

Chester Hill High School

Completion pack – September 2025



New café space at Chester Hill High School

Welcome to your new café

We are excited to announce the completion and opening of a brand new café at Chester Hill High School, which is now available for use by both students and staff.

The \$284.3 million Australian Government Schools Upgrade Fund is delivering grants to improve school facilities across the country. These grants are designed to help schools and their students get back on track after disruptions caused by COVID-19. Public Schools in NSW have a \$68 million share of the fund for infrastructure projects and facility improvements.

This project has delivered:



a new full-service café repurposed from former interview and printer rooms



indoor and outdoor dining facilities



brand new hospitality equipment



connection to the school's existing commercial kitchen



accessible design



New café with cooking and hospitality equipment



Student-made coffee using the barista coffee machine



State-of-the-art café facilities



For more information

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Message from your Principal



We are excited to announce the completion of our new school café, a vibrant and inclusive space designed to enhance student learning.

Attached to a fully equipped commercial kitchen, the café offers students authentic, hands-on experience in food preparation, customer service and hospitality operations.

This space will extend learning opportunities, particularly in Vocational Education and Training (VET) pathways and NSW Education Standards Authority (NESA) courses, Stage 4 and 5 technological and applied studies (TAS) hospitality lessons, along with valuable in-school work experience.

This real-world learning environment supports the development of practical skills, workplace confidence, and industry knowledge – key components of success in VET hospitality.

Beyond skill-building, the café also fosters collaboration, responsibility and school engagement, providing a dynamic setting where students can thrive both academically and socially.

Students will have the chance to showcase their skills during community celebrations, school ceremonies and student incursions. The design thoughtfully incorporates metre-wide walkways and intentional spacing between outdoor seating, ensuring accessibility for all visitors.

I look forward to enjoying a cup of coffee or tea with many members of our school and local community as we celebrate the achievements of our students.

Kind regards

Maria O'Harae

Principal

Chester Hill High School

Thank you for your patience and cooperation during the delivery of this project at Chester Hill High School. Your support and cooperation have been invaluable and made it possible for us to deliver these new facilities for students and staff.

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