NSW Department of Education – School Infrastructure



Project update | August 2022

Investing in our schools

The NSW Government is investing \$8.6 billion in school infrastructure over the next 4 years, continuing its program to deliver 160 new and upgraded schools to support communities across NSW. This builds on the more than \$9.1 billion invested in projects delivered since 2017, a program of \$17.7 billion in public education infrastructure. This includes an upgrade of Yanco Agricultural High School boarding facilities to ensure they are fit for purpose for current and future students.

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

We are undertaking planning for an upgrade of the boarding accommodation at Yanco Agricultural High School. The proposed upgrade involves the construction of new accommodation facilities and improvements to existing buildings.

The project aims to deliver enhanced learning outcomes for students through improved accommodation with:

- the removal of the temporary female dormitories,
- the construction of a new permanent female boarding facility, and
- the partial refurbishment of existing permanent boarding facilities to ensure they are fit for purpose and efficient.

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Progress summary

We have progressed the concept design of the high school upgrade to the schematic design stage, the third of 4 design stages. Schematic design involves addressing space, scale and constructability to move the project into design development and eventually, construction. Throughout the early design phases, feedback from project stakeholders and school representatives including a design workshop in May 2022 was incorporated, where appropriate, into the design.

Next steps

- Lodgement of the Development Application (DA) with Leeton Shire Council for the school upgrade
- Schematic design workshop with school representatives in mid-September
- The tender for a Head Contractor will be released in late 2022

Virtual Information Session

You are welcome to visit our virtual information session to find out more about the project scope and benefits, timeline, and design approach. In the virtual room, you can also book a phone call with SINSW or submit feedback and questions about the project.

The virtual information room will be open online from:

9:00 am Monday 26 September to 9:00 am Monday 3 October 2022.

To access the virtual room, visit schoolinfrastructure.nsw.gov.au and search for 'Yanco Agricultural High School.' Visit the SINSW website at any time, day or night during this period to access the Virtual Information Session.

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