

## SELECTING THE SITE

### Brisbane's new inner west primary school

In early 2021 the Department of Education held consultation regarding the location of Brisbane's new inner west primary school. The department has investigated the most popular alternative sites nominated by the public throughout consultation, which were:

#### PERRIN PARK PRECINCT

The Perrin Park Precinct includes the former Toowong Bowls Club and the surrounding Perrin Park, located at Heroes Avenue and Gailey Road, Toowong. This site has been identified as a viable alternative by the department and will inform the second round of consultation.



#### ISHS

The department has identified the Indooroopilly State High School site as a possible location for the new school. The first round of community consultation sought feedback on this option.

#### QASMT

The Queensland Academy of Science, Mathematics and Technology (QASMT) is located at 78 Bywong Street, Toowong. The department has determined that it is not feasible to relocate QASMT in the short-term to provide the immediate relief needed.



#### 'TRICARE' SITE, TARINGA

The 'Tricare' site is located at 52 Seven Oaks Street, Taringa. The site is too small to accommodate the learning and outdoor space required for a primary school. Additionally, the site is not for sale and an application to develop the site as a Residential Care and Retirement facility is being progressed by the owner.

#### UNIVERSITY OF QUEENSLAND (UQ)

There were many recommendations to investigate land available on or nearby the University of Queensland (UQ) campus. The department has determined this option not feasible due to the location not providing sufficient enrolment relief for the Indooroopilly catchment.



The department also investigated 60+ alternative sites but found they did not address catchment enrolment relief and site selection criteria.

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