

Newcastle East Public School

Works notification

27 March 2020

Weekly update on work at Newcastle East Public School

To keep the community informed during ongoing construction and remediation work, we will continue to produce weekly updates in the lead up to completion of work.

Work between Monday 30 March and Sunday 5 April 2020

Student update

As you might be aware, Newcastle East Public School is currently experiencing low student attendance. From Monday 30 March 2020, to consolidate teaching and learning areas, all classrooms will be relocated to the new building and demountables. No students or teachers will be present in the heritage building from next Monday.

The out of school hours care (OOSH) will be relocated to the new canteen space, the covered outdoor learning area (COLA) and in wet weather, the library.

New Building (Building E)

We will continue with landscaping work, service connections, and fixing defects. We are aiming to complete the testing and commissioning for the new lift. Current travel restrictions are influencing the availability of a contractor to complete this work.

Heritage building

Ongoing works will continue next week including refurbishing the administration area, replacing roof tiles, and guttering, downpipes and gable and eave restoration works.

As the heritage building will be vacated of all students and staff from Monday 30 March, we will start the slating of the roof over the two previously occupied classrooms.

Work hours are 7:00am to 5:00pm Monday to Saturday and 8:00am to 4:00pm on Sundays.

Playground remediation

We are finalising the detailed design for the playground remediation work in preparation for tendering and procurement of services.

Keeping you updated

Thank you for your understanding during this important work. We will continue to provide weekly updates to the school community. We welcome any enquiries regarding work at Newcastle East Public School.

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