

Darcy Road Public School Project update and works notification | 18 July 2023

Project overview

The upgrade of Darcy Road Public School will include new permanent learning spaces and core facilities to support the growing population in Western Sydney.

The upgrade will deliver new buildings with flexible learning spaces, new administration facilities, a new library, a new canteen, a refurbished hall, an extension to the existing car park, and improvements to open spaces.

The upgrade will include the demolition of all existing school buildings, except for the hall, and removing demountable classrooms. This means the school will need to operate out of temporary facilities during construction of the new buildings.

Progress summary

Taylor Construction has been awarded the construction contract for the main upgrade works at Darcy Road Public School.

We have finished putting in the foundations for the temporary learning spaces and facilities on the school oval.

Next steps

Work will continue for the temporary school. Starting in late July 2023, we will start bringing the new temporary demountable learning spaces onto the school oval.

At this stage, we expect staff and students to move into the temporary school in Term 4 2023.

Once the temporary school is ready and the Department of Planning and Environment has approved the State Significant Development (SSD) application, Taylor Construction will start the main upgrade works.



Upcoming works for the temporary school

From Thursday 20 July until mid-August 2023, we will start bringing the new temporary demountable classrooms onto the school oval.

The works will involve bringing a mobile crane onto the site to safely lift the demountables from oversized trucks. During the works, there will be increased traffic movements on Darcy Road and Olive Street with large construction vehicles entering and exiting the site.

Working hours

All works will take place between the standard construction hours of 7 am to 6 pm, Monday to Friday and 8 am to 1 pm on Saturdays. No work will take place on Sundays or public holidays.

Site access

Construction vehicles will access the site via a temporary entrance on Olive Street. Traffic control will be in place to ensure the safety of the community, where needed.

Deliveries will be made outside of school drop-off and pick up times to minimise the impact on road users and the general public, where possible.

Some deliveries to the site may need to take place outside of normal work hours because of the size of the trucks required. This is to minimise the impact on road users and the general public.

We will work to ensure that all works are carried out safely and efficiently and will minimise impacts to the community at every opportunity.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

For more information

We will continue to distribute regular project updates to keep the community up to date with our progress. Stay informed about the project by visiting the dedicated project webpage edu.nsw.link/DarcyRdPS.

If you have any queries or concerns about this project, you can contact School Infrastructure NSW email at schoolinfrastructure@det.nsw.edu.au or phone during business hours on 1300 482 651.



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