

Box Hill Public School

Welcome Pack – February 2025



Welcome to your upgraded school

We are excited the temporary facilities for Box Hill Public School are complete and ready to welcome students from Kindergarten to Year 2. The new facilities include:



canteen



classrooms



library



covered outdoor
learning area (COLA)



outdoor spaces
and sports areas



accessible
facilities

Thank you for your patience during construction. We are thrilled to deliver this project for the community.



For more information

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A temporary school to support the growing community

This school will support the growing community whilst the permanent school is being built. Temporary school facilities are built with safety and comfort in mind. The buildings conform to the same high standards required for all NSW public schools.

From heating and air conditioning to fire alarms, natural ventilation and lighting, students and teachers can expect to be comfortable and safe.

We also tailor the temporary school to meet student or staff accessibility requirements. We have worked closely with the Department of Education leadership to ensure the spaces will suit Box Hill Public School's educational rationale.

With a wide range of learning spaces, temporary schools deliver the school's full subject offering at a standard expected in all public schools.

Site map



We will continue to install the rest of the temporary buildings to welcome students from Years 3 to 6 on Day 1 Term 3 2025.

The area for these additional buildings is fenced off and will remain inaccessible to students and staff until all works are completed. We will work with the school leadership to minimise disruptions to the operation of the school whilst this work continues, this may include scheduling some works outside of school hours. Access to the construction site has been established from Newfoundland Way and traffic control will be present when necessary. See map above for more details.

Message from your Principal



Welcome to our school.

It is an honour to be the foundation principal for Box Hill Public School. The team and I have been busy behind the scenes laying the groundwork that will enable our school to shine as a place of learning excellence in the community. We are excited by the opportunities that lie ahead.

Our new school features modern, purpose-built temporary facilities that support quality teaching and learning. We believe that education is the key to opportunity in life and are committed to partnering with our community to create a school where all students are challenged to excel in a nurturing and inclusive environment.

As we begin this exciting adventure together, I invite you to actively engage in the life of our school and your child's educational journey.

We understand the importance of collaboration between home and school, and we encourage open communication to ensure the success and wellbeing of every child. I am confident that with your support, dedication, and our collective commitment to excellence, our school will ignite a love of learning in all children and set them up for future success. I look forward to welcoming students and their families into our new school.

Melanie Mackie
Principal
Box Hill Public School

Operational update

All families with enrolled students at Box Hill Public School have been provided with a digital Parent School Information Handbook to inform them about the operational elements of the new school. Students and their families have also attended enrolment meetings held by the school Principal.

The Parent School Information Handbook includes: school starting and finishing times, recess and lunch times, information about school uniforms, information about the curriculum and school policies and procedures. If you haven't received your handbook via email, please contact the school directly at boxhill-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au.

Enrolment update

Enrolments for Years 3 to 6 will be opening in Term 1 2025 for students to begin attendance from Day 1 Term 3. The community will be notified once enrolments open.

Once enrolments open, you will be able to access the enrolment page for the school by going to the school webpage at boxhill-p.schools.nsw.gov.au or by scanning the QR code. We thank the community for your patience.





Reading materials for Kindergarten students at Box Hill Public School

Update on Box Hill Public School and Box Hill High School permanent site

We have completed the due diligence and site assessments at the site of the permanent school on Terry Road, Box Hill. A team of professional experts, including a project architect, has been appointed to develop the master plan and concept design for the project.

Following this, we will proceed to seek development approval through the statutory planning approval process. This formal process, along with the appointment of a main construction contractor, will establish a timeline for construction commencement.

We anticipate delivering the new permanent schools by 2028.

A timeline of the anticipated process can be found in the July 2024 information boards which can be accessed by going to the library section of the project page at edu.nsw.link/NewPrimaryandHighSchoolBoxHill.

Contact us

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