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# Schools at the Meadowbank Education and Employment Precinct

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## Investing in our schools

The NSW Government is investing \$7.9 billion over the next four years, continuing its program to deliver 215 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

A project is underway to relocate Meadowbank Public School and Marsden High School to the Meadowbank Education and Employment Precinct, following the construction of new facilities. The Meadowbank Education Precinct will cater for 1000 primary school students, 1500 secondary school students and a further 120 Intensive English Centre students.

The new school facilities will house the separate primary school and high school in multilevel, multipurpose buildings with play spaces and landscaped areas.

## Progress

The team has continued to work hard in challenging circumstances throughout the evolving Covid-19 restrictions. We have achieved a new milestone in construction with the completion of the structural elements of the building in June 2021. We are now starting to see the look-and-feel of the school emerge.

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On the outside of the building, we are adding colour with the installation of cladding and handrails. Inside, work has started on flooring, paint and fixtures. Our first learning spaces are starting to take shape.

Landscaping of the site is underway with mature plants currently being planted in the central landscape area between the schools. Access to green, outdoor spaces from every level is a key design feature of the new facilities. The high school running track has been graded and installation of the boundary fencing is underway.

### **Next steps**

The focus will be on completing the installation of the building façade and windows, internal fit out of home base rooms, general and technical learning spaces, and school offices.

Work is also underway to improve the public domain and access in the local area with the installation of shared paths, pedestrian crossings and landscaping.

### **Meadowbank Schools virtual information room**

We are hosting a virtual information room **from 9 am on Monday 11 October to 5 pm on Monday 18 October 2021**. The information room will provide the opportunity for the school communities to learn more about the new school facilities. You will be able to view information boards, download information packs, ask questions and leave feedback for the project team.

We will send you a reminder and link to the virtual information room during the first week of Term 4. When it is open, you will be able access the virtual information room at any time, day or night via the Meadowbank Schools project webpage: [schoolinfrastructure.nsw.gov.au/projects/p/meadowbank-education-and-employment-precinct](https://schoolinfrastructure.nsw.gov.au/projects/p/meadowbank-education-and-employment-precinct)

### **Information packs**

Information packs will be available for download in the virtual information room and in the Library section of the project webpage. The packs will provide more detailed information about the new school facilities, transport and access arrangements, and answers to frequently asked questions.

This is the first stage in providing the school communities with detailed information about the transition to the new school facilities. We will continue to provide up-to-date information in the lead up to the move, including information about specific local bus routes, site tours, and plans for the first day of school at the new location.

### **Contact us**

Should you have any questions or comments about the project, please contact us via email at [schoolinfrastructure@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:schoolinfrastructure@det.nsw.edu.au) or phone on 1300 482 651.

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