Mullumbimby Public School

Project Update | April 2023

What is happening at Mullumbimby Public School

A project to deliver remediation and repair works to Mullumbimby Public School after it was damaged by floods in early 2022, is progressing well. Working closely with the school, we are delivering refurbished and flexible learning environments, and core facilities that will support the long-term needs of the local community. In addition to refurbishing and remediating flood damaged areas of the school, we are simultaneously delivering Planned Maintenance works to streamline works and minimise disruption on the school community.

Current Status

- All flood affected buildings have been deep cleaned and remediated. Damaged internal walls have been stripped. The relining of walls in Blocks A, B is complete, and Block C is underway.
- The school play equipment adjacent to Morrison Avenue has new soft fall installed and is in use. The General Assistants shed has been remediated and is in use, with a new GA shed to be located behind Block J on higher ground.
- Refitting and refurbishment with new classroom layouts for Block B is complete. The Canteen in Block E is stripped out, remediated and redesigned. Carpet has been installed in the administration block and the library (Block A).
- A new roof was installed on Block C (by Planned Maintenance).
- We are coordinating with loss adjusters to replace eligible items through insurance, as well as delivering Planned Maintenance works.

Next Steps

Under the Planned Maintenance works program, the large Shade Structures (COLA) ceilings are being relined with perforated sheeting, artificial turf is being installed in a quadrangle, pavements are being concreted to remove trip hazards, and we are adding maintenance funds to complete school funded canteen works.

Undertaking simultaneous works, along with materials and workforce supply delays, has extended the early forecast project completion. The combined planned maintenance works, and flood related works are now due for completion in early Term 3. We will work to deliver these projects as soon as possible and keep the school community informed throughout the delivery of the works. We thank you for your patience during works.

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