#### NSW Department of Education – School Infrastructure



# Mona Vale Public School

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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 upgrade Mona Vale Public School. The project will deliver a new building (Block R), a new performance space (Block S); upgrades and refurbishment of Blocks A, B, D, E, H and N, and new staff and administration spaces.

#### **Progress summary**

The new building (Block R) was completed and ready for use from Day 1 Term 4. Students and staff have settled in and are enjoying the 6 new homebases, 3 practical activity areas, 3 Special Education Learning Unit (SELU) classrooms, and new administration areas.

Block F has been demolished due to termite damage and the area will be landscaped to create more open space for students.

The refurbishment of Bock D was completed and ready for use by Week 5 Term 4. Block D has undergone a major refurbishment and now provides 7 homebases, 2 practical activity areas, a new covered walkway that will connect to the new landscaping area (once completed), and satellite library.

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Block C has been demolished to make space for a new town centre/assembly area, and landscaping to improve school connectivity is underway.

The new performance space (Block S) has taken shape, with groundwork complete and concrete poured into the ground floor slab, structural walls and lift shaft.

Refurbishment of Blocks A, B and H has started. These buildings contain a new student library, 4 homebases and teachers' library.

## Next steps

Work on the new performance space (Block S) will continue with roof installation expected by the end of November 2022.

Six of the 12 demountable homebases will be removed from the school by the end of the year.

Refurbishment of Blocks A, B and H will continue and are expected to be complete by Day 1 Term 1 2023.

Landscaping of the new town centre will continue and is expected to be complete in early 2023. This includes piers and footings to be installed in preparation for a new sunshade.

Landscaping of the accessible pathway, including reinstatement of the heritage pavers and school bell, will continue and is expected to be complete by the end of November 2023.



Aerial view of the new and upgraded buildings at Mona Vale Public School

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