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BUTLER COLLEGE 15 McCormack Boulevard, Butler

Architect: Taylor Robinson Chaney Broderick

Building Contractor: Pindan Constructions –
Stage 1, Perkins Builders – Stage 2

Educational and architectural ideas:

Stage 1 buildings were occupied in February 2013 and design process for Stage 2 development was well underway in the same year. The construction of the entire campus was completed and occupied in early 2015.

With a growing student population, Butler College is a public secondary school providing dynamic secondary education. Butler College accommodates 70 students with special needs and full inclusivity is promoted at Butler College.

The Butler College design and planning adopts a philosophy in providing equal educational opportunity in a dynamic environment. This includes fostering a culture of inclusive learning, maintaining healthy interaction and communication between students and staff.

The learning communities and specialist teaching areas are predominantly of a single storey construction with 2 two-storey buildings in the

senior school area. This design maximises ease of access, especially for students with disabilities.

The general construction of the buildings comprises a composition of face concrete blockwork, precast concrete panels and a pre-finished cladding system to promote use of robust materials suitable for the Butler coastal environment.

The masterplan design includes the use of interconnecting undercover areas and links to ensure that the entire campus is well connected from the administration building to the south all the way to the Sports Hall located on the northern end of the campus. The masterplan positions the café and library buildings as a focal point, at the heart of the campus. All other buildings are planned to create courtyards that are sheltered from WA coastal wind, sun and rain.



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FACTS / FIGURES:

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| Gross Floor Area | 17,800m ² |
| Final Contract Sum | \$85.8m (ex GST) |
| Building Completion | Stage 1 – March 2013 Stage 2 – April 2015 |

BUTLER COLLEGE



- ① Administration & Student Services
- ② Science Learning Area
- ③ Technology & Enterprise
- ④ Food Science
- ⑤ Cafeteria
- ⑥ Library
- ⑦ Education Support Learning Block
- ⑧ General Learning Block 1
- ⑨ General Learning Block 2 & 3 (2 storeys)
- ⑩ Performing Arts Centre
- ⑪ General Learning Block 4
- ⑫ General Learning Block 5
- ⑬ Arts, Music & Media Learning Block (2 storeys)
- ⑭ Health & Physical Activity Centre