



Artist impression of the Lake Cathie Public School upgrade

## Lake Cathie Public School

Term 2 holiday construction works

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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. In addition, a record \$1.3 billion is being spent on school maintenance over five years. 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.

### Lake Cathie Public School Upgrade

A project to upgrade Lake Cathie Public School is underway. This project will deliver:

- 17 new flexible learning spaces, inclusive of two support unit classrooms
- A new school hall
- Refurbish the existing school hall into a new library and special programs units
- A new bus bay
- Landscaping.

### Progress summary

Works are underway to upgrade to Lake Cathie Public School. The 17 new flexible learning spaces are

been built in three separate buildings (Block E, F & G). Some of the roofing, external cladding, structural steel and lightweight framing work has been completed in those buildings.

### Term 2 school holiday works

Works over term 2 holidays will include roofing, ground level framing, internal linings, external masonry, windows and the initial mechanical, electrical and plumbing lines will be laid out for Blocks E, F & G.

Due to the nature of our work, you may experience increased noise from machinery and other activities.

Construction work will take place Monday to Saturday, 7:00am to 6:00pm. No work will take place on Sundays or Public Holidays.

We are here to make sure that work is completed safely and efficiently and we will minimise impacts on the community at every opportunity.

Thank you for your patience as we deliver this important project for the school community.

### For more information contact:

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## Frequently asked questions

### What works will be completed over the holidays?

Work is continuing to complete the upgrade at Lake Cathie Public School.

Works over term 2 holidays will include roofing, ground level framing, internal linings, external masonry, windows and the initial mechanical, electrical and plumbing lines will be laid out for Blocks E, F & G.

### What are the construction working hours?

Construction hours over the term 2 break will be as per the standard hours.

- Monday to Saturday: 7:00am to 6:00pm

No work will be undertaken on Sunday or on public holidays.

### What safety measures will be in place?

The health and safety of the community is our highest priority. Temporary fencing has been erected around the construction site to secure the area and prevent public access.

### What steps will be taken to control noise and dust impacts?

Noise and dust control measures will be implemented in accordance with planning approval requirements.

Hoarding and shade cloth have been erected to reduce noise and dust impacts on the school and local residents.

Dust from construction works will be hosed down as required.

### How will traffic be managed?

Traffic management will be in place where required for the safety of students, staff, the local community and workers.

Traffic controllers will be used where required to manage entry and exit of vehicles to and from the construction site. Vehicles will give way to pedestrians at all times.

### Who can I contact if I have a concern about construction work over the holidays??

If you have any queries or concerns about this project you can contact School Infrastructure NSW during business hours on 1300 482 651.

In an emergency, call triple zero (000).