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ABSTRACT

An eatery is a public space designed to provide food and refreshments to customers in a comfortable and welcoming environment. This project focuses on the design, planning, and operation of an eatery that meets the growing demand for affordable, hygienic, and accessible dining experiences. The aim is to create a functional space that not only serves delicious meals but also offers a relaxing atmosphere where individuals, families, and groups can gather.

The proposed eatery emphasizes efficient space planning, aesthetic appeal, customer comfort, and sustainability. Key considerations include kitchen layout, seating arrangement, ventilation, lighting, and materials selection to ensure a balance between functionality and style. The eatery also integrates modern technology for ordering, payment, and customer service to enhance the overall experience. In addition to the physical space, the menu design focuses on offering a variety of nutritious and affordable meals that cater to diverse tastes and dietary needs. The project also addresses health and safety regulations, staff management, and customer satisfaction as essential components of successful eatery operations.

This abstract highlights the importance of thoughtful design and efficient management in creating an eatery that not only meets commercial objectives but also adds value to the community by providing a social hub for relaxation and nourishment.

CHAPTER ONE

INTRODUCTION

1.1 Background of the Study

An eatery is an establishment where food and beverages are prepared, served, and consumed. It serves as a social space where individuals, families, and groups come together not only to eat but also to relax, socialize, and engage in conversations. In today's fast-paced world, eateries play a vital role in urban life, providing quick access to meals for people with busy schedules, as well as serving as leisure destinations for social gatherings and celebrations.

The design of an eatery goes beyond mere aesthetics; it encompasses functional planning, comfort, ambiance, hygiene, accessibility, and sustainability. A well-designed eatery creates a welcoming environment that enhances the dining experience while ensuring efficient operations for staff. Good design impacts customer satisfaction, which in turn influences the success of the business. It also ensures that the flow of movement within the eatery is seamless—starting from the entrance, through the dining area, to the service counter, kitchen, and restrooms.

In recent years, there has been a shift towards eateries that are not just places to eat but also reflect cultural values, promote environmental sustainability, and offer aesthetically pleasing interiors. Factors such as lighting, furniture arrangement, ventilation, acoustics, and choice of materials all contribute to how people perceive and enjoy the space. Furthermore, the rise of environmental consciousness has encouraged the incorporation of green design principles in eateries, such as the use of natural lighting, eco-friendly materials, and energy-efficient systems.

In Nigeria, where diverse culinary traditions exist, eateries are becoming increasingly popular, ranging from traditional food joints to modern restaurants and fast food outlets. The demand for well-planned, hygienic, and comfortable dining spaces is on the rise, especially in urban centers where people seek convenience, quality service, and memorable experiences. The need to address this growing demand calls for thoughtful architectural solutions that balance functionality, culture, and sustainability.

1.2 Historical Background

The history of eateries dates back thousands of years to ancient civilizations. Early forms of eateries were simple food stalls and inns where travelers could rest and purchase meals. In ancient Rome, for instance, there were establishments known as thermopolia, which served hot food and drinks to the public, resembling today's fast food culture. Similarly, in ancient China and the Middle East, food markets and roadside food vendors provided essential dining services.

The concept of formal restaurants began to take shape in 18th-century France. The term "restaurant" itself comes from the French word "restaurer," which means "to restore." The first known modern restaurant, offering individual tables and menus, opened in Paris in the 1760s. This development laid the foundation for what we now recognize as the global restaurant industry.

In Nigeria, the history of eateries is closely tied to the local food culture. Traditional eateries, commonly known as bukas, mama put, or canteens, have existed for decades, serving affordable homemade meals to locals. These informal food outlets play a significant role in feeding millions of people daily, especially in urban and semi-urban areas. They offer popular Nigerian dishes such as rice and stew, pounded yam with egusi soup, amala, and other regional specialties.

With globalization and urban development, Nigeria has witnessed the emergence of modern eateries, including fast food chains, fine dining restaurants, and contemporary cafes. These establishments incorporate modern design elements, international cuisines, and standardized services while sometimes retaining elements of local culture and cuisine. This evolution reflects the changing lifestyles, economic growth, and increased appreciation for dining experiences beyond just satisfying hunger.

Today, eateries have become more than places to eat—they are centers of social interaction, business meetings, family bonding, and cultural exchange. As such, their design continues to evolve to meet the demands of modern society while reflecting the rich cultural diversity and hospitality that define the food experience. The concept of eateries can be traced back to ancient civilizations where food was sold in public marketplaces. In medieval times, inns and taverns served food to travelers. The 18th and 19th centuries saw the rise of formal restaurants in Europe, especially in France, following the French Revolution. In Nigeria, local eateries known as bukas or mama put have long served communities, offering traditional meals at affordable prices. However, with globalization, fast food chains and contemporary restaurants have become more prominent, reshaping how food is consumed and how eateries are designed. The

evolution from informal food joints to well-designed spaces has led to a greater emphasis on architectural planning, ambiance, and environmental impact.

1.3 Statement of the Design Problem

Many existing eateries suffer from poor spatial planning, inadequate seating arrangements, poor ventilation, and uninspiring aesthetics, which negatively impact customer satisfaction and business profitability. Additionally, some eateries fail to consider accessibility, efficient service flow, and comfort for both staff and customers. There is a need for a well-designed eatery that integrates functionality, comfort, aesthetics, and sustainability to create a welcoming environment that enhances the dining experience..

1.4 Aim of the Project

The aim of an eatery is to create a space functional for providing a place to eat. Functionally, the design of an eatery must prioritize the efficient flow of customers and staff. The layout should allow for smooth operations—from food preparation to customer service.

1.5 Objectives of the Project

- Creating a functional space
- Designing a layout that allows for efficient operations
- Including areas for food preparation, cooking, serving, and dining
- Ensuring smooth flow for both customers and staff
- Promoting social interaction
- Encouraging sustainability and cultural relevance
- Building a strong brand identity

1.6 Justification

Eateries can serve as community hubs, fostering social connection and a sense of belonging among *patrons*. Eateries can promote sustainable food systems by sourcing ingredients from local, organic, and *environmentally responsible suppliers*. Eateries can create an emotional connection with patrons by providing a welcoming and inviting atmosphere.

1.7 Scope of the Project

The project will include:

- Main Building
- Snack Area

- General Store
- Open Kitchen
- Gate House
- Generator House
- Car Park

1.8 Research Methodology

- Review of literature on eatery architecture and customer behavior
- Study of eatery corporate requirements and branding guides
- Case studies of existing Eateries buildings
- Site analysis and user interviews
- Use of design software (AutoCAD, Revit, Lumion) for modeling and visualization

CHAPTER TWO

LITERATURE REVIEW

2.1 Introduction

This chapter reviews existing literature relevant to the design and operation of eateries. It examines the historical development of eateries, design considerations, functional requirements, user experience, and the influence of spatial design on customer satisfaction. The review draws from books, journal articles, case studies, and existing eatery designs to provide a solid foundation for the proposed project.

2.2 Concept and Evolution of Eateries

Eateries, also known as restaurants or food outlets, are commercial establishments where food and beverages are prepared and served to customers. The concept of eateries dates back to ancient times, with early examples found in ancient Rome, China, and the Middle East where inns, taverns, and tea houses provided food and lodging to travelers. In modern times, eateries have evolved into diverse formats including fast food, fine dining, casual dining, cafes, and food courts (Walker, 2017).

2.3 Types of Eateries

Eateries come in various forms, each with distinct design and service requirements:

Fast Food Restaurants: Focus on quick service, affordability, and high turnover.

Casual Dining: Emphasizes comfort, ambiance, and moderately priced meals.

Fine Dining: Offers upscale service, quality meals, and luxurious ambiance.

Cafes and Coffee Shops: Provide light meals, beverages, and an informal atmosphere.

Outdoor and Street Food: Involves minimalistic setups catering to mobility and affordability.

The choice of eatery type influences design decisions, including seating arrangement, kitchen size, lighting, and spatial flow (Pavesic, 2005).

2.4 Importance of Interior Design in Eateries

The interior design of an eatery plays a significant role in creating a memorable dining experience. According to Bitner (1992), the physical environment,

known as the "servicescape," affects customer behavior, satisfaction, and return intentions. Elements such as color, lighting, furniture, space planning, and decoration contribute to the overall ambiance, influencing how long customers stay and how much they spend.

2.5 Functional Planning of Eateries

Efficient functional planning ensures smooth operation of an eatery. Key functional zones include:

Entrance and Reception

Dining Area

Kitchen and Food Preparation Area

Storage Area

Restrooms

The layout must promote seamless circulation for both customers and staff while complying with safety and hygiene regulations (Hemmington, 2007). Adequate space allocation for each function enhances operational efficiency and customer comfort.

2.6 Impact of Spatial Design on Customer Experience

Research shows that spatial design affects customer emotions, behavior, and perceptions of food quality (Ryu & Jang, 2008). Factors such as:

Lighting: Natural and artificial lighting impact mood and visibility.

Acoustics: Noise levels influence comfort and ambiance.

Seating Arrangement: Impacts privacy, interaction, and capacity.

Color Psychology: Colors evoke emotions; for instance, warm colors stimulate appetite.

A well-designed space encourages positive dining experiences and repeat visits.

2.7 Sustainable Design in Eateries

Sustainability is increasingly important in eatery design. Incorporating eco-friendly materials, energy-efficient lighting, natural ventilation, and waste reduction strategies aligns with global environmental goals and appeals to eco-

conscious customers (Edwards, 2014). Sustainable design also reduces operational costs in the long term.

2.8 Case Studies of Notable Eateries

Several successful eateries serve as case studies for best design practices:

McDonald's Restaurants: Known for functional layouts and brand identity through color and furniture design.

Starbucks Coffee Shops: Emphasize comfort, lighting, and social interaction.

Local Nigerian Bukka/Amala Joints: Use local materials, informal layouts, and culturally relevant designs that cater to specific demographics.

Studying these examples offers practical insights into design approaches that enhance functionality and customer appeal.

2.9 Summary of Literature Review

The reviewed literature highlights the importance of thoughtful design in the success of eateries. Key takeaways include the evolution of eateries, the critical role of interior and functional design, the impact of spatial arrangements on customer satisfaction, and the growing emphasis on sustainability. These insights form the basis for the proposed eatery design, aiming to create an efficient, aesthetically pleasing, and customer-friendly environment..

CHAPTER THREE

3.1 CASE STUDY

Case Studies can be defined as the process of investigation or researching and analyzing an existing project in order to allow creating and improvement in a proposed project.

The need for case studies in this type of project is very important and cannot be over looked due to the following reason:

To have a board knowledge and detailed about the project you embarking on through careful study of the existing one.

To examine, evaluate the existing problem and how it was tackled by the processors in order to avoid such problems in the proposed design or often a better solution for both the future and present design.

3.2 CASE STUDY ONE

NAME: Kilmanjaro Eatery

LOCATION: At Ilorin kwara State

MERITS

It is easy to access and located on a main road. It's easily reachable via public transport.

It is equipped with security personnel and surveillance.

It is in close proximity to business hubs and residential areas.

It has good structure and aesthetic.

DEMERITS

The busy road increases the risk of accidents, which could inconvenience customers and staff.

Poor landscaping

Insufficient parking lot for staff and customers



FIG 3.2.1 SITE LOCATIONAL

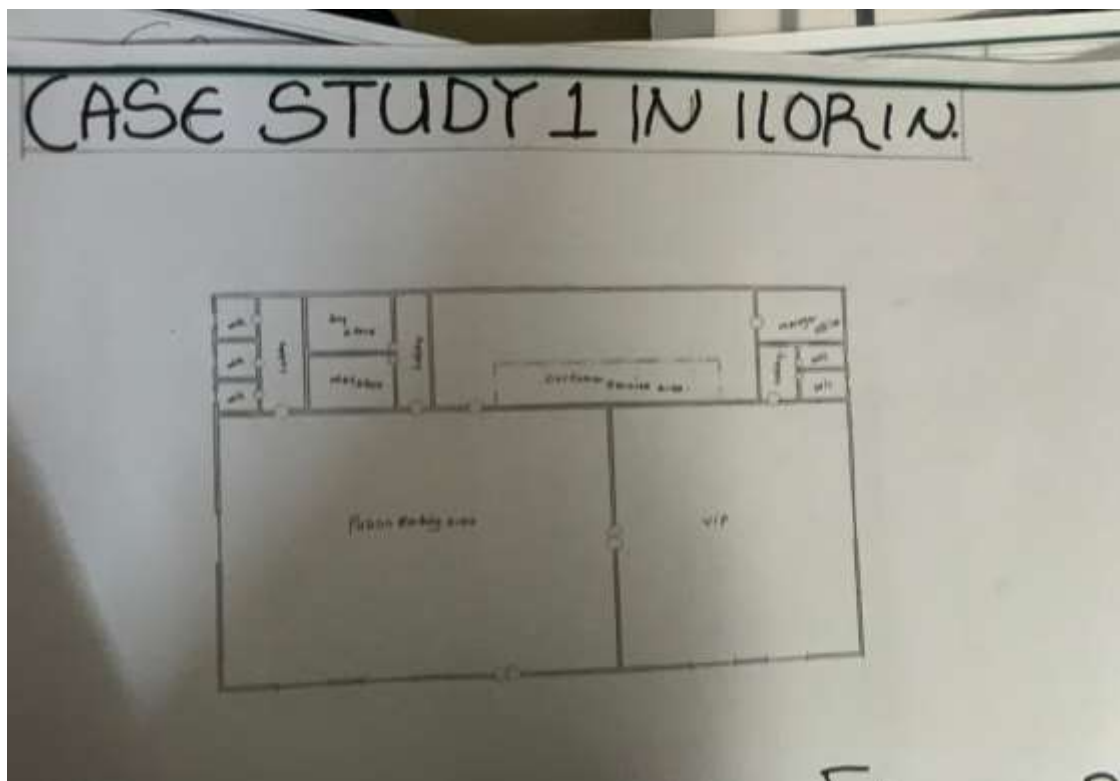


FIG 3.2.2 GROUND FLOOR PLAN



PLATE 3.2.1 SHOWING APPROACH VIEW



PLATE 3.2.2 SHOWING APPROACH VIEW

3.3 CASE STUDY TWO

NAME: Bolz Grillz

LOCATION: At Ilorin, Kwara State

MERITS:

- It has a well-planned parking lot for staff and customers
- Good structure and aesthetics
- Well-ventilated and well-lit
- Proper functional layout
- Equipped with security personnel and surveillance systems

DEMERITS:

- Overcrowding and poor drainage system in the area could lead to flooding or sanitation issues during heavy rains
- Poor landscaping

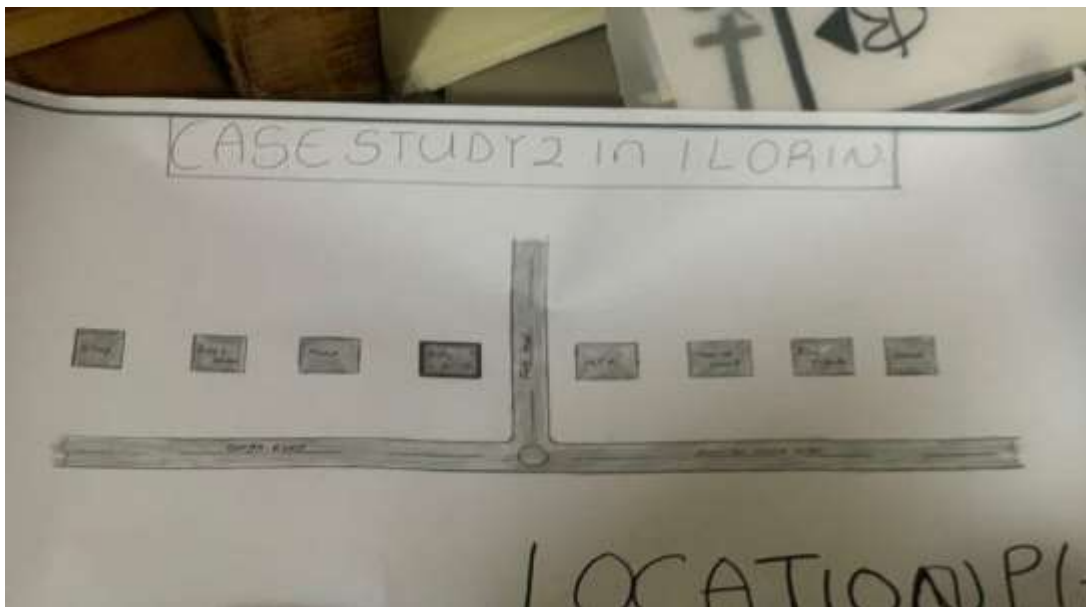


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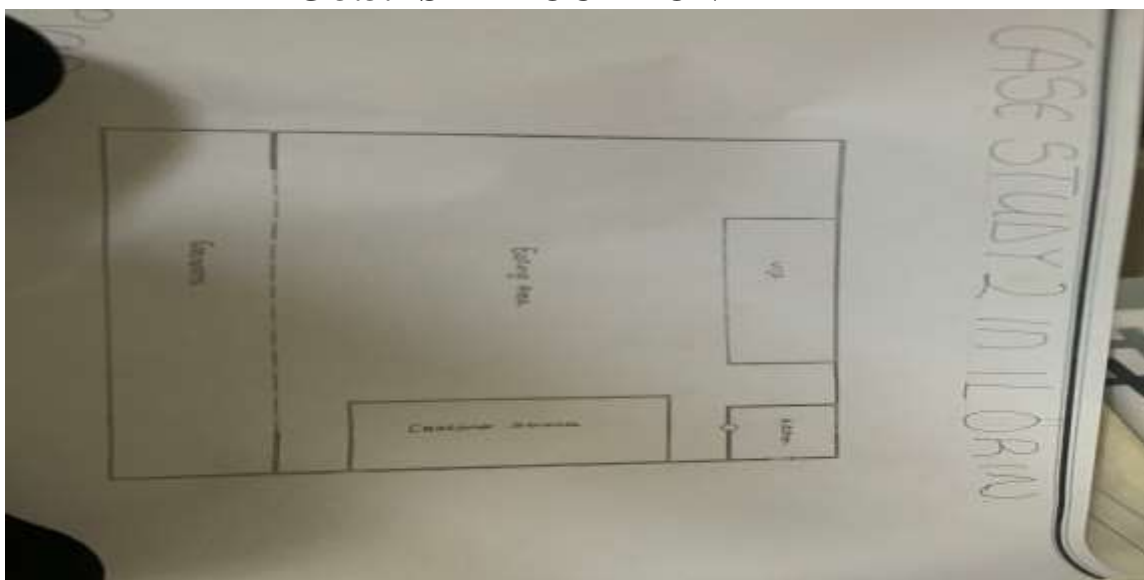


FIG 3.3.1 SITE LOCAL



PLATE 3.3.1 SHOWING APPROACH VIEW

3.4 CASE STUDY THREE

NAME: Chicken Republic

LOCATION: At Lagos State.

MERITS

- It, making it easily accessible.
- Its well-landscaped exterior provides a comfortable space for customers to visit, with green areas, seating, and pleasant surroundings that enhance the customer experience.
- It has a serene environment.
- It is well-lit and ventilated.
- The structure is solid and well-built.

DEMERITS

- Some areas lack maintenance.
- There is a need for toilets for customers to use, especially near the ATM premises.

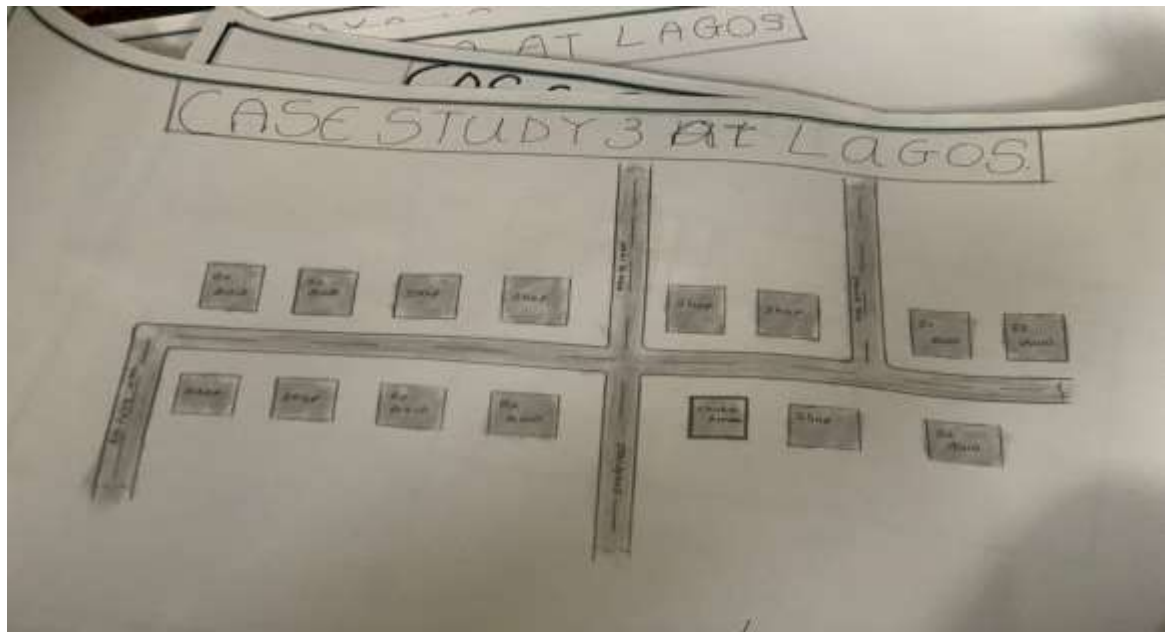


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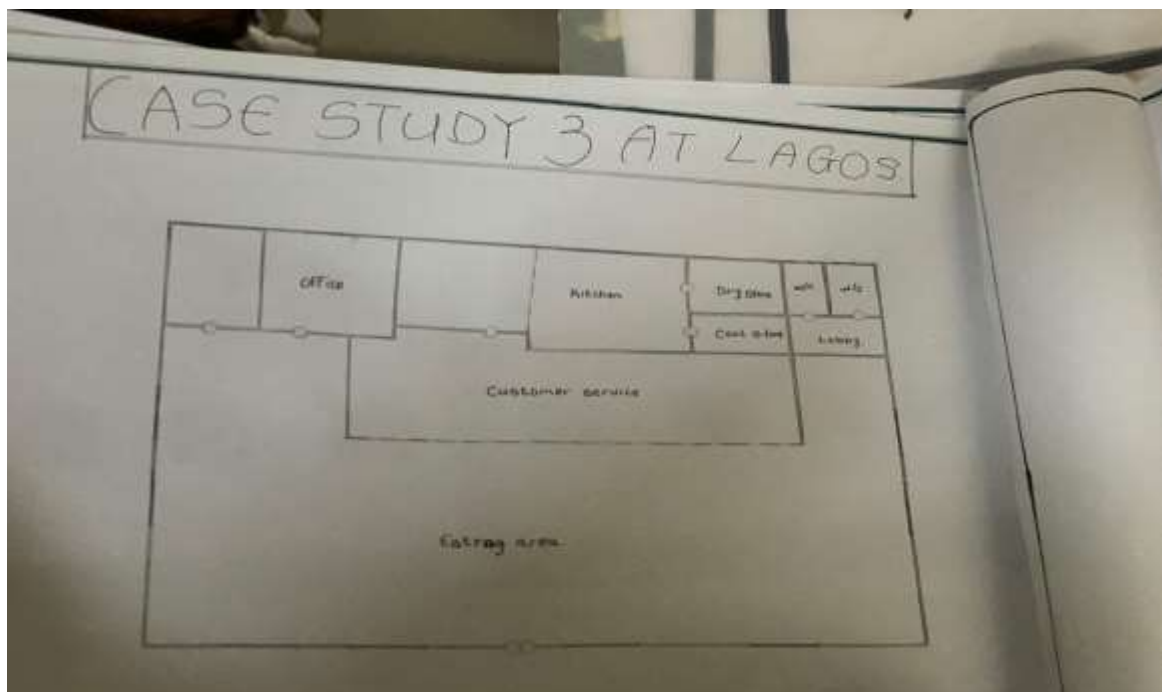


FIG 3.4.2 GROUND FLOOR PLAN



PLATE 3.4.1 SHOWING APPROACH VIEW

CHAPTER FOUR

4.0 BACKGROUND OF THE SITE LOCATION TOWN

Geographic and Demographic Context

Ilorin is the capital city of Kwara State, located in the North-Central geopolitical zone of Nigeria. It lies approximately halfway between Lagos and Abuja and serves as an important commercial and administrative center. The town enjoys a tropical climate characterized by two distinct seasons: the rainy season (April to October) and the dry season (November to March).

Ilorin is home to a diverse population, including Yoruba, Hausa, Fulani, Nupe, and other ethnic groups, creating a rich cultural blend. The city is known for its Islamic heritage, traditional craftsmanship, educational institutions, and emerging hospitality and retail industries. The population density in Ilorin East Local Government Area is relatively high, with a growing number of young people, students, civil servants, and business owners, making it an ideal location for commercial ventures such as eateries.

Historical Background

Ilorin was founded in the late 18th century as a Yoruba city but later became a key part of the Fulani Caliphate in the early 19th century. It has since grown into a major urban center, known for its history as a gateway between the northern and southern regions of Nigeria. Historically, the city has been a melting pot of cultures, religions, and commerce. Its long-standing tradition of craftsmanship—especially pottery, weaving, and blacksmithing—has contributed to its cultural identity.

The town's historical evolution from a trade outpost to a modern city has influenced the development of social and recreational spaces, including food and hospitality businesses, which are essential to the city's economic and social life.

GOALS OF THE PROPOSAL

The primary goals of the proposed eatery project are to:

Provide a comfortable and modern dining environment that meets the needs of both the local community and visitors.

Promote social interaction and relaxation through thoughtful spatial design and ambiance.

Create employment opportunities for residents of Tinu Street and Ilorin East Local Government.

Introduce a unique food experience by offering a variety of cuisines that reflect both local flavors and contemporary tastes.

Encourage sustainable design practices through the use of eco-friendly materials, energy-efficient systems, and waste management.

4.1 SITE LOCATION/DESCRIPTION

The proposed site is situated on Tinu Street, within Ilorin East Local Government Area, in Ilorin, the capital city of Kwara State, Nigeria. Tinu Street is a developing urban neighborhood with easy accessibility via major roads and public transportation. The area is primarily residential but is witnessing increasing commercial activity, including small shops, offices, schools, and eateries.

The site enjoys:

Good road access and visibility

Proximity to residential neighborhoods, schools, and religious centers

Availability of basic infrastructure such as electricity, water supply, and drainage

A moderate level of foot and vehicular traffic, providing business visibility without congestion

The location presents an excellent opportunity for the proposed eatery to thrive by serving both the local community and passersby..

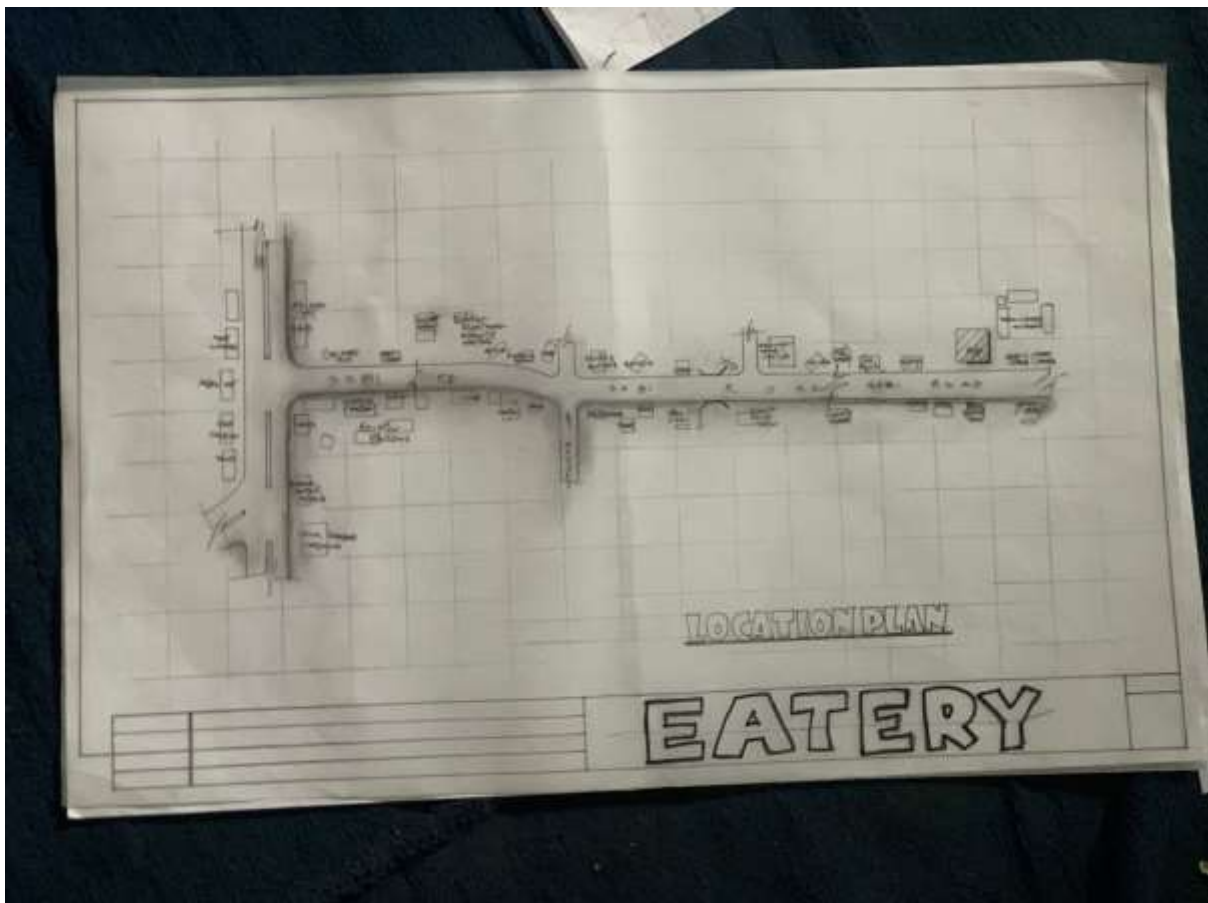


FIG 4.1 LOCATIONAL PLAN

The chosen site meets the following essential criteria:

1. **Accessibility:** Easily accessible from major roads and transport systems.
2. **Proximity:** Near residential areas and existing infrastructure.

3. **Social Infrastructure:** Good access to water supply, electricity, communication, and emergency services.

4.2.1 SITE ANALYSIS/SITE INVENTORY

□ **Location:** Tinu Street, Akerebiata Ilorin, Ilorin east local government area kwara State.

□ **Orientation:** The site's shorter sides face east and south; the longer sides face east and west.

□ **Environmental Considerations:** The site lies in a moderately busy area. Environmental noise is managed through:

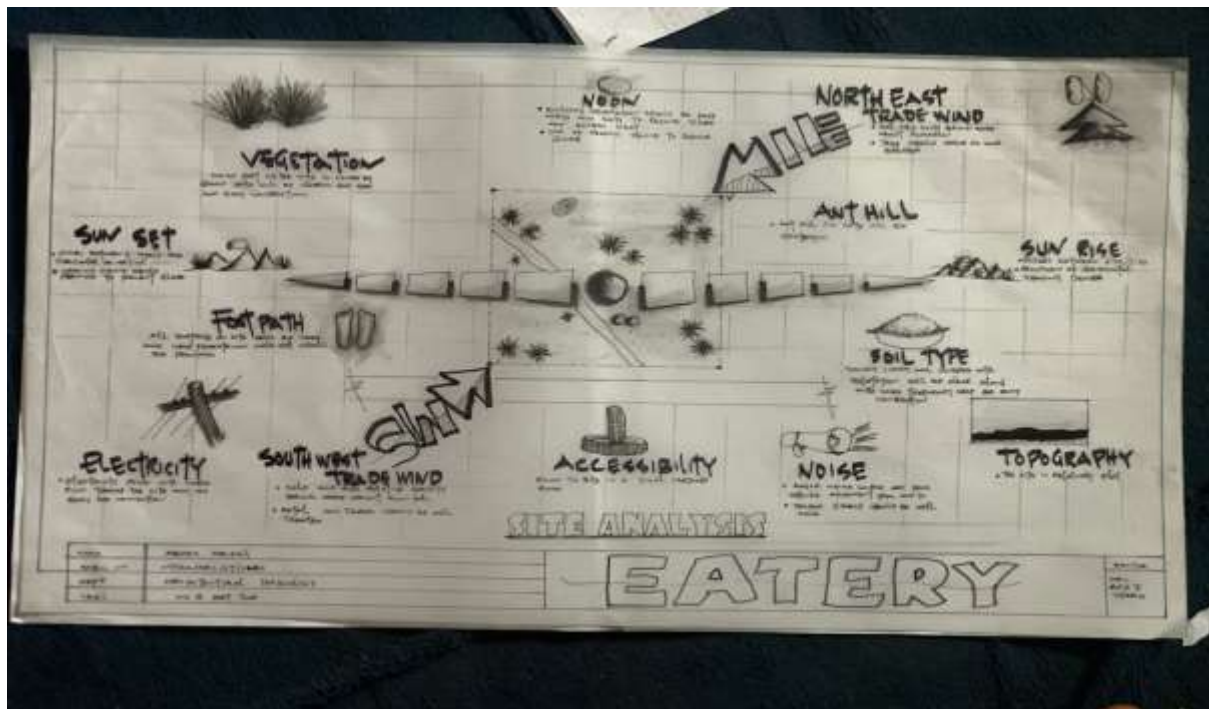
- **Natural Means:** Tree planting and landscape buffers.
- **Structural Design:** Orientation to reduce exposure to noise and maximize ventilation.
- **Mechanical Systems:** Acoustic treatments and HVAC systems ensure internal comfort.

□ **Soil Type:** Lateritic soil with good load-bearing capacity, suitable for foundation and structural works.

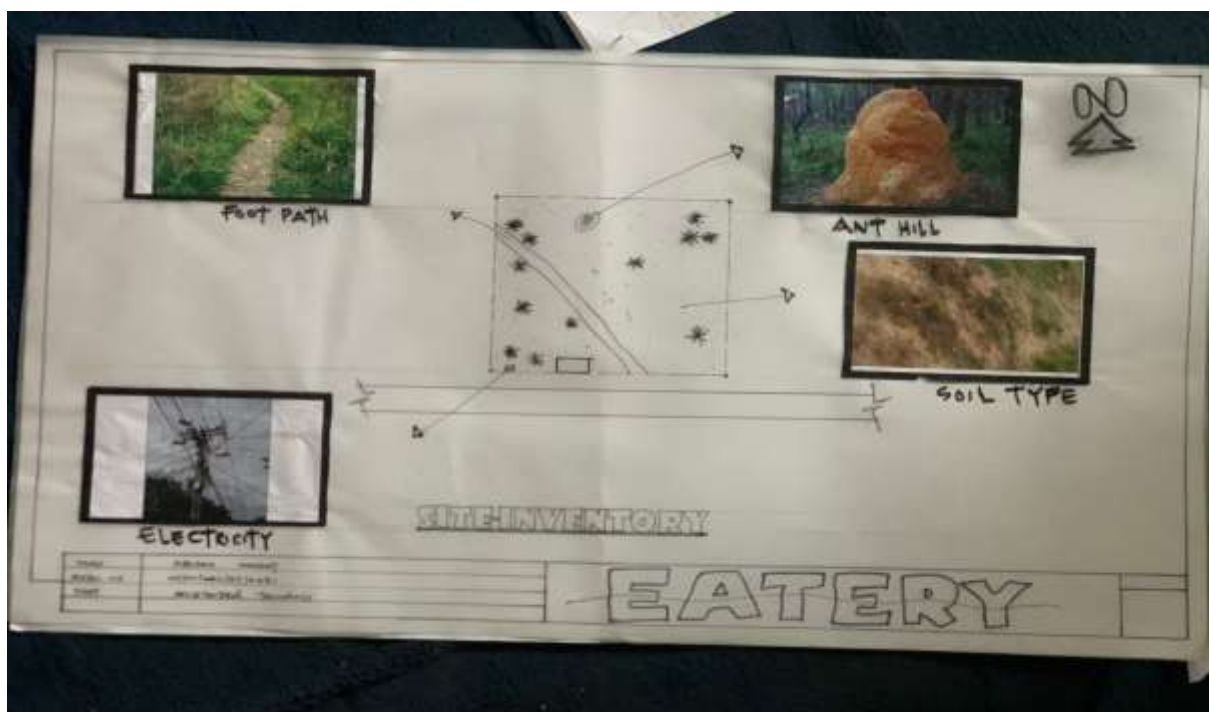
ventilation and artificial/structural devices. Natural, by adequate plantation, while opening are employ as artificial devices structure by proper structural orientation.

All the unwanted sound/noise which cannot be controlled structurally are controlled through mechanical means to increase the comfort of human life. The soil type is brownish nature underlined by sedimentary rock with good bearing

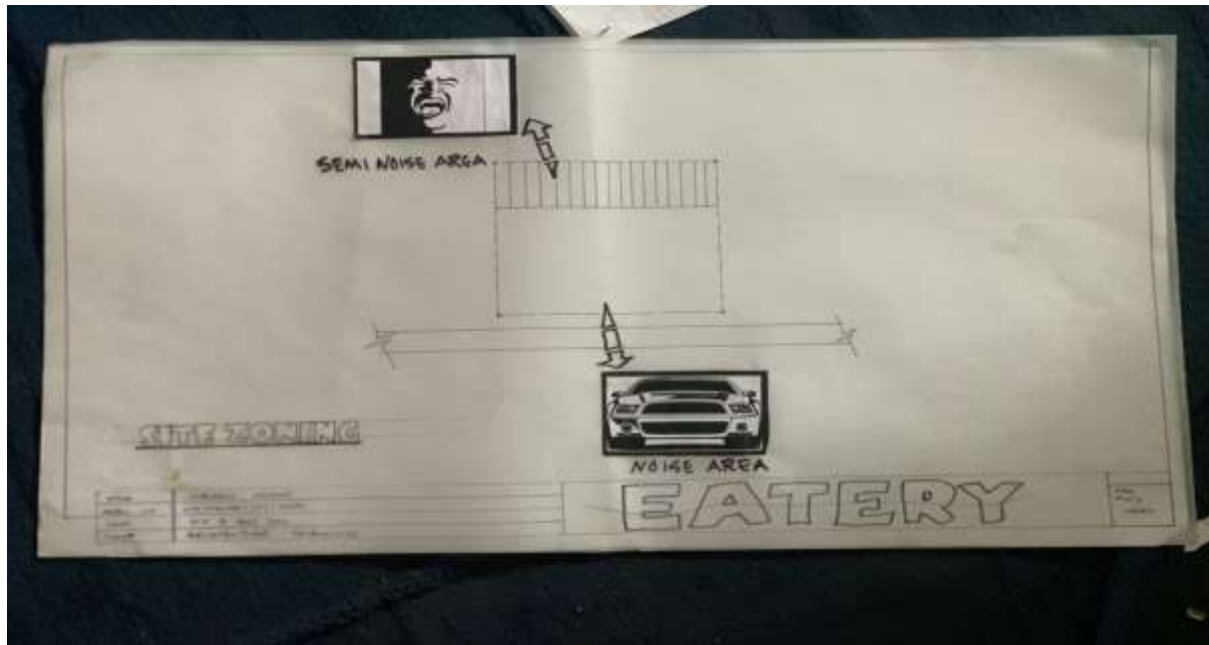
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FIG; 4.2.1 SHOWING SITE ANALYSIS



FIG; 4.2.2SHOW SITE INVENTORY



FIG; 4.2.3 SHOW SITE ZONING

4.3 GEOGRAPHIC/CLIMATIC DATA

Ede North experiences a **tropical wet and dry climate**, typical of southwestern Nigeria.

- **Average Annual Temperature:** ~25.5°C
- **Annual Rainfall:** Approx. 1400 mm

Climate Characteristics:

- **Driest Month:** December–January (8–15 mm rainfall)
- **Wettest Months:** May–October (200 mm+ per month)
- **Temperature Range:**
 - **Warmest Month:** March (~28°C)
 - **Coolest Month:** August (~22°C)
 - **Annual Temperature Variation:** ~5–6°C

THE CLIMATE GRAPH

The least amount of rainfall occurs in January. Average in this month is 9mm. most of the precipitation here falls in is average 1334mm.

THE TEMPERATURE

The temperature is the highest on average in March, at around 26.5. August is the coldest month, with temperature averaging 22.2°C



THE CLIMATE TABLE

The variation in the precipitation between the dries and wettest months is 229mm. throughout the year, temperatures vary by 4.3°C.

4.4 DESIGN CRITERIA

Design principles for the healthcare center in Ede North include:

- **Functionality:** Efficient layout for kitchen, dining, serving, and storage areas to ensure smooth operations and customer flow.
- **Accessibility:** Must comply with universal design standards — ramps, wide doors, accessible restrooms.
- **Ventilation & Lighting:** Adequate natural and artificial lighting; proper kitchen ventilation to remove heat, smoke, and odors.
- **Hygiene & Safety:** Use of non-slip, easy-to-clean materials; clear separation between cooking and dining zones; fire safety measures.
- **Aesthetic Appeal:** Welcoming interior with comfortable furniture, attractive finishes, and branding that reflects the eatery's theme.
- **Acoustics:** Controlled sound levels for comfortable conversation.

- **Waste Management:** Designated area for waste disposal away from food preparation zones.
- **Parking & Circulation:** Sufficient parking and clear movement paths for customers and staff.

4.5 BRIEF

- Entrance
- Eating Area
- Serving Area
- Kitchen
- Dry Store
- Cold Store
- Changing Rooms (Male & Female)
- Manager/Director's Office
- Maintenance Store
- Account Office
- Delivery Bay
- Conveniences / W.C.
- Exit

4.6 SPECIAL ALLOCATION/SCHEDULE OF ACCOMMODATION

1	Entrance	6.0	2.1	12.6	
2	Eating Area	16.8	13.6	228.48	
3	Serving Area	8.0	2.1	16.8	
4	Kitchen	5.0	7.0	35.0	
5	Dry Store	3.6	2.1	7.56	
6	Cold Store	3.8	2.1	7.98	
7	Changing Room	4.0	3.6	14.4	
8	Manager Office	3.6	3.2	11.52	
9	Maintenance Store	2.7	1.0	2.7	
10	W.C	1.2	1.5	1.8	
11	W.C Office	1.2	1.5	1.8	
12	Delivery Bay	5.0	4.2	21.0	
13	Exit	1.8	2.1	3.78	
14	Account Office	3.6	3.6	12.96	

TOTAL AREA = 361.51 m²

4.7 CONCEPTUAL DEVELOPMENT

The concept of any design is achieved based on a target focus of how design formed. My design concept is derived from a MONEY show the sign of MONEY symbol which enhances the power of their customers is main priority. So it is used as a concept development.

CHAPTER FIVE

5.0 Appraisal of Proposed Scheme

5.1 Design Appraisal

In any project design, there are two basic factors that should be taken into consideration. These factors are functionally and aesthetics of the design, although to some designers, aesthetics and functionally of any building are impartibly but in the case of project both aesthetics and functionality of the design were take care of to satisfy the highly demanded functional requirement and to create aesthetically and proportionally balanced design.

The functional efficiency of institute of business and vocational studies depends largely on the closeness of the immediate section that are strongly related in function all these are being taken up as seen on the site and floor respectively.

Construction Methodology

The choice of materials and constructions techniques is influence by a number of factors.

The cost of Materials

The climate condition as it affects material

The topography of the site

Economics: the initial cost and maintenance cost should be reasonable.

The availability of construction materials.

The durability and suitability of materials.

Services

Electricity to trap from the nearest pole of the institute building. The main water pipeline is closely located to the site where drinking water can be tapped telephone line is within the polytechnic which makes connection easy. All of the drains ruins to the surrounding gutter which finally drains to the solid and liquid waste are effectively dispose of by the soak away put and septic tanks.

Circulation

Horizontal circulation based on guided principle of separating human activities from reticular activities. Ventilation

1. **Natural Ventilation:** these ventilation is experienced in the building through openings. This depends on material wind force and their directions of movement due to the temperature, different between the air and the building.

2. **Artificial Ventilation:** this method of ventilation is often used to improve the colonies of the interior of the units. Such artificial mechanism include fan and air conditioners where necessary.

Lighting

This is a means of providing brightness naturally by sun or moon or artificially by lamps good natural and artificial lighting is important in lecture room and library. It always easy to make mistake and time the eye is in a situation of poor lightening.

Plumbing

Water services are necessary in an installation and both the scope and design of these systems are subjected to statutory and water authority regulation. There is need to install water system to guide against water supply failure. Adequate installation of pipes are recommend.

Electrical Installation

The light fitting should be designed to avoid glare and should be easy to clean and maintain the main sources of electricity supply shall be from the Power Bolding Company of Nigeria but since it is well known that PHCN cannot guarantee uninterrupted services of electricity supply.

Water Disposal

Site slopes is of major factors to be considered in the location and changeling of drains, the use of reinforced concrete drainage covered with precast lead and drainage pipe will be constructed from where waste water will be carried to the drainage zones on the site using surface drainage system.

Fire Protection

Building regulations and construction with local fire authority backed up by insurance policy survey takes care of fire protection.

Noise Control

The is an unpleasant sound often load harsh excessive noise and liberation can cause fatigue, leading to errors and general dissatisfaction in the classrooms, lecture, library, external noise could be easily be controlled with the aid of landscape materials and enough setbacks.

Orientations

The orientation of a building involves the arrangement of the building toward a way from the surreys across or along the trade winds normally determine the thermal comfort in the building.

Sun and Wind Breaking

In the pre-ventilation design gets rid excessive heat moisture and obvious product such as smoke moisture (generator house) and dust the use of terrace couple with spacious and useful often courtyard to avoid all functional part of the building enough natural ventilation.

Materials and Finish

The influencer of building material on construction work in Ibadan and its environment is similar to what prevail in the middle belt of the country.

The materials choice and finishes are influenced by the following:

- i. The durability and suitability of materials
- ii. Geology and topography of the site
- iii. Availability of materials
- iv. The climatic condition
- v. Prospective of materials
- vi. The cost of materials

Roof

Roof should preferably of light weight construction with parapet converging it and the external super should absorb as little solar energy as possible.

Ceilings

Suspended ceiling is used in some lecture room with fang ceiling suitable center to center.

Doors

The door type and size depend on the door location but generally metal door are used for the administrative block, mechanical workshop, aluminum glass door and steel door are used.

Window

The windows uses are glassed pivot aluminum windows.

5.2 Recommendations

Strategic Location and Accessibility: The eatery should be sited along a well-trafficked and easily accessible route to attract both pedestrians and motorists. Adequate parking space should also be considered.

Functional and Flexible Design: The interior layout should allow for efficient service flow between the kitchen, dining, and service areas. Flexible seating arrangements should accommodate both individual and group dining.

Aesthetic Appeal and Comfort: The design should incorporate inviting colors, proper lighting, and comfortable furniture to create a warm and relaxing atmosphere that encourages longer stays and repeat visits.

Incorporation of Local Identity: To stand out, the eatery should reflect local cultural elements in its design, such as traditional patterns, artworks, or locally sourced materials, blended with modern aesthetics.

Sustainability and Energy Efficiency: Sustainable materials, natural ventilation, daylighting, and energy-efficient appliances should be integrated into the design to reduce operating costs and environmental impact.

Hygiene and Safety: The layout must comply with public health and safety standards, ensuring proper waste disposal, good air circulation, and clear emergency exits.

Technology Integration: Modern eateries benefit from technology-enhanced services, such as digital menus, free Wi-Fi, and mobile payment options to improve customer experience.

5.3 Conclusion and Summary

The design of an eatery goes beyond just providing food; it is about creating a space that fosters relaxation, social interaction, and memorable dining experiences. The proposed eatery on Tinu Street, Ilorin is envisioned as a vibrant social space that combines functionality, aesthetics, and sustainability to meet the diverse needs of the local community.

With thoughtful planning, user-focused design, and efficient management, the proposed eatery has the potential to become a popular and profitable establishment that contributes positively to the socio-economic development of Ilorin East Local Government Area.

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APPENDIX

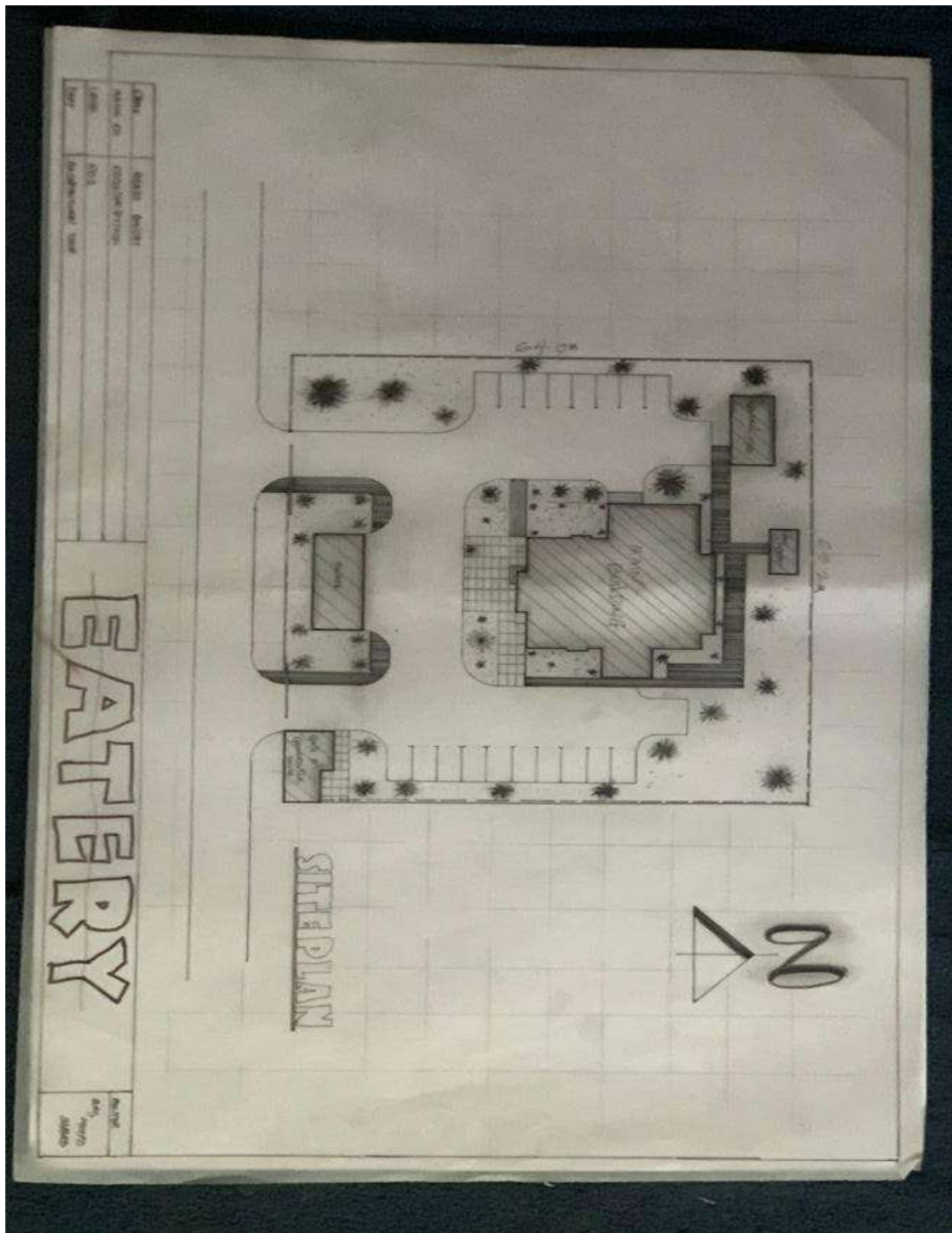


FIG 5.1 SITE PLAN

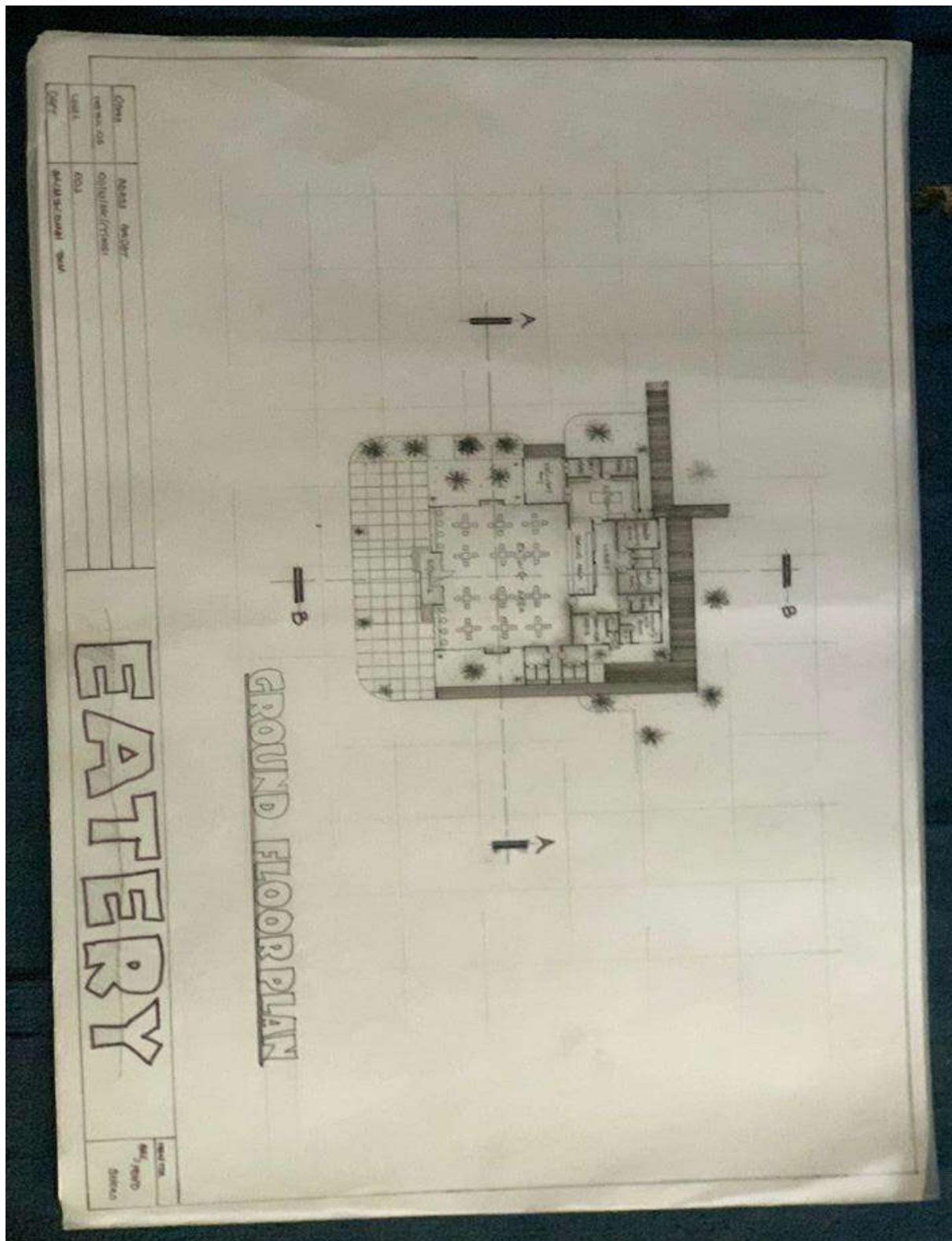


FIG 5.2 GROUND FLOOR PLAN

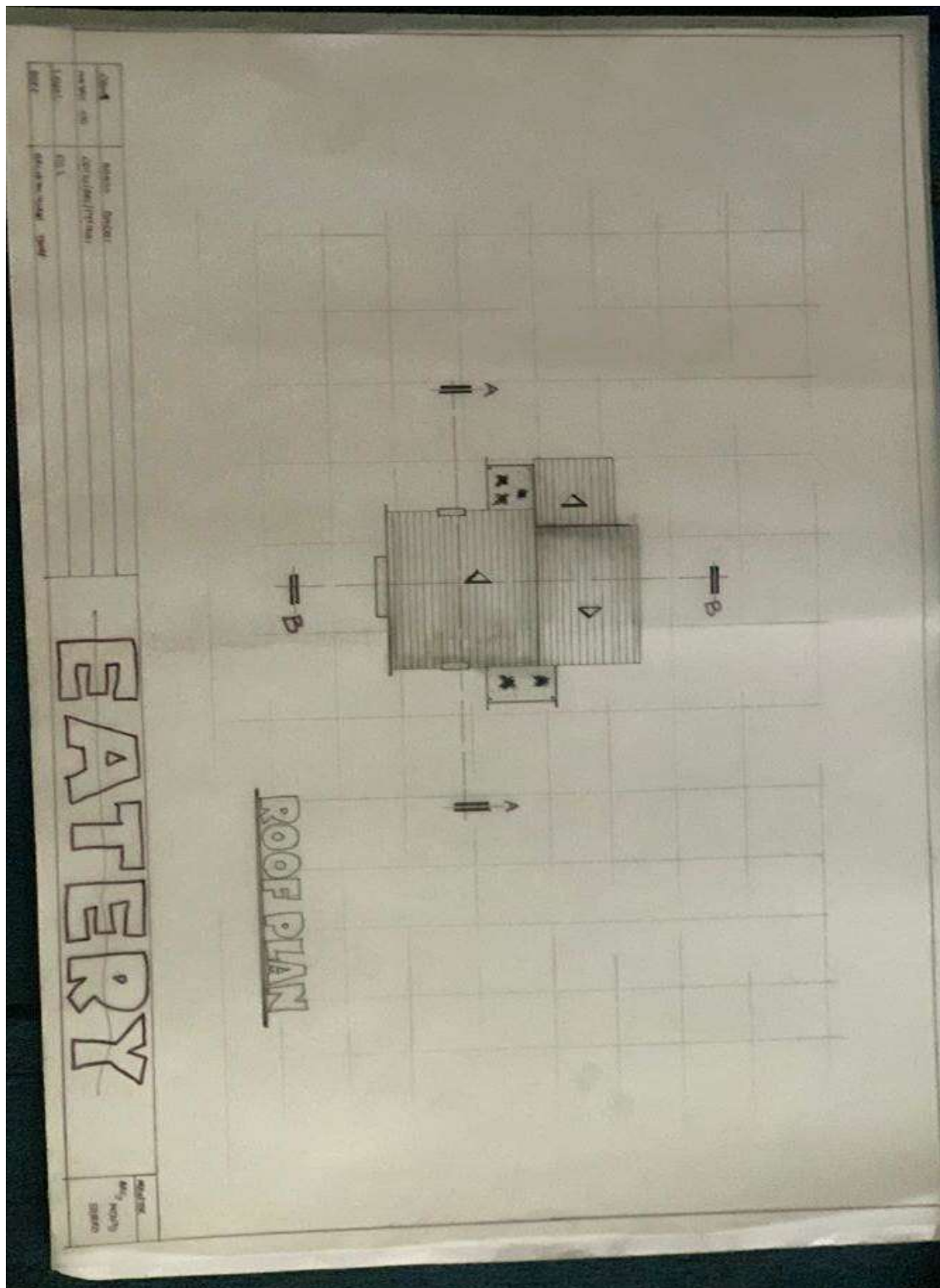


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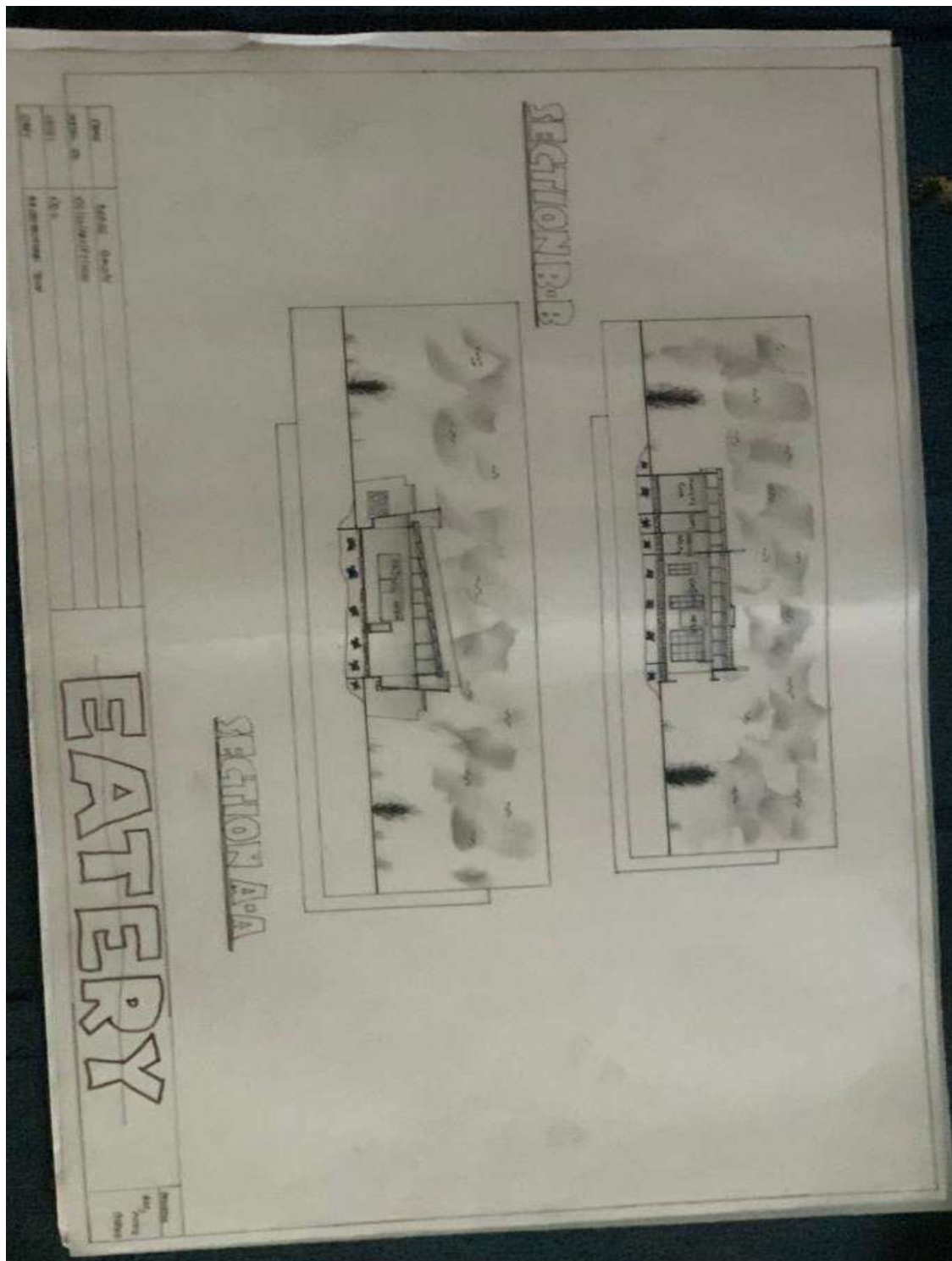


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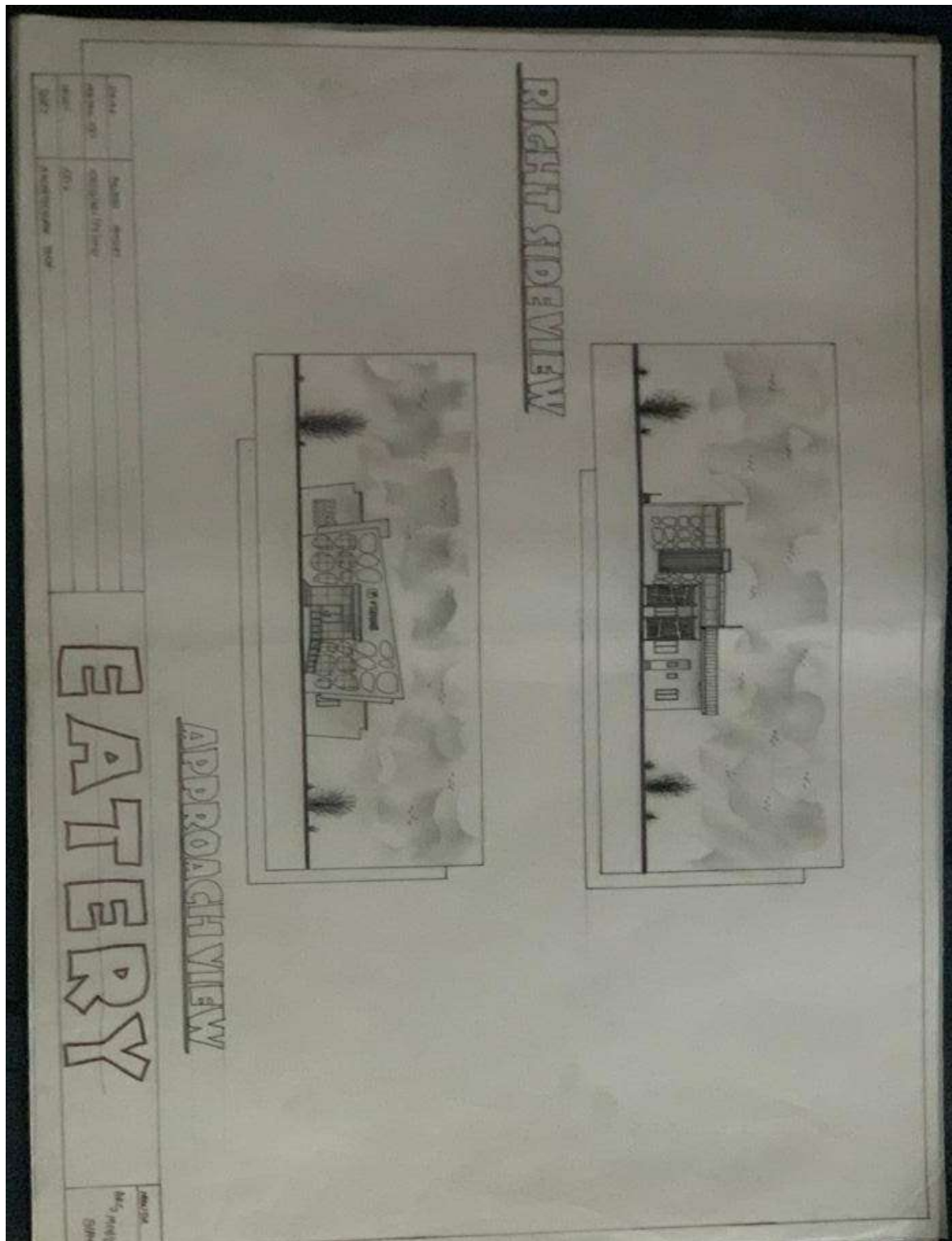


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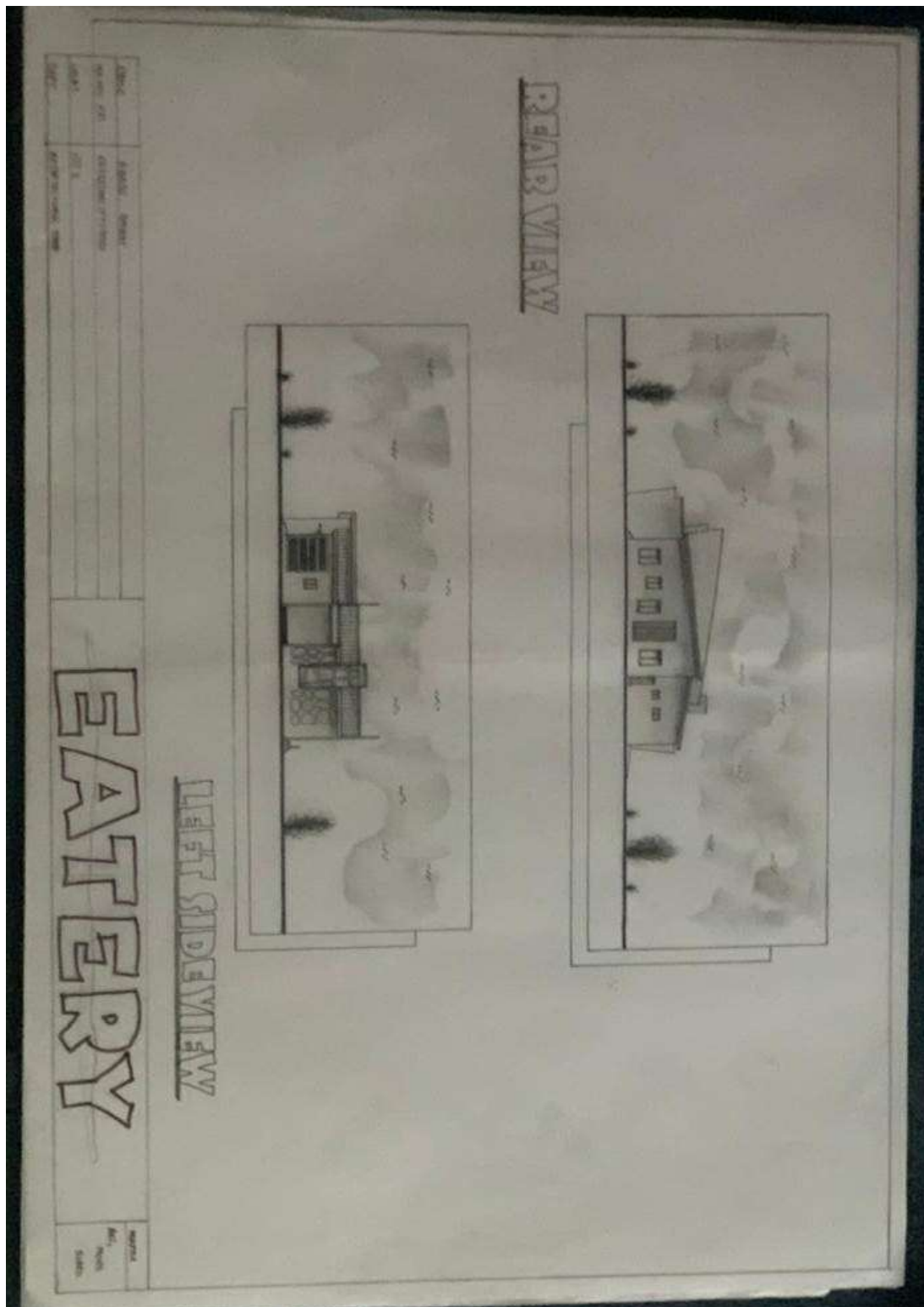


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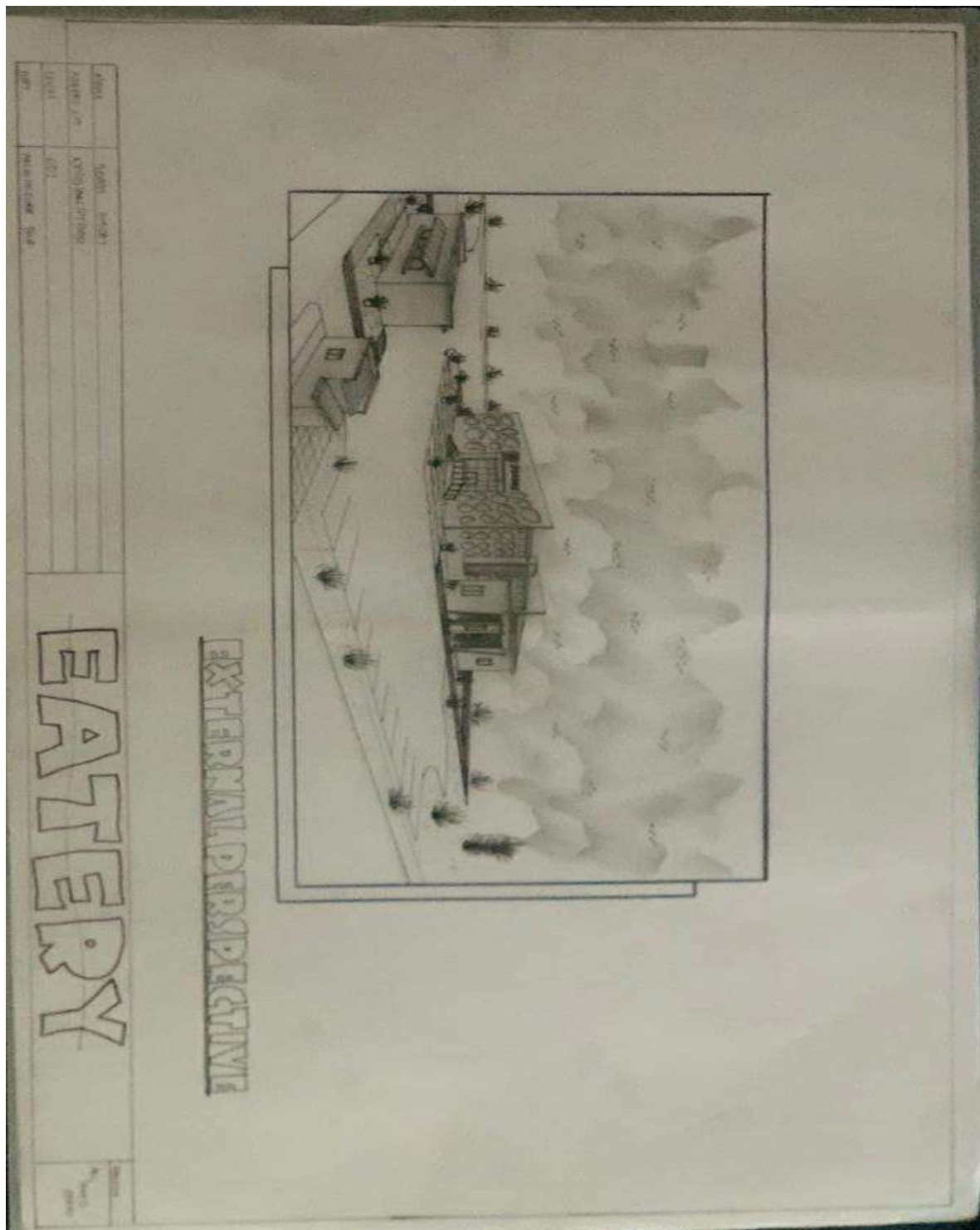


FIG 5.5 EXTERIOR PERSPECTIVE