# Randwick High School Co-educational facility upgrade Project update | March 2025

Image caption: Example of a modern classroom



### Investing in our schools

As part of the NSW Government's plan to rebuild public education, the 2024-25 Budget is delivering record education funding, including \$8.9 billion for new and upgraded schools. This targeted investment will ensure growing communities get access to a world class public education.

The NSW Government has committed \$42 million in funding to support the new and upgraded facilities at the new co-educational Randwick High School. The timeline for delivery by the department has been accelerated for the upgrade which will cater for the Randwick community now and into the future by supporting the schools' high quality education provision.

### **Progress summary**

Stage 1 of the amalgamation of Randwick Boys and Girls High Schools was completed and ready for use on Day 1 Term 1 2025. These works included upgrading the canteen, upgrading the power supply, and extending the current shade structures near the canteen and multipurpose centre areas.

The concept designs for Stage 2 are nearing completion, and we look forward to sharing these with the community at an information session during Term 2.

# **Next steps**

- Finalise the concept designs for Stage 2 (information about Stage 2 can be found in the December 2024 project update on the project webpage <a href="https://www.schoolinfrastructure.nsw.gov.au/projects/r/Randwick-Boys-High-School-and-Randwick-Girls-High-School-upgrade.html#about-project-tab">https://www.schoolinfrastructure.nsw.gov.au/projects/r/Randwick-Boys-High-School-and-Randwick-Girls-High-School-upgrade.html#about-project-tab</a>).
- Lodge planning application mid-2025.
- Release tender package for main works mid-2025.
- Commence construction of main works late-2025.

# Archaeological investigation work notification

As part of our planning, we will be conducting an Aboriginal archaeological investigation at Randwick High School. The investigation is scheduled to begin on 1 April 2025 and is



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expected to last for two weeks, weather permitting. Works will take place between 7:30 am and 4 pm, with no works taking place on weekends. Fenced working areas will be established around each pit during with signage attached to ensure that no staff, students or parents can access the pits. All pits will be excavated and backfilled on the same day to ensure that no pits are left empty overnight.

The investigation aims to identify any items of Aboriginal or cultural significance present on the grounds and will be carried out by professional heritage consultants.

The process will involve shallow hand excavations in several localised pits, situated along the grassy boundary of the north/south footpath, as well as in designated areas of the car park. To access the pits in the car park, some excavation of the bitumen will be necessary; however, we anticipate minimal disruption.

Please note that certain parking spaces will be temporarily unavailable during this period.

We will continue to work with the school to ensure that these works do not cause Legond

Proposed test pit locations for supplementary investigation

Approximate site boundary

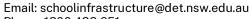
any disruptions to the students' learning.

#### More information



Stay up to date by visiting the project webpage <a href="https://edu.nsw.link/RBHS-RGHS">https://edu.nsw.link/RBHS-RGHS</a> or by scanning the QR code.

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