

Mosman High School

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Corner of Military and Belmont Road, with retained trees

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

A project is underway to upgrade Mosman High School. The upgrade will include:



Increase of 16 new
homebase classrooms



New
library



New
multipurpose
gym / hall



New staff and
administration
areas



New outdoor and
rooftop play space



New
canteen
facilities

Progress summary

The project team has worked with the early involvement contractor and architect to further develop the designs of the upgrade to improve the overall functionality and site integration, increase outdoor play areas and improve tree retention.

The State Significant Development (SSD) application for the project will soon be lodged with the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment (DPIE).

The SSD application will be placed on public exhibition by DPIE. Public exhibition dates will be shared once they are available.

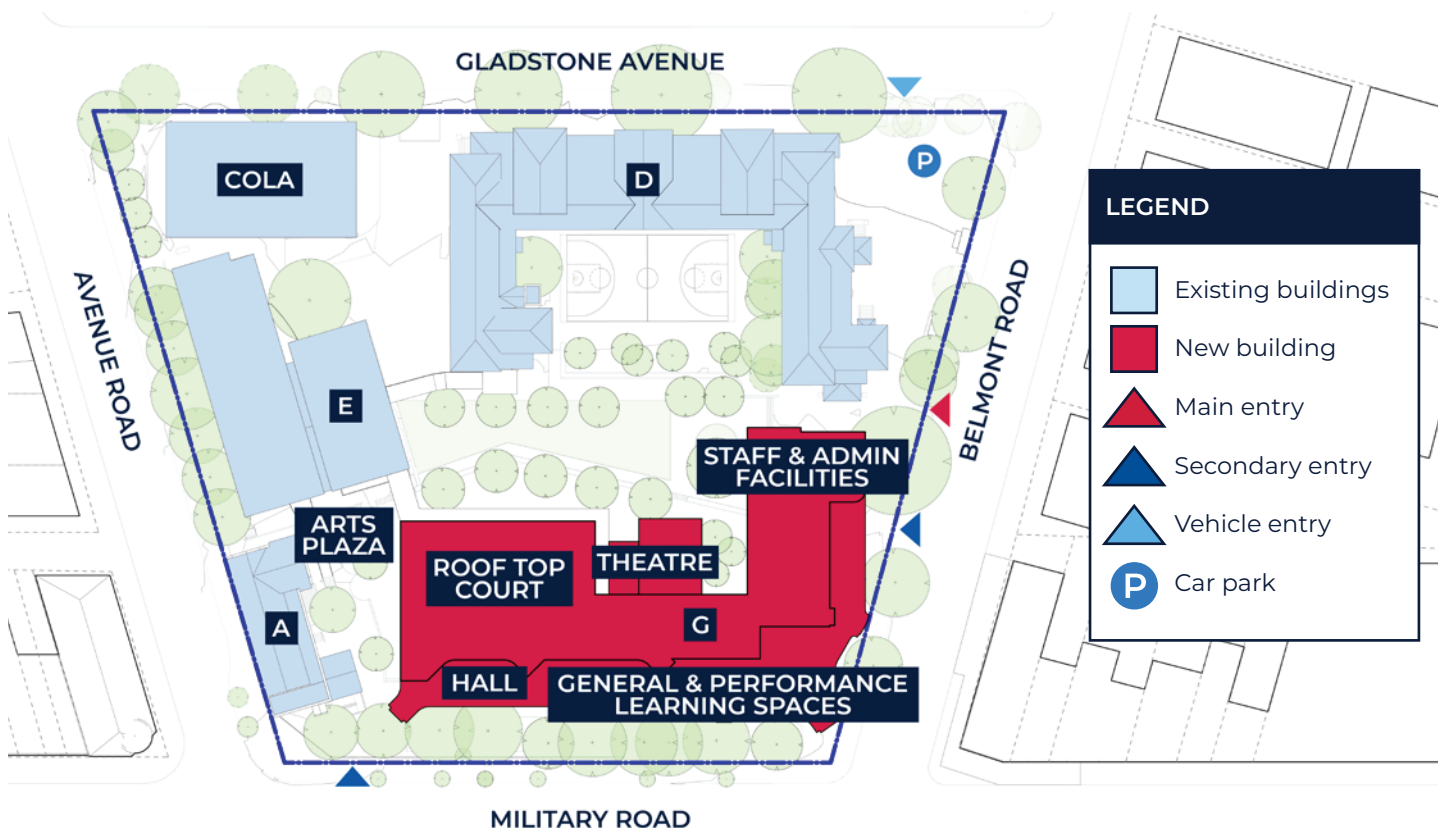
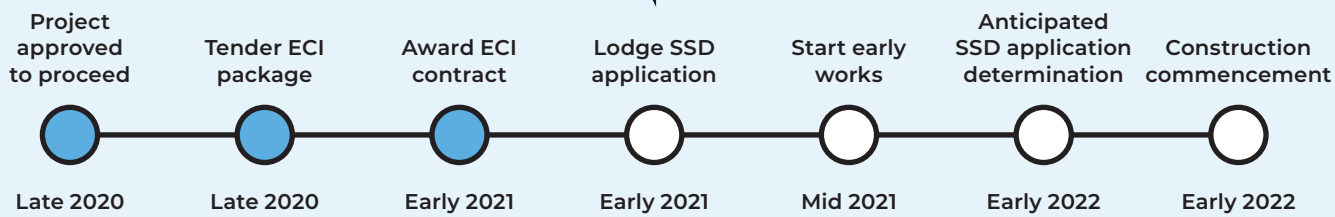
Next steps

- DPIE will publicly exhibit the SSD application.
- Progress development of the schematic design.
- Determination of the SSD application.
- Early and enabling construction works are expected to take place throughout 2021, with main construction works expected to start in early 2022, pending SSD determination.
- Information on staging will be shared as the designs are further developed.

We invite you to view more information about this project at: www.schoolinfrastructure.nsw.gov.au/projects/m/mosman-high-school-upgrade.html

Timeline

We are here



Design principles

The Mosman High School upgrade has been designed in consideration with the below design principles:

- Student-centred.
- Flexible, connected and multi-purpose spaces.
- Technology-enabled and flexible facilities.
- A place for inspiration.
- A safe and 'green' site, opening up the internal areas of the school.
- Sustainable design, focusing on natural light and solar power.
- The Mosman Village character and feel.
- Acknowledgement of the the arts and performance focus of Mosman High School.

How can I find out more about the SSD application for the Mosman High School upgrade?

Following submission of the SSD application, you can find detailed information about the Mosman High School upgrade by going to the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment's website at www.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/major-projects.

How can I provide feedback on the SSD application for the Mosman High School upgrade?

Once on public exhibition, all feedback on the SSD application should be given to the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment.

To find out how to submit your feedback, please go to: www.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/major-projects.



Frequently asked questions

How were the concept designs developed?

Workshops were held with staff, students and other stakeholders to understand what types of learning and recreation spaces Mosman High School requires. These factors, together with feedback from local workshops in 2020 and current expert advice in education and learning, were used to guide the scope of work and concept design process.

Are plans likely to change?

Schematic designs are being developed in consultation with key stakeholders and we are working through the planning approval and tender process. Some aspects of the design may change as we move through these processes. The overall approach to the upgrade and scope is likely to remain the same.

Why has the SSD application been submitted in early 2021?

The project received approval and funding to proceed in late 2020, following this an Early Contract Involvement (ECI) contractor was engaged to support completion of the SSD submission, including further development of the concept design.

How will school operations be managed during construction?

School Infrastructure NSW has extensive experience delivering upgrades at operational schools. The project team will work closely with the Principal to discuss the school's operational needs during construction.

Common approaches include:

- staging the project to allow some areas of the school to remain operational while other areas are under construction.
- installation of temporary classrooms at the school to accommodate classes during construction.
- pausing any high impact construction activities during exam times, such as the HSC.
- Where possible, scheduling high impact activities outside of school hours work on weekdays, weekends and school holidays.

Will classes be held off site during construction?

We are working with the Principal to understand the school operational requirements during construction. This may include installation of temporary classrooms at the school.

Will the project be delivered in phases?

Early and enabling construction works are expected to take place throughout 2021, with main construction work expected to start in early 2022.

What outdoor areas will be available to students during construction?

The vast majority of outdoor areas at the school will be available throughout 2021 as the early and enabling works progress.

During main works construction, it is expected, the existing covered outdoor learning area (COLA), sports court adjacent to building D and the majority of the internal courtyard will be retained for school use.

More information will be shared about school operations and student facilities during construction as the project progresses.

Information session

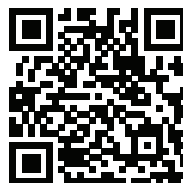
We will be hosting an information session where you can learn about the project and what it will deliver, the planning approval pathways, meet members of the project team and ask questions.

4-7pm, Tuesday 20 April 2021

Location: Melody Room, Mosman Art Gallery

This session is open for members of the school and local community. Bookings will be available for 30 minute allocations.

Limited numbers will be available per booking to ensure social distancing can be accommodated. To make a booking scan the QR code below or visit the project web page: edu.nsw.link/zsbnsx



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