

Newcastle High School redevelopment

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Project overview

A project is well underway to redevelop Newcastle High School by upgrading facilities to meet future demand. The project will deliver:

- a new three-storey learning hub with a library, canteen and covered outdoor learning area (COLA), facilities for specialist support classes, general classrooms, hospitality classrooms and science labs
- a new multipurpose facility with gymnasium, stage, fitness lab, modern classrooms, outdoor courts and end of trip facilities
- a new student hub within existing Building A and student entry from Parkway Avenue.

Key heritage buildings on the school site will also be retained.

Progress summary

The major structural works including concrete and steel frameworks have been successfully completed for the new learning hub and multipurpose facility. The final roof sheets have also been installed and a topping out ceremony was held to celebrate this significant milestone.

In addition, the cultural gardens and surrounding grass area have been completed and officially handed over to the school. A ceremony was held with the school to officially open the gardens, and students were given the opportunity to help plant the new garden beds.



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Topping out ceremony for the new learning hub building.



The cultural gardens and surrounding area after the opening.

Next steps

In the coming months, construction will continue on the new learning hub and multipurpose facility.

Exterior works will include installing external cladding and glass for windows along with doorframes and other structures to enclose the buildings.

We will also carry out work on the buildings' interiors including installing plumbing and electrical fixtures.



Aerial view of the new learning hub under construction.

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