

# Wilkins Public School – new preschool

Project update

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## 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.

### Wilkins Public School project

Plans are progressing for a new, purpose-built preschool within the grounds of Wilkins Public School. Globe Wilkins pre-school has been co-located at Wilkins Public School for the past 20 years, occupying four of the school's classrooms. The preschool is currently run by Inner West Council, with an extended operational licence agreement in place for a maximum of two years, or until construction is complete and the tender process finalised. When construction of the new preschool is complete, an open, competitive tender process will be undertaken for the lease and operation of the preschool. We will also upgrade the four classrooms that the preschool currently occupies, to ensure Wilkins Public School has capacity to cater for growing Kindergarten to Year 6.

### Progress summary

A proposed location for the new preschool has been identified, and an initial masterplan has been developed. Over the coming months, initial designs of the new preschool will be developed.

### Find out more

We will be at the school holding an information booth on **Tuesday, 19 November 2019 from 2.30pm to 6pm**, to provide you with the latest information and next steps in progressing plans for the new preschool masterplan and the proposed location within the school grounds.

We will be in area A on the asphalt outside the administration block. We warmly invite you to drop by and talk to our team.

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