



## REGISTER OF HERITAGE PLACES INTERIM ENTRY

1. **DATA BASE No.** 0016
2. **NAME** Albany State School Group (fmr) (1880s, 1895, 1898, 1979)  
  
FORMER NAME and OTHER NAMES Albany Infants School, Albany Primary School, Albany State School, Alison Hartman Gardens
3. **LOCATION** 114 Collie St, 117 Serpentine Rd & 259 York Street, Albany
4. **DESCRIPTION OF PLACE INCLUDED IN THIS ENTRY**
  1. Reserve 33641 comprising Lot 500 on Deposited Plan 410018 being the whole of the land in Crown Land Title Volume 3168 Folio 85, and Lot 501 on Deposited Plan 410018 being the whole of the land in Crown Land Title Volume 3168 Folio 86
  2. Reserve 40543 being Lot 1374 on Deposited Plan 216947 and the whole of the land in Crown Land Title Volume 3009 Folio 794
5. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA** City of Albany
6. **CURRENT OWNER**
  1. State of Western Australia (Responsible Agency: Department of Education; Management Order Holder: Minister for Education)
  2. State of Western Australia (Responsible Agency: Department of Planning, Lands and Heritage; Management Order Holder: City of Albany)
7. **HERITAGE LISTINGS**

• Register of Heritage Places:	Interim	17/04/2018
• National Trust Classification:	Classified	04/04/1977
• Town Planning Scheme:	Yes	30/12/1983
• Municipal Inventory:	Adopted	30/06/2001
• Register of the National Estate:		-----
8. **ORDERS UNDER SECTION 38 OR 59 OF THE ACT**  
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9. **HERITAGE AGREEMENT**

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## 10. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

*Albany State School Group (fmr)*, comprising a single storey red brick and granite Primary School (fmr) (1895) and single storey red brick and granite Infants School (fmr) (1898), both designed in the Federation Arts and Crafts style, with a timber Shelter Shed (c1905) and Lunchroom (c1950), a granite Headmaster's Quarters (fmr), (c1880s) originally designed in the Victorian Tudor style, and Stables (fmr), and the adjacent former School Gardens containing mature trees, has cultural heritage value for the following reasons:

the place comprises a significant cultural environment that includes an intact group of public school buildings dating from the 1890s, and an associated Headmaster's House and former garden;

the Primary School was designed by prominent Perth architect George Temple Poole who was responsible for the standardised plan and design of many public buildings in Western Australia during the gold boom period;

the Primary School and Infants School are very good examples of the Federation Arts and Crafts style, and the Primary School is a fine example of a Federation Central Hall type school developed by the Public Works Department (PWD);

the Primary School was constructed in 1894-95, and is representative of the development of educational facilities to cater for the expanding population of Albany during the Gold Boom in Western Australia;

the Shelter Shed and Lunchroom are relatively rare examples of once commonplace school structures that are becoming increasingly uncommon; and,

the Primary and Infants school buildings together with their steep, multi-gable roofs, tall chimneys, and other distinctive design elements form a significant precinct with landmark value in the historic centre of Albany.

The brick toilets to the rear of the School are intrusive.