Deakin is increasing the car park capacity at our Melbourne Burwood Campus by adding two levels to the multi-level Car Park 12.

The Car Park 12 Expansion will provide additional car-parking spaces and new end-of-trip facilities for active transport users, including bicycle storage, and will improve the site’s overall visual appearance. The car park design and aesthetics will ensure visibility and safety for car park users is maintained.

When complete in early 2018, car parking capacity in the Elgar Road Precinct will be boosted to more than 1000 spaces for students, staff and visitors.

Why is this needed?
The Melbourne Burwood Campus is welcoming more students and staff in the Elgar Road Precinct, following construction of a new student accommodation building and the upcoming new Deakin Law School Building (LC).

What will it look like?
The multi-deck area of the car park will be extended by two levels, to a total of five levels.

Facade works will be undertaken to improve the visual amenity of the car park and the associated Building MA classrooms. The existing louvered façade surrounding Car Park 12 and Building MA will be removed and new architecturally-designed perforate metal screen façade will be installed to the new and existing levels.

Wi-Fi and CCTV security cameras will also be installed to all levels.

What end-of-trip facilities will be provided?
New end-of-trip facilities for active transport users will include bicycle storage, storage lockers and change facilities for students and staff. These will be secured with swipe card access.

Who can use it?
When complete in early 2018, the extended Car Park 12 will continue to be available to everyone. Short or long-term parking permits will continue to be required between 8.30 am and 4.30 pm Monday to Friday.

For more information about Deakin’s parking fees and charges refer to the parking web page.

Timing
Late-September 2017:
Contractors will mobilise on site

Late-October 2017:
Construction will commence

March 2018:
Construction completed; new spaces available
What is Deakin doing to minimise disruption during the construction period?
Deakin is taking a range of steps to reduce the impact any disruption these works may cause for students, staff and visitors to our Melbourne Burwood Campus.

Works are scheduled to commence after the conclusion of Trimester 2 exams and be complete by the start of Trimester 1, 2018. Work will be conducted during standard construction hours: Monday to Friday, 7 am to 6 pm, and Saturday, 8 am to 1 pm.

We are also taking steps to reduce the visual impact of these works for students in nearby residences and a traffic management plan is in place to minimise congestion and ensure the safe flow of vehicles and pedestrians.

Where can I park during construction?
About 180 of the existing car spaces in Car Park 12 will remain open during construction, including the orange permit spaces on Level 1. Students and staff are encouraged to use Car Park 6 as an alternative during these works. Please note Car Park 13 will only be available for Residential Students during Trimester 3.

What about accessible car park spaces?
The current accessible car park spaces in Car Park 12 will not be available during the construction period. Additional accessible car park spaces will be provided in Car Park 6, Level 1.

Is there any change to pedestrian access?
Yes, the pathway along the southern side of the car park will be closed to pedestrians. Please follow the signage to cross Uganda Street at the designated points.

Further information
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