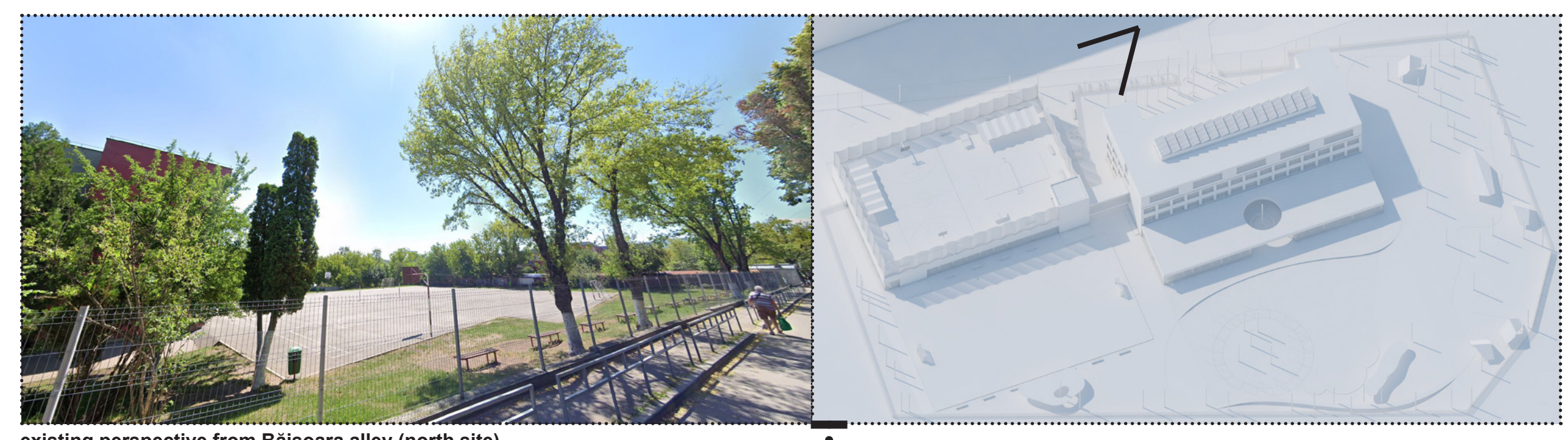
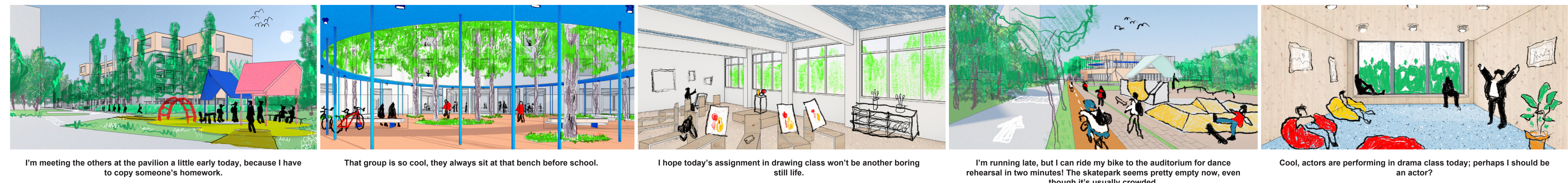


**ELEMENTARY SCHOOL\_north site\_story diary:**



**HIGHSCHOOL\_south site\_story diary:**



**Layeredness**  
 Our design intention was to create a refreshing oasis in the dense residential area, where the two school buildings, their courtyards, and the public spaces between them present a coherent, arranged image and create an inspiring environment for learning. It is a scientifically proven fact that the built environment has an impact on mental health, which is especially important at this young age when everything is about growth, discovery, and personal development. The guiding principle was to use high-quality, timeless natural materials and to create as strong a functional and visual connection to the courtyard as possible. When extending the existing buildings, we prioritized rationally and adaptability to the conditions, while also attempting to visually demonstrate the temporal layering between old and new. The lightweight extensions are constructed with CLT panels, so the interior wooden surfaces indicate the new building parts. Externally, these new structures get thermal insulation and a highly textured, vertically "raked" plaster, with colorful paintings and large openings. Although they are simple in form just like the existing structure, their colors, and textures are strikingly different.

