



Artist impression of the new VET facility

# Seven Hills High School: VET facility

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## Project overview

Seven Hills High School is being upgraded to provide a new Vocational Innovation Centre (VIC). These specialist vocational education and training (VET) facilities will provide students with the skills, support and access to trades and vocational pathways that will enable them to succeed in the 21st century.

TAFE NSW will deliver the following Vocational and Educational (VET) course on campus in the VIC:

- Individual support (ageing)
- Electrotechnology
- Drainage (pre-plumbing course)
- Supply chain operations (2024).

Seven Hills High School will deliver the following Vocational and Education and Training (VET) courses on campus in the VIC:

- Business services
- Financial services
- Entertainment (live production and technical services)
- Sports Coaching (2024).

## Progress summary

Construction work on the new Vocational Innovation Centre (VIC) has now finished and all final fixtures, fittings and equipment are now in the building.

The VIC is being built under a development application that was approved by Blacktown City Council in mid 2022. Unfortunately, due to a condition of the consent of the new building being built, there will be a delay in staff and students moving into the new building. In order to fulfil the development consent, all works associated with the new VIC facility need to be completed. This includes the drainage works on Johnson Avenue which are expected to be finished in the coming months.

Students studying vocational subjects will continue to attend their TAFE courses at nearby facilities, as has been the arrangement for terms 1 and 2. More information about these arrangements, such as bus transport, will be shared by the school.

## Next steps

We are working with Blacktown City Council to resolve the issue, so that the new building can be open and operational as quickly as possible.

Work will continue to finalise landscaping and the external walkway that will connect the VIC to the rest of the high school. Work areas will continue to be cordoned off to ensure the safety of all students and staff.

## More information

We will continue to update the school and local community on the progress of the new Vocational Innovation Centre opening.

For more information about this project use the QR code or visit [schoolinfrastructure.nsw.edu.au](http://schoolinfrastructure.nsw.edu.au) and search for Seven Hills High School VET upgrade.

