

Broadwater Public School

Project update | March 2024



Artist's impression Broadwater Public School

Investing in our schools

The NSW Government is committed to rebuilding flood affected schools in the Northern Rivers region, ensuring we build back better with flood resilient schools for local students and local communities. Funding for the school projects has also been provided by the Infrastructure Betterment Fund, which is jointly funded by the Australian and NSW Governments through the Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements.

Project overview

As part of this commitment, a project is underway to rebuild Broadwater Public School, after it was extensively damaged during floods in early 2022. The project will deliver a flood resilient school, with new classrooms, library, canteen and administration areas, and landscaping.

Move in date confirmed

We are excited to confirm that work on this important project is nearly finished and the first day back at the rebuilt Broadwater Public School will be **Monday, 31 March 2025**.

Despite the heavy rain and wind that came with ex-Tropical Cyclone Alfred, work at the site was able to resume quickly and the project remains on track for completion as planned.

Over the next few weeks, the team will be putting the finishing touches on the landscaping, relocating school resources and working with school staff to get everything ready to welcome students on Day 1.

Travelling to and from school

We have been working with Transport for NSW to make sure bus routes are changed back from Evans River Community School to Broadwater Public School in time for the move. The school and Ballina Buslines will provide further details of the bus timetable. You can also contact Ballina Buslines at 02 6686 3666 or email info@ballinabuslines.com.au.

Arriving at school

Parking and pedestrian access arrangements at the school will be the same as they were before the rebuild. The main entry for the school remains via the cul de sac in Byrnes Street. On Day 1 staff will assist any families who aren't familiar with the school site and accompany students to their new classrooms.



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Latest photos



Photo 1: Final touches are being completed on the school's landscaping



Photo 2: The cherished "pencil fence" back in pride of place

More information



You can find more information about the project at on the [Broadwater Public School project page](#) or by scanning the QR code.

If you have any questions about this project, you can contact School Infrastructure during business hours on the contact details below.

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