

Low Library Construction Activities

August 25, 2022

What is Happening

Low Steps and Pathway Restoration

(Work hours: 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., including weekends; expected completion: August 26, 2022)

- Reinstallation of the original red brick pathway that leads to the west side entrance
- Grouting of the west red brick pathway
- All work will be completed and all pathways will be accessible by the end of the day on Friday, August 26

Monumental Window Restoration

(Work hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.; expected completion: late fall 2022, weather permitting)

- On-site window restoration is ongoing. The contractor will bring window parts up to the roof level via exterior scaffolding/hoist.

Roof Repairs and Equipment Removal

(Work hours 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., including Saturdays as needed; expected completion: end of August 2022, weather permitting)

- Relocation of mechanical equipment is underway
- Installation of new dunnage on the north roof area is complete
- The pipe scaffolding and sidewalk shed located at the north elevation will be removed on Thursday, August 25 and Friday, August 26. This work might create some intermittent noise.

What to Expect

- Expect some noise and other impacts typically associated with construction projects.
- Access to the West Gallery from the 4th floor will be blocked for the duration of the window restoration project.

For More Information

You can find more information about the [Monumental Window Replacement](#), [Roof Repairs](#), and [Low Steps Restoration](#) on the designconstruct.cufo.columbia.edu website. To share questions or concerns, call the Columbia University Facilities Services Center, 212-854-2222 or email projx@columbia.edu.