

# Project Update

## Pagewood and Matraville Masterplan Champagnat Catholic College

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**Welcome to the Pagewood and Matraville Masterplan project update. We are excited to share news about our formative plan to deliver a state-of-the-art Preschool-to-Year 12 education pathway for families of the Eastern suburbs and beyond.**

### **2021: a year in review**

In 2021, our early works included the demolition of the automotive workshop and the construction of four new state of the art classrooms. A major renovation of parts of the Aitken Wing saw a new science lab being built as well as two science lab preparation rooms. These facilities have been operational for students since August. The new facilities have enabled teachers to implement contemporary teaching practices with flexibility in the delivery of lessons which include greater student collaboration, group work and peer teaching. The new science lab has been highly utilised for science experiments and developing scientific concepts.

The development application for Stage 3 of the Masterplan at Champagnat was also approved, enabling us to deliver the new three-storey learning centre in 2024. This will replace the current Fr John Power Wing with twelve contemporary learning spaces, a resource centre, seminar rooms, digital technologies learning areas, breakout spaces, seniors' common area and canteen.



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### The look ahead

In 2022, we will commence the conversion of the Br Ivor Madigan Wing into a staff and administration block. Work on this stage has been delayed by COVID impacts. We anticipate building work to start in April and continue for approximately 12 months.

During this time, construction areas will be fenced off to provide a safe environment for our school community. As a result, there will be some minor reductions to the main quadrangle space. We are working to minimise the impacts to student areas.

### Keeping you updated

As the masterplan project reinvigorates in 2022, so too does our commitment to keeping you updated. We will be providing a monthly update through Compass to let you know how the construction program is progressing, what changes to the campus you might see and what we are doing to minimise any disruptions to our students and staff.

Our project website will be updated regularly and our project milestones refreshed. We look forward to sharing more information with you in the coming months.



*Working in partnership with families and parishes we strive to create thriving Catholic communities through excellent teaching and learning.*

*This update has been brought to you by Craig Mooney, Principal, and the Pagewood Matraville Masterplan project team.*

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