

# Maclean High School

Remediation and Repair Update

October 2022

## Building our flood-impacted schools back better

Remediation and repair works are currently being undertaken by School Infrastructure NSW at seven schools across the Northern Rivers, following the flood event in early 2022. The works are being managed by Public Works and will deliver refurbished and repaired buildings and modernised spaces that support student learning and teaching.

### What is happening at Maclean High School?

Low lying grounds of Maclean High School site were inundated with flood waters. Bennett Constructions was appointed in June 2022 to undertake the construction and remediation works. Students are learning in unaffected learning spaces and facilities as normal.

### Current Status

- Agricultural facilities and buildings exposed to torrential rain are undergoing deep cleaning and mould remediation.
- Scaffolding and hoarding have been installed around the library in preparation for the replacement of the library school roof.

### Next steps

A public information session is being held November 9, 2022, at the Maclean High School to present the extension program of works taking place there. Invitations will be issued by Maclean High School a week before the event. The forecast completion of the flood works program is during Term 2, 2023, pending site and weather conditions, and availability of resources.

### What else is happening in the region?

With the cleaning and 'make safe' stage complete, students have been face to face learning either at their own school site in permanent or temporary buildings, or on at an alternate site in temporary demountable classrooms since the end of Term 1, 2022. As refurbishment and repair works progress, damaged facilities are being returned to affected schools for normal use. In addition to the remediation and repair program for the seven schools being managed by Public Works, nine schools are in the planning stages of being rebuilt.

We will continue to share information with you as the program of work progresses. We thank you for your patience during works.

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