

Carlingford West Public School and Cumberland High School

Works notification | 4 December 2023

As part of the NSW Government's plan to rebuild essential services, a project is underway to upgrade Carlingford West Public School and Cumberland High School.

Tree removal to prepare site for construction

From Monday 11 December until Friday 22 December 2023, trees are being removed from both school sites to enable the construction of new buildings and facilities for both schools.

The Department of Planning and Environment (DPE) approved the tree removal as part of the project's State Significant Development (SSD) consent. A registered arborist recommended identified trees for removal. The majority of the schools' existing trees will remain.

This work is being completed by a team of qualified arborists as per good practices and in a safe manner and, will include the use of chainsaws.

The team will be working within the schools' boundaries. They are working in locations closest to Pennant Hills Road, Dunmore Avenue and Felton Road West. There is respite from noise as the team moves between locations.

Work will start behind construction fencing for the safety of students and staff. Once school holidays start other trees within the schools' boundary will be removed.

These trees will be replaced as the project progresses with more trees and plants than those removed. The landscape plan includes native plants and trees suitable for this environment.

The independent arborist impact assessment and the landscaping plan can be viewed on the DPE planning portal here – <https://www.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/major-projects/projects/upgrades-carlingford-west-public-school-and-cumberland-high-school>.

Working hours

The work is anticipated to take two weeks. This work is dependent on good weather, and if required will continue in early January 2024.

The SSD approved work hours are Mondays to Fridays, 7am to 6pm, and Saturdays, 8am to 1pm.

Thank you for your patience while we deliver this important infrastructure.



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