NSW Department of Education – School Infrastructure



Queanbeyan High School

Project update and works notification

June 2019

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The NSW Government is investing \$6.5 billion over the next four years to deliver 190 new and upgraded schools to support communities across NSW. In addition, a record \$1.3 billion is being spent on school maintenance over four years. This is the largest investment in public education infrastructure in the history of NSW.

Project overview

A project is underway to upgrade Queanbeyan High School. The upgrade will deliver eight refurbished general learning spaces, two learning spaces devoted to STEM (science, technology, engineering and mathematics), refurbishment and expansion of food technology and hospitality facilities, a new covered outdoor learning area (COLA) and resurfacing of the sports courts, refurbishment and expansion of staff administration facilities, new walkways and ramps, upgrade of the school entrance and landscape improvement works.

Main works construction commencement

Construction is due to commence in mid-June, which will involve demolition and excavation works.

Minor road closure on Agnes Ave – Saturday 15th June

For works to the school to commence, the administration building must relocate into temporary buildings. For the crane works to occur to move this building on site, a single lane road closure will occur on Agnes Ave on Saturday 15th June between 7am – 12pm. Traffic management personnel will be on site to manage this process.

Stay informed

We will continue to keep you updated about the project as the project progresses. This information will be provided through project updates, information booths, and our website.

You can also speak with us about this project by calling 1300 482 651 or emailing schoolinfrastructure@det.nsw.edu.au.



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Frequently Asked Questions

When is the project expected to be completed?

The upgrade of Queanbeyan High School is due to be completed in mid-2020.

What are the construction hours?

Work will take place during standard construction hours between 7am and 5pm, Monday to Friday and 8am to 1pm, Saturday. No work will take place on Sundays or public holidays unless notified.

How will noise during construction be managed?

Some noise will be generated, mostly during the early demolition stage. We will work with the school to minimise noise during exam periods or other critical times, and aim to undertake works during school holidays where possible. When we need to carry out potentially disruptive work we will give advance notice to local residents.

How will dust during construction be managed?

Hoarding and shade cloth will be used to reduce noise and dust impacts on the school and its neighbours. Dust from demolition and construction works will be hosed down with water as required. Trucks entering and leaving the site will cover their loads and be washed down to prevent tracking dust and mud from the site.

Will there be any impacts to traffic from the works?

During construction, traffic management will be implemented to ensure the safety of students, teachers, staff, site visitors and residents. There will be no deliveries during peak drop off and pick up times.

How are you managing the safety of the students during construction?

During construction, the contractors will follow rigorous processes to ensure the safety of students, staff, contractors, parents and other visitors to the site is maintained. Students will be separated from the construction works via site fencing that is clearly signed. All deliveries will be outside of peak drop off and pick up times.

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