# **Broadwater Public School**

## Project Update

September 2022

### Rebuilding Broadwater Public School

A project is underway to rebuild Broadwater Public School after it was damaged by floods in March 2022. The project will deliver new modern and flexible learning environments and core facilities that will support the long term needs of the local community.

The school grounds which were damaged by the flood will also be repaired.

Broadwater Public School students are learning from Evans River Community School while their school is being rebuilt.

#### **Current status**

- A project team has been appointed.
- An architect was appointed in August and architectural master planning is underway.
- Specialist and technical consultants have visited the school and provided recommendations around issues such as flood engineering that will help inform the final design of the new school buildings and surrounding area. This includes geo-technical and ecological planning advice.

#### Next steps

- A managing contract for a building company that will be responsible for overseeing all the rebuild work – is expected to be awarded in October, with construction works to start in 2023. The contractor will work with the project team to manage the rebuild of Broadwater Public School.
- School infrastructure NSW will work with Broadwater Public School to finalise the design of the new school buildings and surrounding areas. A second information session for the Broadwater Public School community will be held later this year.
- Specialist and technical consultants will continue to visit the site during the planning and construction phases.

Rebuilding Broadwater Public School is expected to take between 18 months and 2 years. Completion is expecte in early 2024, although we will do whatever we can to complete the project sooner.

We thank you for your patience as we work through this important program of work. We will continue to share information with you as work progresses.

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