# NSW Department of Education – School Infrastructure



# **Kingscliff Public School**

Project update

## Investing in our schools

The NSW Government is investing \$7 billion over the next four years, continuing its program to deliver more than 200 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.

### **Project overview**

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 removal of demountable buildings, a new library, an extended hall with new canteen, new outdoor spaces and a redeveloped school entry.

### Early works update

Early works at the school were finished in November 2020 and the new facilities are now in use by the school.

The existing school hall was extended so that it can accommodate the whole student population and a new student canteen and out of school hours care facilities were constructed within the hall building.

March 2021

#### Main works update

- A construction contractor has been appointed for the main works and is now working with the school to finalise the detailed design for the upgrade.
- We are finalising the planning approval documents and reports required for a State Significant Development (SSD).
- The SSD application will be lodged with the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment soon and placed on public exhibition for community comments and feedback.
- We are also conducting a Review of Environmental Factors (REF) which will enable us to commence construction of the new administration building while the SSD application is being finalised, lodged and assessed.



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# **Project timeline**

The timeline for completion of main works has been extended to cater for additional time needed to achieve planning approval and meet the conditions of consent. It is anticipated that the upgrade of Kingscliff Public School will now be completed by late 2022.

To ensure the school gains the benefits of new facilities as soon as possible, the upgrade will be delivered progressively.

In addition to the early works already delivered, further new facilities will be ready for use by the school in late 2021, with the remainder being ready for use progressively throughout 2022.

# Information sessions

On Thursday 18 March 2021 we will be holding community information sessions where you can find out more about the progress of the project.

Information sessions will be held in the Training Room at the Cudgen Headland Surf Lifesaving Club. Registration is required to ensure compliance with public health guidelines.



To view session times and book a visit, scan the QR code or go to <u>edu.nsw.link/VWsKK6</u>



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