



Young High School upgrade and joint-use library and community facility

Summer holidays construction works

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Young High School upgrade and joint-use library and community facility

A major upgrade is planned for Young High School. The project will deliver a new joint-use library and community facility for the school and local community. The library facility is jointly funded by the NSW Government and Hilltops Council.

The facility will be located on school land and integrated with Carrington Park.

The project will also include: re-purposing of the existing school library into a staff hub, construction of a new student amenities block, construction of a new canteen and landscaping.

Progress summary

Schematic design has been completed. Early works on the school upgrade works have commenced.

Summer school holiday works

The summer school holiday works include:

- Relocation of the Wellbeing Hub demountable to the staff carpark
- Construction of Block MM toilets and installation of temporary toilet blocks and canteen
- Installation of underground services
- Demolition of block BB to ground floor slab level.

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Frequently asked questions

What works will be completed over the holidays?

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What are the construction working hours?

This work will take place between 7:00am - 5:00pm Monday to Friday and 8:00am - 3:00pm on Saturdays, weather and site conditions permitting. The community will be kept informed of any changes to the approved working hours.

Will construction take place over Christmas and New Year?

Yes. Works will continue through the Christmas and New Year period with the exception of public holidays.

How will the community be impacted?

Notifications to the school community and surrounding neighbours will be issued prior to works. Any potentially disruptive tasks will be undertaken outside of school hours.

No works to occur on Australia Day or the Christmas Carols event. However, some works may occur on the evening prior to Christmas Carols, with no impact to the event.

What safety measures will be in place?

Health and safety is our highest priority. We will be working collaboratively with the school community and neighbours to ensure that construction works will be scheduled and managed to minimise impacts to the community where possible.

Site perimeter fencing has been established to control site access, with all personnel working on the site inducted for site specific requirements and personal protective equipment (PPE) needs as per the Health, Safety and Environment (HSE) Plan.

What steps will be taken to control noise and dust impacts?

During this time there may be some noise impacts as heavy vehicle arrive on site. All possible care will be taken to limit these impacts.

All construction on site will be conducted in accordance with noise, safety and building regulations. Hoarding and shade cloth will be erected to reduce dust and noise impacts on the school and our neighbours. Dust from demolition and construction works will be hosed down with water as required. Exposed debris will be covered. Trucks entering and leaving the site will have their loads covered.

How will traffic be managed?

All vehicle access is currently managed via the Main Site Access gate on Campbell Street, although alternative entry points may be used as required. All vehicles entering the site will require drivers to adhere to the site rules including access routes on site, demarcation zones and speed limits.