

Picton High School upgrade

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As part of the NSW Government's plan to rebuild public education, the 2024-25 Budget is delivering record education funding, including \$1.4 billion for new and upgraded schools in regional NSW. This targeted investment will ensure growing communities get access to a world class public education.

Project overview

The NSW Government has committed funding for a project to install walls in open classrooms at Picton High School. This upgrade will provide enclosed learning spaces, ensuring that students and teachers have suitable environments for teaching and learning.

Progress update

The early planning stages involved assessing the existing open classrooms and educational requirements with stakeholders. The work will be done in 2 stages.

Stage 1 will enclose the first set of classrooms, and is planned to include:

- enclosing 2 open plan classrooms and one activities area in the Mathematics and Visual Arts classroom area to create 4 classrooms
- enclosing one open plan classroom in the Technological and Applied Studies (TAS) classroom area to create 2 classrooms and an access corridor
- removing a wall in an English classroom to create a larger classroom
- installing a wall in the tiered seating area near the Mathematics and Visual Arts classrooms to separate it from the corridor.

A design and construction contract for the Stage 1 works is now out for tender.

Stage 2 will focus on classrooms with more complex requirements. For Stage 2, work has commenced to engage a team of architects, engineers and other specialists to develop the design.

Next steps

- The design and construction contract for Stage 1 work will be awarded at the end of November 2024, with work to be undertaken in the next school holiday period.
- Design documentation for the Stage 2 works will be developed.

More information



You can find more information about the project at edu.nsw.link/PictonHS or by scanning the QR code. If you have any questions about this project, contact School Infrastructure NSW during business hours using the contact details below.

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