

Artist impression of the Tweed River High School upgrade

Tweed River High School

Project update

March 2021

Investing in our schools

The NSW Government is investing $7 billion over the next four years, continuing its program to deliver more than 200 new and upgraded schools to support communities across NSW. This is the largest investment in public education infrastructure in the history of NSW.

The NSW Department of Education is committed to delivering new and upgraded schools for communities across NSW. The delivery of these important projects is essential to the future learning needs of our students and supports growth in the local economy.

Project overview

Tweed River High School is being upgraded to provide new permanent teaching spaces and core facilities. The scope of work includes new and refurbished learning spaces, a new library and new senior learning environment.

In August 2020 the NSW Government announced new specialist vocational education facilities at Tweed River High School. This is in addition to the original school upgrade project.

Early works update

The refurbishment of the school canteen was completed in August 2020 and the improved canteen is now in use by the school.

The extension, refurbishment and air conditioning of learning spaces on the ground floors of J and R Blocks was brought into the scope for early works.

This work is now finished and the refurbished learning spaces in both blocks are being used by the school.

Main works update

- A construction contractor has been appointed for the main works and is now working with the school to finalise the detailed design for the upgrade.
- Archaeological investigations (test pits) have been undertaken at the school as part of our Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment.
- We are preparing to lodge the Development Application (DA) for the integrated scope of work.
- We are also conducting a Review of Environmental Factors (REF) which will enable us to progress the science and library buildings while the DA is being assessed.

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Project timeline

The timeline for completion of main works has been extended to cater for additional time needed to achieve planning approval and meet the conditions of consent. It is anticipated that the upgrade of Tweed River High School will now be completed by late 2022.

To ensure the school gains the benefits of new facilities as soon as possible, the upgrade will be delivered progressively.

In addition to the early works already delivered, further new facilities will be ready for use by the school in late 2021, with the remainder being ready for use throughout 2022.

Information sessions

On Thursday 25 March 2021 we will be holding community information sessions where you can find out more about the progress of the project.

The information sessions will be held at the Tweed Heads South Community Hall, corner of Heffron Street and Minjungbal Drive, Tweed Heads South. Registration is required to ensure compliance with public health guidelines.

To view session times and book a visit, scan the QR code or go to edu.nsw.link/TTvmXd



New student canteen at Tweed River High School

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