



An example of flexible a learning space

# Dubbo South Public School

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## Investing in our schools

The NSW Government is investing \$8.6 billion in school infrastructure over the next four years, continuing its program to deliver 160 new and upgraded schools to support communities across NSW. This builds on the more than \$9.1 billion invested in projects delivered since 2017, a program of \$17.7 billion in public education infrastructure.

The NSW Department of Education is committed to delivering new and upgraded schools for communities across NSW. The delivery of these important projects is essential to the future learning needs of our students and supports growth in the local economy.

## Project overview

A project is underway at Dubbo South Public School to repair building F and rebuild buildings G, H, I and J, which were damaged by fire in early December 2021, and to repair building S, the school hall, which was damaged during a storm in March 2022.

The project includes the following:

- Four general learning spaces.
- Special programmes space, staff facilities, storage spaces and amenities.

## Project summary

Building F has now been successfully repaired and is operational.

Damaged buildings G, H, I and J have been demolished and cleared, with temporary fencing in place to separate this work from school operations and ensure the safety of students and staff. Fire affected trees in the area have also been removed.

While building S, the school hall, has been operational since being damaged in March 2022, work to repair this damage is currently underway and should be completed in the coming weeks.

For the larger works to repair damage from the fire, a Project Manager has recently been engaged, an Architect is expected to be onboarded to the project in late February to begin the master planning process, and final Design Consultants will be engaged in the coming months.

We will continue to provide updates to the school community on progress for these works.

Additional minor works are underway this term and include:

- Repairing the Covered Outdoor Learning Area (COLA) including reinstating the play equipment under the COLA.
- Replacing synthetic turf on the quadrangle, and the damaged boundary fencing.

#### How can I stay up to date?

Follow this link to access the project webpage [edu.nsw.link/DubboSouthPS](https://edu.nsw.link/DubboSouthPS) or scan the QR code to the right. If you have any queries or concerns about this project you can contact School Infrastructure NSW on [schoolinfrastructure@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:schoolinfrastructure@det.nsw.edu.au), or during business hours on 1300 482 651.

