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# ESSENDON NORTH PRIMARY SCHOOL NO. 4015



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Moonee Valley Heritage Review 1998

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## Location

112 KEILOR ROAD,, ESSENDON NORTH VIC 3041 - Property No 197153

## Municipality

MOONEE VALLEY CITY

## Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

## Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO224

## Heritage Listing

Moonee Valley City

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## Statement of Significance

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The State School known as Essendon North no. 4015 at 112 Keilor Road, Essendon North, was opened in 1920 and extended in 1924, 1928 and at later times to the designs of the Victorian Public Works Department. It is historically important (Criterion A) as the centre of State Education in the locality since that time and is a utilitarian example of the Department's work using the courtyard plan, comparable with Essendon (1912), Bendigo High School (1913-14) and Castlemaine High School (1918).

Heritage Study/Consultant	Moonee Valley - City of Moonee Valley Heritage Study, Andrew Ward, 1998;
Construction dates	1920, 1924, 1928,
Architect/Designer	Smith, Edwin Evan, Brittingham, Samuel C, Public Works Department,
Other Names	Essendon North State School No.4015,
Hermes Number	23906
Property Number	

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## Physical Description 1

A hip roofed single storeyed Arts and Crafts influenced red brick Government school, U shaped on plan to enclose a north facing playground. The facade has a cartouche in cement reading "Essendon North No. 4015", and the office with Arts and Crafts influenced porch projects at the south east corner. The eaves are raked and the large classroom windows have glazing bars whilst chimney stacks are prominent elements in an otherwise understated design.

## Historical Australian Themes

6. Educating. 6.2 Establishing schools.

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