



# REGISTER OF HERITAGE PLACES

## Permanent Entry

1. **DATA BASE No.** 01007
2. **NAME** *Fremantle Technical College Annexe*  
**COMPRISING** Former Infants and Girls School (1877/1878)  
Fremantle Technical School (1913)
3. **LOCATION** 41 South Terrace, Fremantle
4. **DESCRIPTION OF PLACE INCLUDED IN THIS ENTRY**  
Fremantle Lot 2090, being Crown Reserve 219 and being the whole of the land comprised in Crown Land Record Volume 3035 Folio 789.
5. **LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA** City of Fremantle
6. **OWNER** Minister for Training
7. **HERITAGE LISTINGS**
  - Register of Heritage Places: *Fremantle Technical College Annexe* Interim 18/09/1992  
*Fremantle Technical College Annexe single storey* Interim 18/09/1992  
Permanent Entry 01/10/2002
  - National Trust Classification: Classified 01/04/1974
  - Town Planning Scheme: -----
  - Municipal Inventory: Adopted 11/2001
  - Register of the National Estate: Interim 21/03/1978
8. **CONSERVATION ORDER**  
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9. **HERITAGE AGREEMENT**  
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10. **STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE**  
*Fremantle Technical College Annexe*, comprising the former Infants and Girls School (1877/1878), a single storey building of limestone construction in the Victorian Rustic style, and Fremantle Technical School (1913), a two storey building of brick construction in the federation Free style, has cultural heritage significance for the following reasons:  
  
the place has significant aesthetic value and makes a considerable contribution to the South Terrace streetscape. The Fremantle Technical School (1913) terminates the north end of the site and has a conspicuous presence which gives it strong landmark qualities, particularly in the way it terminates the vista looking west along

Henderson Street and its prominence when looking south along South Terrace;

the former Infants and Girls School (1877/1878) is representative of the establishment of colonial schools in Western Australia from the 1850s to the 1870s;

the place is representative of the development a technical education system for post primary aged children in Western Australia, first by its conversion into a technical school circa 1902 and second by the construction of a purpose built technical school building in 1913;

the former Infants and Girls School (1877/1878) is a rare intact example of a small school based on the 'hall and gallery' design constructed during the Victorian period;

the Fremantle Technical School (1913) is a competently designed building in the Federation Free style and is associated with the work of Chief Architect of the Public Works Department, Hillson Beasley; and,

the place has historic significance for its long use as an education facility in Fremantle from the time of its establishment in 1877 up until 2001.

A single storey classroom building attached to the west façade of the former Infants and Girls School (1877/1878) and a lavatory block located on the west boundary/wall are assessed as being of little significance.