



Innovative learning spaces at Penshurst West Public School

Frequently asked questions

What has been delivered in the upgrade to Penshurst West Public School?

We are excited to announce the Penshurst West Public School upgrade has been completed. We have delivered a building with seven flexible learning spaces, a special programs room, new tiered outdoor seating to enhance open play space, a new presentation space and large open spaced areas which include practical arts areas.

Which classes are being relocated?

The classes moving into the new learning building are 1/2W; 2/3SE; 3/4W; 3/4A; 5/6S and 5/6W. For more information, please see the school map on the previous page.

What are innovative learning spaces?

Innovative learning spaces are flexible and well-resourced so that teachers can design a wide range of learning activities to develop the skills and knowledge of students.

Will there be any changes to the school entrances?

Students will continue to enter the school via the main entrance on Scott Street. The Forest Road entry will reopen for pedestrian access. This entry is located near the Forest Road pedestrian crossing.

Will there be any changes to the Out of School Hours Care?

No. Before school care will continue to be provided at the 3 Bridges Community Centre in Penshurst. After school care will continue to be provided at the school.

When will the demountable classrooms be removed?

The demountable classrooms have been removed and the area will become a staff car park area. This work will be completed by end of May 2020.

Will there be any changes to the bus stop?

No. The bus drop off zone remains on Forest Road.

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Penshurst West Public School

Day 1 Term 2 Welcome



Penshurst West Public School upgrade

Welcome to your school

We're really excited your new school facilities are ready for you to use. The upgrade to your school includes:



A new building with seven flexible learning spaces



A new presentation space and large open spaced areas which include practical arts areas

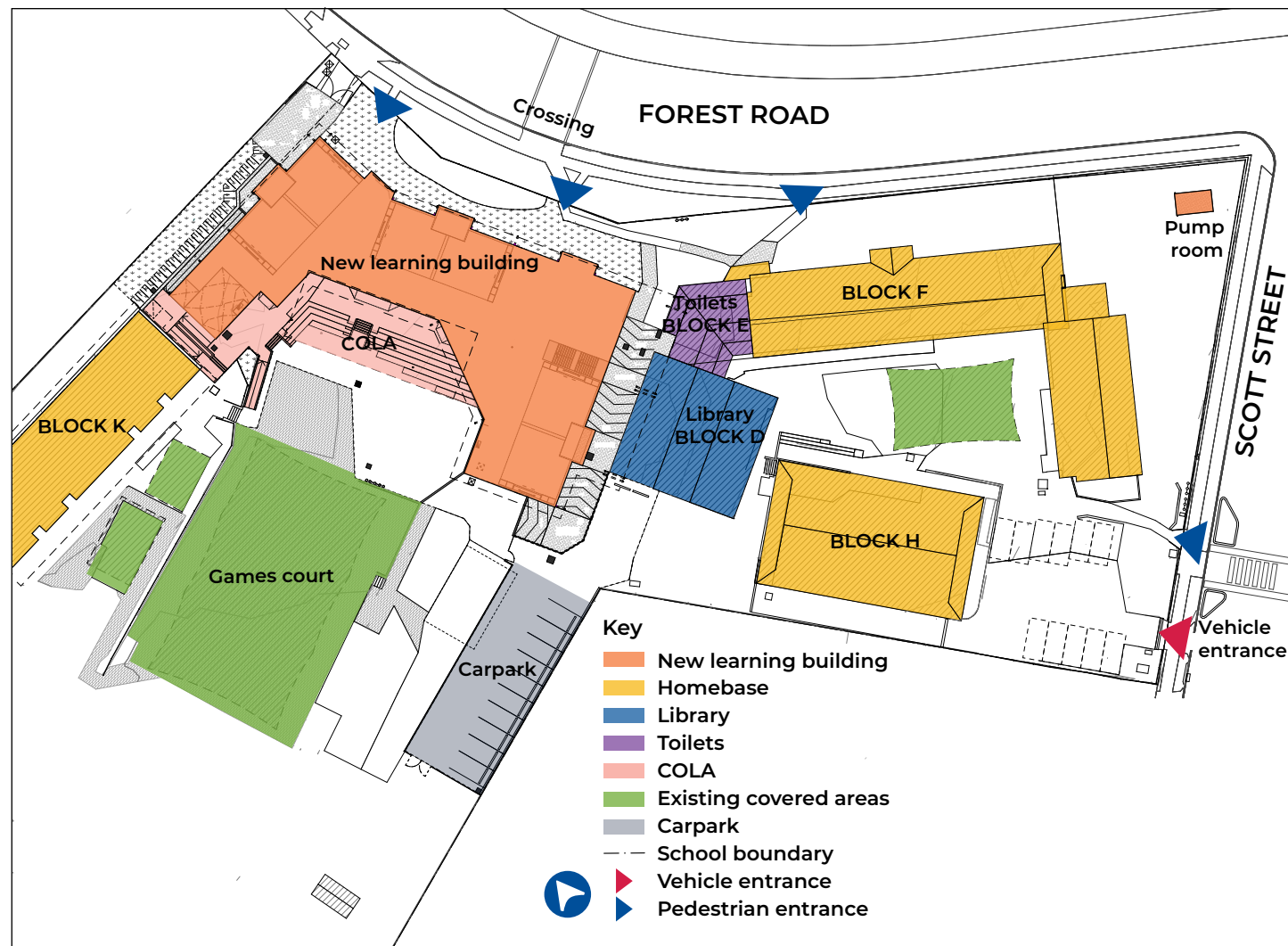


A special programs room



New tiered outdoor seating

Thank you for your patience during construction, we are thrilled to deliver this project for your school community and hope you enjoy your new spaces.



Access to new school buildings

Message from your Principal

Our new building brings greater opportunities for interconnected sharing of experiences and exchange of ideas.

In the planning of this collaborative learning space, all available areas have been considered as spaces for learning. Furthermore the new building allows teachers to create areas that promote social learning and maximum engagement. Hallways are meeting spaces for small groups and classroom walls allow groups to visually map out thinking. Flexible seating provides transformable areas depending on the purpose of the lesson.

These collaborative classrooms will be alive with action – teaching, learning, innovating, creating, making, and exploring. Innovative learning spaces encourage both individual and collective voices, and, through use of emerging technologies, they inspire students to become skilful curators of their digital worlds.

Ross Angus, Principal

Innovative learning environments

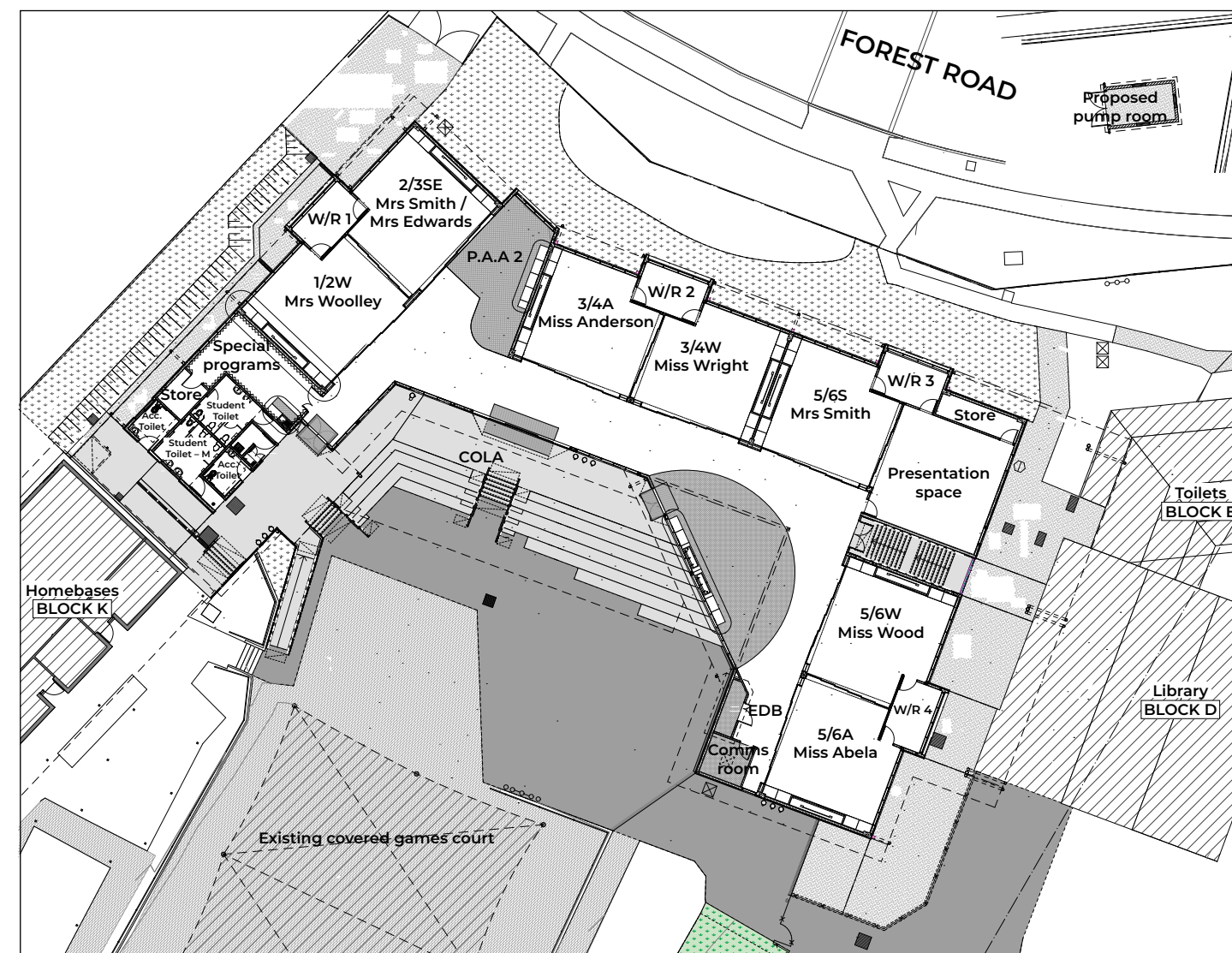
The upgrade to Penshurst West Public School has been completed. This exciting project now delivers innovative learning environments for the next generation of young minds.

Innovative learning environments provide flexibility where teachers can provide opportunities for student engagement. The learning spaces:

- are adaptable to accommodate small or large groups
- include learning neighbourhoods with flexible spaces that allow students to use technology in a variety of settings
- provide opportunities to enhance skills in collaboration, communication, critical thinking, problem solving and creativity.

Classroom relocation

The floor plan shows the relocation of classes in the new building.



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