

**WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND LIFELONG LEARNING
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ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON MONDAY 7th JULY 2025**

Question

“Will the Minister provide a list of any schools that are currently awaiting major capital works or essential repairs, including the following details –

- (a) the estimated timeline and cost of completion in each case;
- (b) any changes in the prioritisation of these developments since 2023; and
- (c) any projects that have been identified for development since 2023 but which will not be taken forward in 2026?”

Answer

- (a) Within the 2025-2028 Government Plan, there is reference to a replacement Mont a L’Abbe Secondary School. Estimated cost of completion is £41m with works commencing 2027 through to 2029. Feasibility and site enabling works will be carried out in 2026.

Under the current Service Level Agreement between Jersey Property Holdings and CYPES, essential repairs to the building fabric are the responsibility of the Infrastructure and Environment department, Jersey Property Holdings.

- (b) Multiple projects have been reprofiled across the Government Capital Programme for 2025-2028. This is to ensure a more realistic phasing of delivery of projects in accordance with anticipated annual spend across the programme.

The 2023 Government Plan, categorised Capital works across two Heads of Expenditure;

- New School & Educational Developments
- Upgrades to CYPES Estate

Estates							
Project		Spon	Supp	2023	2024	2025	2026
Total	£'000	Dept	Dept	Estimate	Estimate	Estimate	Estimate
-	New School and Educational Developments	CYPES	CYPES	3,504	10,868	11,950	16,700
-	Upgrade to CYPES Estate	CYPES	CYPES	13,621	8,750	8,950	8,405

New School & Educational Developments detailed the projects below;

Estates									
£'000	Major Project	Sponsor Department	Supplying Department	2022 Cashflow estimate	2023 Estimate	2024 Estimate	2025 Estimate	2026 Estimate	TOTAL Estimate
New School and Educational Developments, of which:		CYPES	IHE		3,504	10,868	11,950	16,700	43,022
	- Mont a L'Abbe Extension		148	300	2,804				
	- Mont a L'Abbe Secondary					1,000	3,000	5,000	
	- Digital Centre of Excellence								
	- Town Primary Schools Phase 1					4,800	5,000	6,000	
	- Town Primary Schools Phase 2						250		
	- VCP Replacement School						3,000	5,000	
	- Le Rocquier Sports					4,368			
	- DDA				700	700	700	700	

Upgrades to CYPES Estate was detailed as follows;

Upgrades to CYPES Estates – Breakdown of Grouped Head of Expenditure						
£'000	Spon Dept	Supp Dept	2023 Estimate	2024 Estimate	2025 Estimate	2026 Estimate
Upgrades to CYPES Estates, of which:	CYPES	IHE				
- Schools Improvements			5,863	2,000	3,500	3,405
- Residential Homes & Secure Settings			500	500	500	500
- Therapeutic Children's Homes			3,500	750	-	-
- Music Development			200	-	2,000	2,600
- Field Developments & Play Space			2,558	2,000	750	-
- Youth Services			1,000	3,500	2,200	1,900
Upgrades to CYPES Estates			13,621	8,750	8,950	8,405

Changes to prioritisation included the relocation of La Passerelle Secondary School from the existing site at Greenfields Campus to the former D'Hautree House School building. This is to provide a sufficient, fit for purpose facility to accommodate the 60-70 students. The existing facility can only accommodate up to 30 pupils. The works and relocation will be completed Q4 this year at a cost of £3m funded from the 'Upgrades to CYPES Estates – School Improvement' head of expenditure.

(c) *23-26 Govt Plan – from the New School & Educational Developments:*

Town Primary Schools Phase 1
Town Primary Schools Phase 2
Victoria College Prep School Extension
Le Rocquier Secondary School Sports Facilities

23-26 Govt Plan – from Upgrades to CYPES Estate:

Les Landes Primary School Nursery
La Moye Hall Extension & Additional Classrooms
Victoria College New Classroom Block
Victoria College Students Support Centre
Grainville Secondary School Field Development

24-27 Govt Plan:

East St Helier Primary School
Le Rocquier Sports Hub
First Tower Primary School – external play space/field

Multiple projects from previous Government Plans have been reprofiled across the Government Capital Programme within the Budget 2025-2028. This is to ensure a more realistic phasing of delivery of projects in accordance with anticipated annual spend across the programme.