

# Lismore Heights Public School

## Works notification - 23 October 2024

Dear staff, parents, carers and neighbours,

We would like to inform you about the stormwater drainage upgrades we are planning for Lismore Heights Public School.

We have had ongoing issues with water drainage after heavy rain events at the south-western border of the school grounds.

Excess water is affecting some of our neighbours on Milton Street and Renwick Street.

We tried to manage the water flow by installing swales and new water pits on school property, however this highlighted more issues downstream and didn't fix the problem.

Investigations to date have identified that there is no easement for the school's stormwater outlet. We are working with council and neighbours to find a permanent solution.

We are in the planning stages for this work, which is expected to take 12 – 18 months to complete. At this early stage there will be no operational impact to staff and students.

The department will reach out to neighbours directly as needed.

We will continue to keep the community informed about this issue and the progression of work.

In the meantime, if you have any questions about this work, please contact us on 1300 482 651 or [schoolinfrastructure@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:schoolinfrastructure@det.nsw.edu.au).

Please note our community phone and email are staffed from Monday to Friday between 9 am and 5 pm.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

