



Artist impression of the Wagga Wagga Public School

Wagga Wagga Public School

Project update | November 2021

Investing in our schools

The NSW Government is investing \$7.9 billion over the next four years, continuing its program to deliver 215 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

In January 2019, a fire destroyed a building at Wagga Wagga Public School. A new facility will be built to replace the six classrooms that were lost in the fire. The new building will connect to adjacent buildings and include six modern learning spaces, two staff offices, new toilet facilities and a new lift.

Progress Summary

A development application was submitted to Wagga Wagga City Council in late January 2021 and approved in April 2021. A request for tender was issued during September 2021 and a construction contract has been awarded to local builder, ICG Wagga Pty Ltd, in October 2021 to build the new facility at Wagga Wagga Public School.

Next Steps

Main construction work is planned to start on Monday 15 November 2021 and we anticipate construction to be completed by mid-2022. Work hours have been approved for 7am to 6pm Monday to Friday and 8am to 1pm Saturdays. No work will take place on Sundays or public holidays unless notified. We will keep you informed if there are any changes to the approved working hours.

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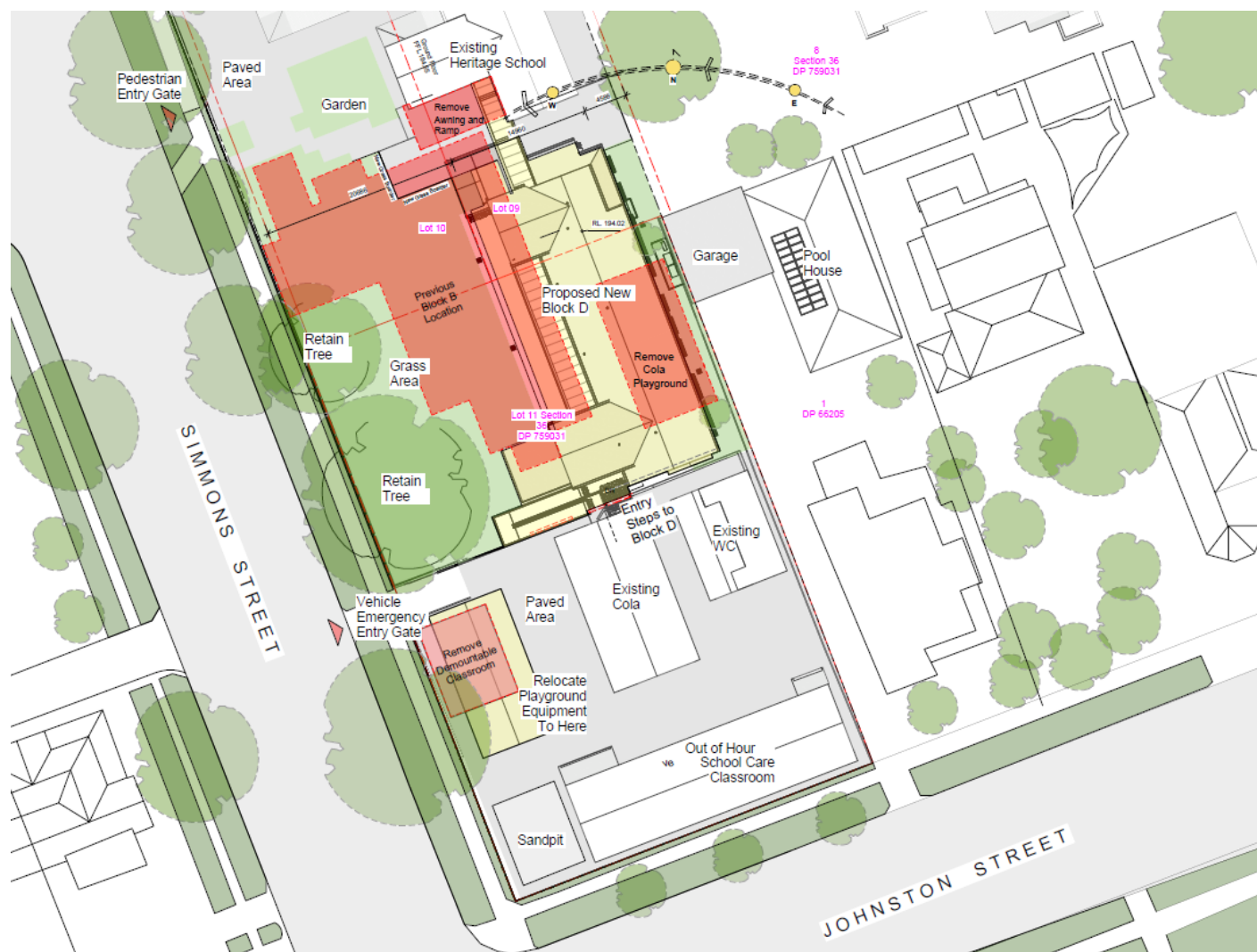
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Safety is our highest priority

Safety measures will be in place at all times to keep the school community safe by separating the construction site from the rest of the school. Construction has also been planned to minimise impacts on the school's operations. However, it will be necessary to cordon-off part of the school's play space during construction to allow for construction equipment to be set up, stored and used. To make up for this temporary change to their play space, some students will be taken to another play space during construction. The school will write to parents and carers with further information about these changes. We will continue to consult the school to reduce the impacts of construction. We will also continue to provide updates about the work as it progresses.

A comprehensive COVID-19 Safety Plan will be in place for the site and the contractor will enforce strict compliance with Public Health Orders. Our construction sites will follow all current health guidelines, including all workers wearing masks for indoor and outdoor work.

Wagga Wagga Public School project site map



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