

Crabbes Creek Public School

Project Update | April 2023

What is happening at Crabbes Creek Public School

A project to deliver remediation and repair works to Crabbes Creek Public School after it was damaged by floods in early 2022, is progressing well. Working closely with the school, we are delivering refurbished and flexible learning environments, and core facilities that will support the long-term needs of the local community. In addition to refurbishing and remediating flood damaged areas of the school, we are simultaneously delivering planned maintenance works to streamline works and minimise disruption on the school community.

Current Status

- Blocks A and B classrooms have been raised above the 2017 flood height and to comply with National Construction Code access requirements, and new flooring has been installed in both buildings. Block A and B classrooms are installing plumbing and electrical services in preparation for installation of wall linings. The school toilets (Block D) have been remediated, upgraded and returned to the school.
- The COLA is being repaired and lifted to suit the new building heights of Block A & B. A new soft fall playground has been built and was ready for use in Term 1, 2023. A new netted softball pitch was installed at the sports oval, and the basketball court has been extended. Both have been returned to the school for use. The handball court is being repaired.
- The library has been stripped out, mould remediation and decontamination complete, and has been fitted with new walls, and carpet. It has been returned to the school.
- The On-Site Sewage Management System (OSSMS) will be upgraded to meet relevant standards and ensure safe disposal of waste in the sensitive Crabbes Creek environment.
- The solar system on Block A is being replaced with system procurement underway.

Next Steps

Work on completing classroom remediation and fit out will continue with new and painted internal walls, and the installation of utilities.

Undertaking simultaneous works, along with materials and workforce supply delays, has extended the early forecast project completion. The combined planned maintenance works, and flood related works are now due for completion in early Term 3. We will work to deliver these projects as soon as possible and keep the school community informed throughout the delivery of the works.

We thank you for your patience during works.

