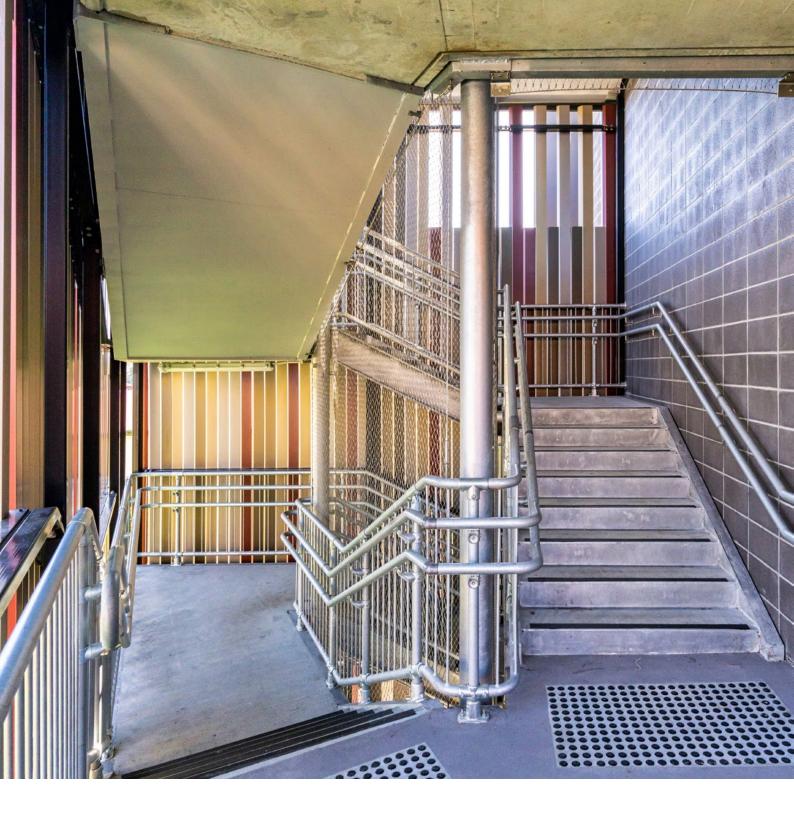




# **Toowong State School**

with Kane Construction

Moddex is pleased to showcase one of the first Victorian projects to feature the Ezibilt™ Pre-Engineered Ramp, Deck & Stair Solution.



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#### SOLUTION

Moddex's CB50 and CB10 system was perfect for the job. The pre-engineered, modular system was ideal for ensuring compliance, and adapting to the flexibility that the job required.

The architect specified the Moddex system with the 1500mm height, knowing that Moddex had the capability and know-how to design a semi-custom system that would be immediately compliant with DETE requirements. The architects also knew that



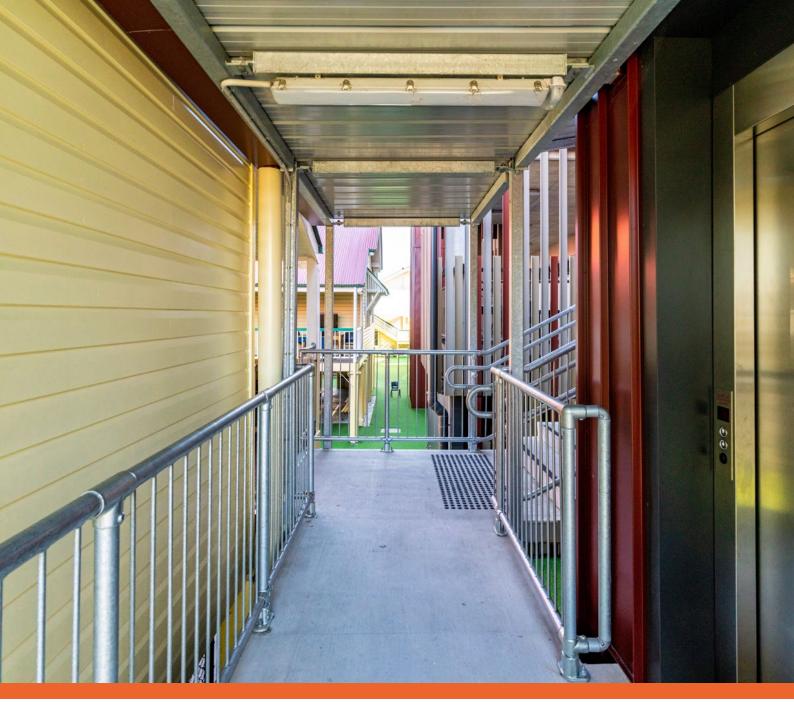
the pre-engineered system would come with easyto-use files and ready documentation, cutting down on certification and engineering time during the build. The builders trusted the spec and went with the Moddex system.

Rather than custom systems which have to be welded, craned, and installed onsite, the Moddex system is modular, and arrives in a flatpack; advantageous on sites where space is often at a premium. This also allows the installation to be more flexible, and to be completed quickly – and with the ability to be segmented or slotted around other trades – which makes it a great time-saver for the project overall.

Finally, the Moddex system integrated perfectly with other design features in the building such as louvres, stopping and starting seamlessly so as to maintain full practicality and safety – while adding to the overall aesthetic appeal of the design.

From specification to installation, the Moddex team were on hand, delivering significant expertise to bring the project in on time, and under budget.





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