

## Chatswood High School

Project update | September 2023

## **Progress summary**

Since the last project update in June, works at the high school have been progressing well, including the refurbishment of Buildings M and H, landscaping the lawned area between Buildings T and Q, and installing bleachers and balustrades.

The last of the temporary demountable classrooms were recently dismantled and removed from the high school with the final 20 leaving site across a four-day period. Temporary classrooms have been present at both the public and high schools since 2018 and there were 74 in use at the start of the project. They have housed students while the Chatswood Schools upgrade was in its planning and approval stages and ensured minimal disruption to continued learning during construction. At the peak, there were over 200 temporary classrooms across the two school sites.

This milestone is a particularly special one for the project team and school communities alike and marks the start of all students at both schools using the new and improved permanent facilities.

The Bush Campus modular classrooms to the east of the sports field will be retained as previously committed for future enrolment increases.



Figure 1: Final temporary demountable classroom leaving Chatswood High School

## Next steps

Remaining works at the high school include the installation of furniture, fixtures and equipment to the newly refurbished Buildings M and H, landscaping of the meadows area in front of Building R and to the north oval embankment and the remediation of the staff car park off De Villiers Avenue. The car park will be returned to the school by Day 1 Term 4. This will be closely followed by the final demobilisation of the project team from site including the removal of all remaining hoarding.

Standard construction hours for this project are 7 am to 6 pm Monday to Friday, and 8 am to 4 pm, Saturdays. No works will take place on Sundays or public holidays, unless otherwise notified.

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## Indicative map of the Chatswood High School work zone

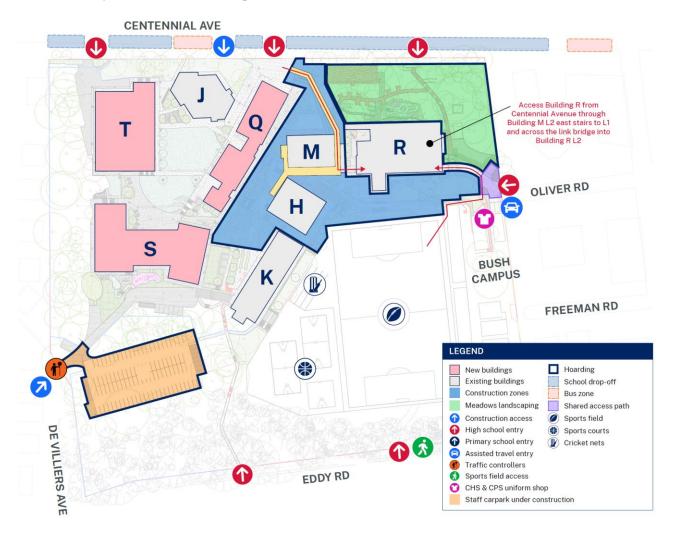




Figure 2: Building Q was handed over in June 2023 and is home to a number of flexible breakout areas as shown above



Figure 3: Building Q new library

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