# NSW Department of Education - School Infrastructure



# **Hastings Secondary College**

Project update

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#### Investing in our schools

The NSW Government is investing \$6.7 billion over four years to deliver more than 190 new and upgraded schools to support communities across NSW. This is the largest investment in public education infrastructure in the history of NSW

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.

### **Hastings Secondary College**

Hastings Secondary College comprises two Year 7-12 campuses, Port Macquarie Campus and Westport Campus The upgrade will involve work at both campuses.

This upgrade will enhance educational delivery at both campuses, streamline and strengthen transition and pathway options for students and their community and provide the latest innovative teaching facilities.

The current proposal at Port Macquarie Campus is to provide new and upgraded learning spaces including expansion of the Technology and Applied Science (TAS) facilities which features a new single storey building, a new two storey Creative and Performing Arts (CAPA) building and the refurbishment of existing classrooms.

The current proposal for the Westport Campus is to relocate the school administration to the main entry for the campus, repurpose the former administration offices into innovative and flexible learning spaces and provide a new campus entrance and landscaping.

A separate proposal also includes a shared use multi sports facility which is being developed at the Port Macquarie campus in partnership with the PCYC.

#### **Project progress**

The Hastings Secondary College upgrade has received permission and funding to proceed. Initial concept designs have been endorsed by the Project Reference Group (PRG).

Architects have been engaged to further develop the designs for the upgrade in consultation with the PRG. The planning pathway for the project is currently being finalised. The project team is currently preparing to go to tender for an early works package including site establishment and demolition works for the Port Macquarie Campus, as well as a tender for the main works at both campuses.

#### Online information

We are temporarily changing some of the ways that we keep you informed to account for social distancing measures as a result of COVID-19. Instead of community information sessions, we invite you to find out more about the project scope and concept designs online.

**Date:** Information will be available online from 9:00am, Tuesday 3 November 2020.

**Website:** www.schoolinfrastructure.nsw.gov.au/projects/h/hastings-secondary-college-port-macquarie-campus-upgrade.html

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