

# BUTTERFLY GARDEN

## TURONET PARK | Cerdanyola del Vallès

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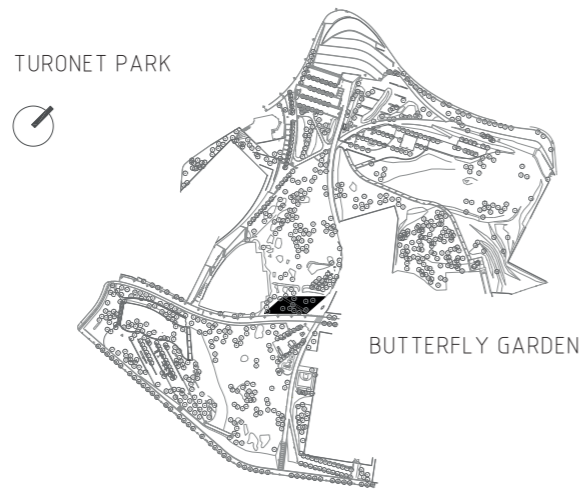
CERDANYOLA DEL VALLÈS | 01-03 2017 | 830 M<sup>2</sup> URBANIZATION

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### The landscape value of the Butterfly Garden

Stone, wood and water are the materials chosen to define the new garden in Parc del Turonet: limestone defines the vertical planes; pine wood forms the horizontal planes; water is the main element around which the space is organised and in which life in the garden originates.

### The environmental value of the Butterfly Garden

The garden is a space designed to foster the presence of butterflies and other insects contributing to the biodiversity of the park, which are bioindicators of environmental health. The garden includes various plant environments (aromatic, forest, nectariferous, aquatic, meadow and orchard) providing a wide variety of smells and colours, as well as different flowering rhythms. A pond and insect hotel complete the complex, and make this space a refuge for various species of small vertebrates and insects that play important roles in ecosystems, such as pollination and pest control.

### The educational value of the Butterfly Garden

The new facility in the park is an educational resource provides a whole series of activities for the general public, families and schools to discover, examine and study the space and its inhabitants and raises awareness of the importance of preserving the environment.

The butterfly garden is also a participatory space, which Collserola school next to the park maintains, replacing plants, removing weeds, clearing and cleaning.

