## NSW Department of Education - School Infrastructure



## **Banksia Road Public School**

Project update

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#### Investing in our schools

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.

## Banksia Road Public School upgrade

A project is underway to upgrade Banksia Road Public School. The upgrade will deliver a new, two storey building with four new learning spaces, administration and staff facilities, school access improvement works, and landscaping.

#### **Progress summary**

The construction contract for main works was awarded to Barbro Constructions Pty Ltd.
Site establishment works are completed and early works are underway.

#### Works update

Works are progressing at Banksia Road Public School. Hoarding and fencing have been installed around the perimeter of the work site and a new internal walkway has been established for students and staff to move safely around the school, away from the construction area. Staff will be on site to supervise student movements through the new internal walkway. The Banksia Road school entrance will continue to operate as normal.

Early works, including the demolition of a portion of the car park and site excavation is now underway.

We are here to make sure that work is completed safely and efficiently and will minimise impact on the community at every opportunity.

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## **Frequently Asked Questions**

## Where will construction vehicles park for the duration of works?

Construction vehicles will use the staff car park for the duration of works. The vehicles will arrive on site before school drop off times. Traffic controllers will monitor the driveway.

# What measures will be in place to reduce noise and dust during construction?

Measures will be in place to mitigate noise and dust levels during construction. These measures include hoarding, hosing down of vehicles as required and deliveries being scheduled outside of pick up and drop off times where possible.

### Are there any changes to the kiss and drop zone?

The kiss and drop zone on Banksia Road will continue to operate using the number system set in place last term. For more information on the kiss and drop zone please contact the school directly.

#### What are the works hours?

Construction will take place between 7.00am to 5.00pm Monday to Friday, and 8.00am and 1.00pm on Saturdays. No work will take place on Sundays or public holidays unless approved and notification is provided.

## When will the upgrade be completed?

The Banksia Road Public School upgrade is anticipated to be completed in early 2020.



