# Hurlstone Agricultural High School Project update | July 2024



# Investing in our schools

As part of the NSW Government's plan to rebuild public education, the 2024-25 Budget is delivering record education funding, including \$3.6 billion for new and upgraded schools in Western Sydney. This targeted investment will ensure growing communities get access to a world class public education.

# **Project overview**

The NSW Government is investing more than \$60 million in the future of Hurlstone Agricultural High School to continue its reputation for educational excellence, including upgrading the boarding facilities and building a new farm hub.

The boarding facilities upgrade will deliver:

- 180 student accommodation beds
- dormitory monitor rooms
- senior and junior common rooms
- bathrooms and facilities
- overnight accommodation for rostered duty staff

The new farm hub will deliver:

- dairy shed and milking parlour with student viewing gallery
- co-located learning space
- calf, beef and pig sheds
- commodity sheds and storage facilities
- new equipment
- irrigation systems
- relocation and reconstruction of the sheep shed, chicken shed and hydroponic facilities.

# Progress update – school upgrade works

The building envelope of the boarding accommodation is finished, including external cladding, installation of windows and the roof. Internal finishes are nearing completion, including bathroom fittings, joinery and services fit out.



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The construction of external paths and covered walkways is nearing completion. External landscaping works have also started.

Most of the farm building envelope is finished. The internal finishes, services and specialised equipment fit out of the farm hub sheds and buildings is ongoing, with external works of roadways and paths nearing completion.

#### Next steps

- Completion of internal joinery, services fit out and finishes including paint, floor finishes and door hardware
- Commencement of Block A refurbishment works
- Delivery and placement of furniture and equipment
- Completion of external roadways and paths
- Completion of external landscaping works
- Testing and commissioning of services

# **Sports field**

The department has been working closely with key school stakeholders to ensure the new sports field and storage facility meets the needs of students.

The new sports field will be located on the north side of Roy Watts Road, next to the new farm hub. See map of school site on the next page.

The sports field and facilities will include fencing, seating, an amenities block, outdoor learning area, storage, goals, water bubbler and electrical and hydraulic services.

We will shortly be submitting a Development Application (DA) to Campbelltown City Council regarding the works to deliver the new sports field. We have been conducting site investigations including Aboriginal Heritage. Once the DA is approved, we will start works to deliver the sports field so that it is operational in early 2025, as agreed with the school's leadership.

### How can I get involved?

We are committed to working together with our school communities and other stakeholders to deliver the best possible facilities for students. Your feedback on this project is important to us.

For more information, to ask a question or to make a comment, please contact us on the details below or visit the project webpage <u>edu.nsw.link/HurlstoneAgriculturalHS</u>.

For any enquiries relating to the Glenfield Precinct, please contact Landcom on the details below or visit <u>https://landcom.com.au/projects/glenfield</u>:

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### Hurlstone Agricultural High School site map

# School holiday works

#### Fencing works on Roy Watts Road – 8-19 July 2024

Between Monday 8 July and Friday 19 July 2024, works will take place on Roy Watts Road to remove the temporary construction fencing and install permanent palisade fencing.

There will be partial road closures during this time, which will be managed by traffic control.

#### New substation commissioning and power outage – Saturday 20 July

A new substation will be installed on the school site to permanently support the increased electrical demand from the school. The new substation will replace the need for the temporary generator which will be removed once the substation is operational.

Endeavour Energy has scheduled a 10-hour power outage for Saturday 20 July from 7am to 5pm to enable the commissioning of the new substation.

The outage will affect Glenfield Education Office and all schools in the Glenfield Education Precinct on Roy Watts Rd, including Hurlstone Agricultural High School, Ajuga School, Campbell House School and Glenfield Park School.

