

Karabar High School

Works notification – 29 June 2026

Dear staff, parents and carers,

The health, safety and wellbeing of all members of our school and the local community are our highest priorities.

As part of the NSW Department of Education's ongoing investment in school facilities, improvement works will be carried out in the school hall at Karabar High School.

These works will include:

- Removal of the existing water-damaged timber floor.
- Putting in new stormwater drainage and plumbing beneath the hall.
- Putting in a new timber sprung floor.
- Line marking of a new indoor sports court.

Works are underway and will take place between the hours of 7 am and 6 pm Monday to Friday, and 8 am and 1 pm on Saturday, in line with NSW Environment Protection Authority guidelines.

These works will address ongoing drainage issues beneath the hall and reduce the risk of water entering under the floor in the future. Once complete, the upgraded hall will provide a well-equipped and functional space for sport, school activities, assemblies and community events.

The existing hall floor has already been removed. Procurement for a contractor to undertake the remaining works, including the new drainage and plumbing, will begin in July 2026.

When the drainage works are finished, the area will be monitored during periods of rainfall to ensure the stormwater issues have been resolved before the new timber floor is installed. Once delivered to site, the new timber flooring must also remain inside the hall for approximately six weeks to allow it to adjust to the building's conditions before installation can begin.

At this stage, the project is expected to be finished by **mid-November 2026**, subject to weather, procurement timeframes and the successful completion of drainage testing. As a result, the school hall will remain unavailable for use for the remainder of the 2026 school year.

Construction vehicles and contractor access will enter and exit via Donald Road and Alanbar Street. We ask all community members to take care around the work area and follow any temporary signage that may be in place.

Every effort will be made to minimise disruption to school activities while the works are underway.

The department will continue to keep the school community informed as the project progresses and key milestones are reached.

If you have any questions about this work, please contact the NSW Department of Education using the details below.

Thank you for your understanding and support during this important work.



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