



Aboriginal artwork being retained at Alexandria Park Community School

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Summer holidays construction works

December 2019

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The NSW Government is investing \$6.7 billion over the next four years to deliver 190 new and upgraded schools to support communities across NSW. In addition, a record \$1.3 billion is being spent on school maintenance over five years. This is the largest investment in public education infrastructure in the history of NSW.

Alexandria Park Community School

The redevelopment of Alexandria Park Community School will deliver a new school to accommodate students from Kindergarten to Year 12. The overall masterplan for Alexandria Park Community School will allow the school to cater for 1000 primary students and up to 1200 secondary students.

The project will replace the existing pop-up school and provide new permanent learning spaces, special education learning spaces, special program rooms (high school) for subjects including visual and performing arts, science, woodwork and new facilities including an administration area, hall, library, gymnasium, multiple sports courts and play spaces.

Progress summary

Stage 1 of the redevelopment is well underway and will deliver facilities for 1000 primary students and 850 secondary students. This is in line with population forecasting and to meet the capacity outlined in the approved business case.

Stage 1 of the project will deliver the highest quality facilities for students and staff. The design and construction of Stage 1 will maintain capacity to readily develop additional learning spaces for future Stage 2 works.

Summer school holiday works

During the Term 4 school holidays, construction will continue at Alexandria Park Community School. These include detailed excavation works, in ground structural works, pouring of concrete slabs and suspended structural works. Works will be in accordance with standard construction days and hours.

There will be no works on Sundays or public holidays and the site will be closed from Christmas Day until 2 January 2020.

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Frequently asked questions

What works will be completed over the holidays?

During the summer school holidays, construction will continue at Alexandria Park Community School. These include detailed excavation works, in ground structural works, pouring of concrete slabs and suspended structural works.

Drainage and service trench installations will be ongoing.

What are the construction working hours?

Construction work will continue in line with approved times of Monday to Friday, 7:00am to 6:00pm and Saturdays, 7.30am to 3.30pm. No work will take place on Sundays or public holidays.

Will construction take place over Christmas and New Year?

The contractor will close the site over the Christmas and New Year period from Monday, 23 December 2019 to Wednesday, 1 January 2020 inclusive.

What safety measures will be in place?

Safety measures such as safety fencing, hoardings, signage and separate access points are in place to ensure restricted access to the construction site. Traffic control personnel are on site to assist with contractor deliveries and the site is secured at night and outside of regular working hours.

What traffic management is being provided during construction?

During construction, traffic management personnel are on site as required to ensure the safety of students, teachers, staff, site visitors and local residents. The school community and residents are being kept updated by School Infrastructure NSW about heavy vehicle routes, site entry, planned traffic changes and/ or disruption to public roads that may be required over the course of the redevelopment.

What steps will be taken to control noise and dust impacts?

Hoardings and shade cloth are being used to reduce impacts on the school and its neighbours. The construction program has been designed to minimise noise impact on students, staff and residents. To minimise dust from demolition and construction activities, the site is being hosed down as required. Trucks entering and leaving the site must also have their loads covered. When potentially disruptive works have to be carried out, advance notice will be provided to local residents.

Who can I contact if I have a concern about construction works over the holidays?

If you have any queries or concerns about this project you can contact School Infrastructure NSW during business hours on 1300 482 651.

School Infrastructure NSW will be closed from Monday 23 December to Friday 3 January inclusive.

In an emergency, call triple zero (000).