## **NSW Department of Education – School Infrastructure**



## Schofields Public School Summer holidays construction works

## December 2019

### Investing in our schools

The NSW Government is investing \$6.7 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 five years. This is the largest investment in public education infrastructure in the history of NSW.

### Schofields Public School

A project is underway to redevelop Schofields Public School to accommodate the growing student population in the area, with new flexible learning spaces and upgraded facilities to be built where the existing school facilities were located.

### **Progress summary**

Work is progressing well on the new two-storey building, with all ground floor slabs now poured, and the installation of structural steelwork now underway.

Construction has also started on the On-Site Detention (OSD) tank, which is required under the consent conditions, to reduce the peak flow of stormwater into Council drains.

## Summer school holiday works

Over the summer break, the structure of the twostorey building is expected to be completed, with continued installation of structural steelwork, installation of the metal roofing and construction of the brickwork facade.

Once the building is water tight, work will start on the internal fit-out, including internal stud walls and power and water services.

Work will also continue on the OSD tank.

### For more information contact:

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## Frequently asked questions

## What works will be completed over the holidays?

The structure of the two-storey building is expected to be completed, with continued installation of structural steelwork, installation of the metal roofing, and construction of the brickwork facade.

Once the building is water tight, work will start on the internal fit-out, including internal stud walls and power and water services.

Work will also continue on the On-Site Detention tank.

## What are the construction working hours?

This work will take place during standard construction hours between 7:00am and 5:00pm, Monday to Friday and from 8:00am to 1:00pm, Saturday. No work will take place on Sundays or public holidays.

## Will construction take place over Christmas and New Year?

There will be no work from 21 December 2019 to 5 January 2020, inclusive.

## What safety measures will be in place?

In line with their day to day operations, the Contractor will have a dedicated heath safety representative on site during this period. High risk works will be managed with the use of a permit system where specific control measures are implemented depending on the task.

# What steps will be taken to control noise and dust impacts?

Dust will be managed with the use of a portable onsite water tanker. Noisy works will be managed in accordance to legislative and planning requirements.

## How will traffic be managed?

Traffic control is in place to manage truck movements on busy days where there are multiple truck movements in and out. Gates will be closed and locked at all times.

## Who can I contact if I have a query about construction work over the holidays?

If you have any queries or concerns about this project you can contact School Infrastructure NSW during business hours on 1300 482 651.

School Infrastructure NSW will be closed from Monday, 23 December to Friday, 3 January inclusive.

In an emergency, call triple zero (000).

