



Artist impression of the new hall. Indicative only

Lane Cove Public School

Project update | February 2023

Construction continues at Lane Cove Public School to replace the school hall and canteen facilities that were destroyed in a fire in 2020. The project has delivered a new school canteen and restored the adjacent playground area, while a new school hall with an attached covered outdoor learning area (COLA) is under construction.

Progress update and next steps

We have continued to work towards delivering the new hall for Lane Cove Public School. Over the last few months we have finished all the brickwork required for the new building, fit all the roof sheets of the new hall, installing the metal frame of the building and external cladding.

Next steps

Now with the frame of the hall in place, we will be closing the hall by installing the windows and doors. Closing the hall will allow us to start to prepare all the plumbing and electrical connections inside, a process that is known as 'Roughing in', while not being impacted by the weather.

Once 'Roughing in' is finished, internal walls will be lined with plasterboard and rendered, flooring will be installed, and internal fitouts will be assembled. The term 'Fitout' means installing all the internal equipment that will make the space work, for instance, the stage, cupboards that will hold the new sound system, and all the lights.

Updates to project timeline

In the [November project update](#), we communicated a revised completion date for the new hall. Upon review of the program and impacts of a number of factors, it is now expected that the new hall will be handed over to the school in mid 2023 rather than early 2023 as anticipated.

Although the construction of the hall is still on track to be finished in the coming months, the external part of the works is not expected to be finished until mid 2023.

We thank the community for your patience as we deliver this important piece of infrastructure.