



# Pendle Hill High School

## Project update

February 2021

### Investing in our schools

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.

### Pendle Hill High School upgrade

A project is underway to upgrade Pendle Hill High School to support the growing student and community needs.

The project proposes to include:

- a new three storey building with 14 new, modern flexible learning spaces
- a range of new core facilities and student amenities
- a new lecture theatre and library spaces
- a prototype learning area and staff development space.

### Next steps

Funding has been allocated to proceed with the upgrade to Pendle Hill High School. Next steps include the development of the Schematic Design as well as progression of the statutory planning pathway.

A State Significant Development Application will be lodged in the coming months, allowing the community and other stakeholders to make comments on the proposal.

As part of this process, we have engaged a consultant to conduct a Social Impact Assessment (SIA) for the proposed upgrades to Pendle Hill High School. As part of the SIA, community and stakeholder consultation on the proposed project will take place over the coming weeks.

Once the development application has been approved, construction work can start. The tender process to appoint the chosen construction work contractor will close at the end of January and is expected to be awarded in March 2021.

### Keeping you informed

We will keep you updated and provide more information as the project progresses.

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