

Lindfield Learning Village

Community Newsletter 3

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Artist's impression

Work continues on the new K-12 Lindfield Learning Village school, on the site of the former UTS Ku-ring-gai campus. This upgrade forms part of the NSW Government's \$6 billion program over four years to deliver new and upgraded schools across the state.

Construction continues

Taylor Construction has been busy undertaking the early work construction activities required on site for the new school.

To date, the demolition and strip out works have included the removal of internal partition walls, fixed furniture and carpet from the building.

Great care has been given to heritage items such as the timber seating outside the theatre, which will be stored safely offsite until the school is ready for the pieces to be returned.

Taylor has also commenced maintenance work on the electrical, hydraulic and mechanical systems. Special attention will be given to the flowing corridors, to maintain the internal feel that the buildings were known for.

Necessary tidying of the surrounding bush areas has commenced, including the removal of leaf litter and the clearing of drains.

Enrolment update

There was enormous interest from families wishing to enrol in the school, with over 1,100 families seeking placement for next year and 500 applications for future enrolment from 2020 onwards.

Enrolment offers have now been made for all year groups for 2019.

Students who do not receive a place in 2019 will automatically be placed on the waiting list for 2020. All students on the waiting list will receive notification from the school when the enrolment process commences for that year, and will be given directions of next steps at that stage.

To request a copy of the Future Enrolment Form, please email lindfieldlearningvillage@det.nsw.edu.au

Timeline

MONTH	PLANNED ACTIVITIES
AUGUST – SEPTEMBER 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Maintenance and repairs – Demolition works – Procurement of specialist trades
OCTOBER 2018 – JANUARY 2019	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Internal fit out – External works

Working at the new school

In exciting next steps for the school, the recruitment of passionate teachers to join the team at the Lindfield Learning Village has commenced.

The school is actively looking for a wide range of staff including primary and secondary teachers, administration and executive staff. For a full range of job listings and to apply online visit iworkfor.nsw.gov.au

Indigenous heritage

The Department of Education has been consulting closely with the Aboriginal Education Consultative Group (AECG) in developing names for some of the many learning spaces at the new school, as well as the various educational programs and concept themes that will be implemented.

Lindfield Learning Village Principal Stephanie McConnell said, “It is very exciting for us to be speaking with our local AECG elders to build a foundation for our school which is deeply respectful of the Aboriginal land upon which it is built and which creates a wonderful opportunity for a learning partnership which will benefit every student.”

The official name of the school will be made public once the consultation process has been completed.



These images are an example of modern learning spaces.

Bus routes

The Department of Education has been working in collaboration with Transport for NSW and local bus company Transdev to deliver the most appropriate school bus routes for the students of Lindfield Learning Village.

These routes will be finalised once all the students for 2019 have officially been enrolled, and will be based on where students will be travelling from. The bus routes will be provided to parents in 2019.



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