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CASTLE HILL HIGH SCHOOL SECURES \$16,300 FOR SCIENCE EQUIPMENT

Member for Castle Hill Ray Williams is pleased to announce that Castle Hill High School has received a much needed injection of \$16,300 from the NSW Government for urgently needed science equipment and furniture for the school.

"We need to encourage more students to study science, and ensuring our schools have the right resources is a key" said Mr Williams. "Now the students at Castle Hill High will have the tools to experiment and explore all facets of the science curriculum; enabling them to think beyond mainstream learning into a world of endless new possibilities."

Mrs Vicki Brewer, Principal at Castle Hill High School welcomed the additional funding for the school.

"We are always very grateful for additional funds to assist students in the challenge and engagement of the Sciences" said Mrs. Brewer. "More than ever the Science disciplines are relevant for young people and their futures."

In addition to this support for our local school, the NSW Government is setting records with its investment in the public school system.

\$6 billion over the next four years to deliver more than 170 new and upgraded schools, which is the largest investment into public school infrastructure by any state government in Australian history.

The \$1 billion school maintenance backlog inherited from the former Labor government will now be cleared across the State's 2200 public schools. This is the first time in the State's history that the backlog will be wiped to zero.

The NSW Government will hire an additional 4600 teachers to join the ranks of the public school system – delivering the highest number of teachers in the State's history.

We are investing record amounts into NSW schools and teachers, and this \$2 billion investment has only been made possible due to the strong economic position created by the NSW Liberals & Nationals Government.

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