

Kingscliff Public School

Works notification

17 June 2022

Kingscliff Public School is being upgraded to provide new permanent teaching spaces and core facilities to cater for enrolment growth in the area. The scope of work includes replacement of all classrooms including demountable buildings, a new library, an extended hall with new canteen, new outdoor spaces and a redeveloped school entry.

Potential Aboriginal heritage find

On Thursday 16 June 2022, potential Aboriginal artefacts were identified within the work zone for the new building 3. The area was immediately cordoned off and Heritage NSW, Registered Aboriginal Parties and local police informed.

All activities are being conducted in strict accordance with all applicable legislation, regulations, policies and guidelines, which include protocols outlined in the *Aboriginal Heritage Management Plan (AHMP)*, as part of the project's planning consent.

Next steps

Some works on site have been paused while further investigations are underway. Works on Building 2, unrelated to the find and located on Orient Street, are continuing. We will keep the community updated once we receive further information on the artefacts, and will continue to work with the relevant authorities and with representatives from the Aboriginal community.

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