



# CAMPBELLS BAY SCHOOL

Not self, but service.  
*Ko te ratonga te tuatahi, ko koe te tuarua*

Est. 1925

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## Our school

### Roll

The school closely monitors roll numbers. The table below sets out our roll for domestic students at the end of November 2018 in comparison to last year.

#### Actual November 30

2017 981

2018 1012

End December 2018  
predicted roll (domestic  
students): 1011

## Board of Trustees news

### Property developments

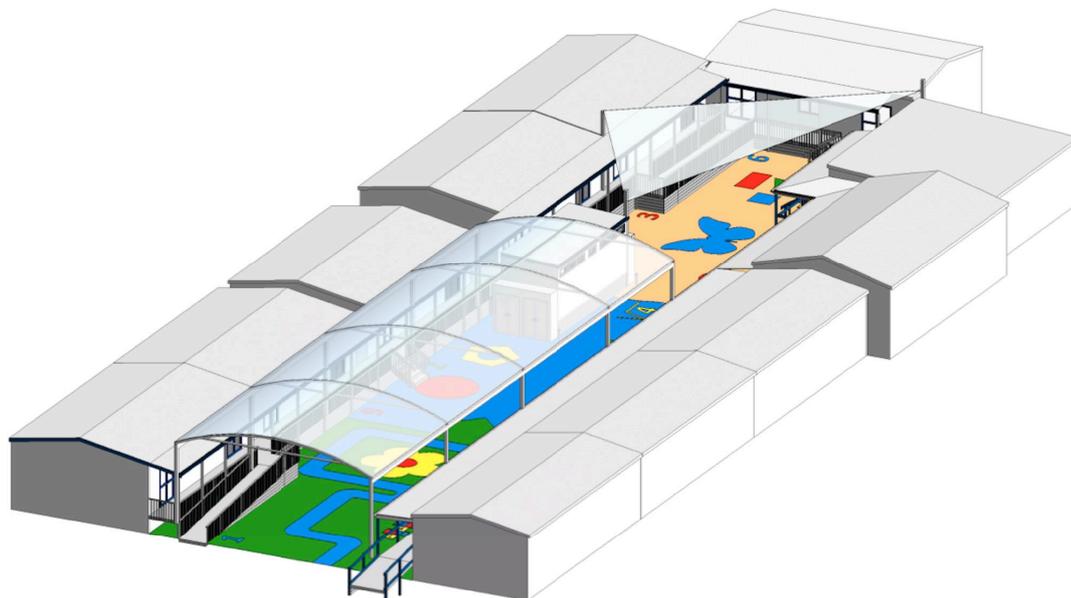
#### 'New entrant central'

Ensuring adequate access to play spaces has been an important challenge at Campbells Bay School in 2018 (as highlighted in the Principal's sabbatical report). While some exceptional circumstances have been evident this year with the hall unavailable due to expansion and refurbishment, providing additional play spaces to improve capacity infrastructure is a board priority.

In addressing this, the board has approved resource for the development of 'new entrant central'. Over the upcoming school holidays, the grass area between the eleven relocatable classrooms on the field will be turned into an all-weather playground for our new entrant students who will be based in the surrounding, relocatable classrooms.

In addition to play equipment, there will be two hundred square metres of shade sails, matting, bark, and a shed for storage. The 'new entrant central' playground will help to alleviate the pressure on the current junior playground. We expect that it will be ready for use at the start of the new school year in 2019.

An indicative drawing is below (please note that because of cost considerations there will be shade sails only, not a canopy as depicted).



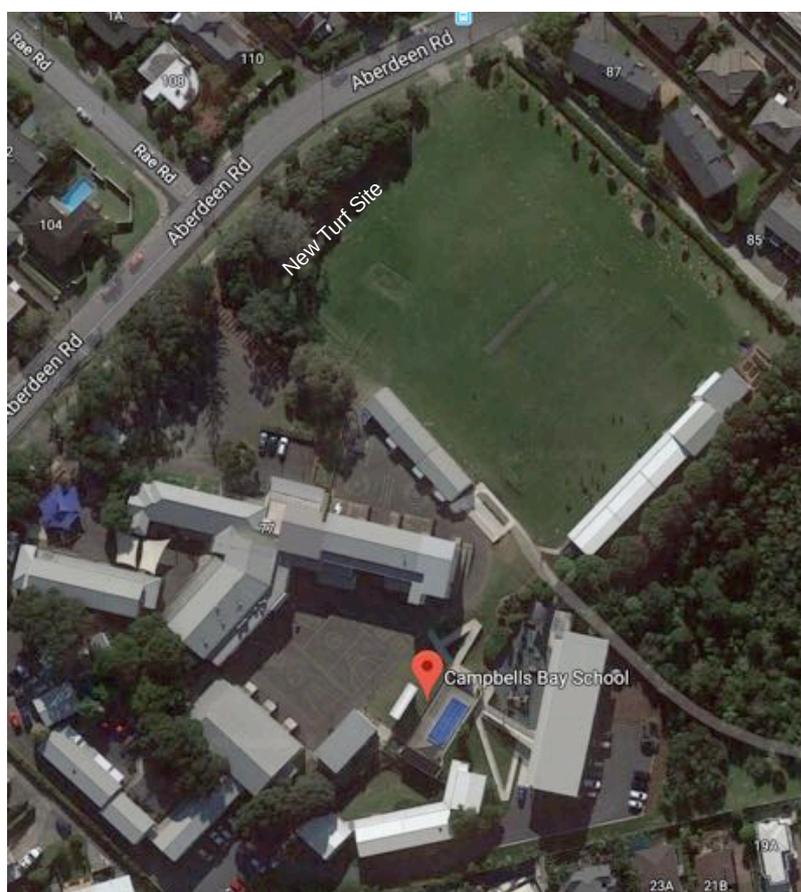
## Artificial turf

The board has approved the construction of a 60m x 20m artificial turf to be sited in the western corner of the field (as indicated below). While exact sports-markings have yet to be decided upon, there will be room for netball and hockey and, importantly, also space for students to just run around and have unstructured fun.

Given its artificial material composition, the turf will also provide an additional play space when the field is closed.

With a final decision on a contractor imminent, we are hopeful work will be substantially advanced during the summer holidays. However, due to the scope of the project, it is unlikely it will be fully completed by the start of the new school year. Usefully though, as the area is close to the field gate it will be reasonably easy to have the new turf site fenced off while it is under construction.

A second stage for this project, to be completed at a later date, will involve fencing around the perimeter of the turf, a pathway to the turf and a stairway from the area near room 15.



## Field drainage

The current drainage system for the field was completed in 2003 and is now in definite need of improvement. In awareness of this, the board is in the final stages of contracting for the total upgrading of the field drainage system.

While it is unlikely that this significant project will be entirely finished by the start of the new school year, we anticipate completion in the early months of 2019. With the field drainage considerably improved, we look forward to having the field open much more often during winter 2019 than was the case this year.

## New permanent classrooms

The announcement by the Prime Minister and Minister of Education in August that CBS would receive 13 new permanent classrooms to replace the 11 relocatable classrooms on the field was a highlight of 2018.

While this project has hit some additional hold-ups prior to the design phase, it is expected the Ministry of Education will soon begin to progress this project (that will see new permanent classrooms established on the site of the current netball courts and will facilitate the removal of the relocatable classrooms on the field). We continue to anticipate that construction will start some time in 2020.

## Hall

Completion of the hall is imminent and almost exactly on budget. We would like to thank board member and property portfolio holder, Doug Whitcombe, as well as our builders, Construction Management Group (CMG), for this excellent result.

We expect to be able to have full access to the hall from the start of the 2019 school year, with equipment being moved to the hall in advance of this.