### NSW Department of Education - School Infrastructure



# **Tweed Heads South Public School**

## Project update | December 2023

#### Investing in our schools

As part of the NSW Government's plan to rebuild essential services, the 2023-24 Budget is delivering a historic \$1.4 billion for new and upgraded schools in regional NSW. This targeted investment in growing communities will ensure working families get access to a world class public education.

#### **Project overview**

Tweed Heads South Public School is being upgraded to provide new permanent teaching spaces and education facilities. The project will provide 11 new permanent learning spaces, a new library, canteen and out of school hours care (OSHC) facility. Refurbishments will be undertaken to the early learning centre (ELC) and administration spaces.

#### **Progress update**

As notified on 24 November 2023, we have been removing hazardous materials from Building D in preparation for demolition. This work is expected to be completed by the end of December 2023. Once removal is complete, further testing will be carried out to ensure the area has been fully remediated and the contractor will receive a clearance certificate for all hazardous waste materials before the area is reopened for demolition. Work on Building 1 is complete and the building will be ready for use by students and teachers for Day 1 Term 1 of 2024.

#### Next steps

We have commenced demolition of Building D and this is expected to be completed prior to Christmas. We will be using an excavator during this work. Once demolition of Building D is complete, we will remediate the area into a play space, as well as constructing a new play area behind Building H.

In January we will commence construction of the new car park. This will include new linemarking, wheel stops, bollards and landscaping works.

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#### **Working hours**

Working hours will be Monday to Friday 7 am to 6 pm and Saturday 8 am to 1 pm. There will be no work between Friday 22 December 2023 and Monday 8 January 2024.

School Infrastructure NSW will be also closed from 5 pm Friday 22 December 2023 to 9 am Monday 8 January 2024, inclusive, in line with the NSW Government shut down period. You can continue to contact us during this time, and we will get back to you after we return. If there is an urgent issue, please contact the site manager listed on the construction site entry. In an emergency, please call triple zero (000).

We would like to thank the community for their ongoing understanding and patience while we deliver the Tweed Heads South Public School upgrade and wish everybody all the best for the season.

#### **Building 1 learning spaces**





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