

Upgrades to Carlingford West Public School and Cumberland High School

Works notification

29 June 2022

During early works for the upgrades to Carlingford West Public School and Cumberland High School, asbestos containing material was found in the ceiling sheets of a demountable building located within the fenced temporary school construction site.

The material has been confirmed as bonded asbestos which means it is attached to other material such as cement or vinyl and cannot be crumbled by light pressure.

We are following all the advice and protocols of asbestos removalists, assessors and other experts.

The area is cordoned off within the worksite and will remain so until remediation is completed.

This area will be remediated in accordance with SafeWork NSW regulations, the Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan and any relevant site-specific management plans. All work will be completed by licensed and accredited asbestos contractors, and monitored by occupational hygienists in strict accordance with all applicable legislation, regulations, policies and guidelines.

The material will be remediated from **8 am to 1 pm on Saturday 2 July 2022**. All asbestos containing material will be removed outside of school hours.

Testing will be completed to ensure the area has been fully remediated and the construction contractor will receive a clearance certificate.

The health, safety, and well-being of the school and the local community is our highest priority and we will continue to keep the community updated.

For any queries relating to this work, please contact School Infrastructure NSW using the contact details below.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

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