

# Darlington Public School

## Works notification

19 March 2021

A project is underway at Darlington Public School to deliver new facilities including learning and teaching spaces, a hall, a library, administration and staff facilities, a canteen and covered outdoor learning areas (COLAs). Main works began in early March 2021 and are progressing well.

### Removal of materials from site

As part of main works construction at Darlington Public School we are removing materials from site to address constraints. These materials may include asbestos containing material. Throughout the movement and removal of materials, there will be continuous testing in accordance with the hygienist's recommendations.

Some removal of asbestos containing material is expected to take place on Saturdays between Saturday 20 March 2021, and Saturday 24 April 2021, weather depending. The removal will take place during the approved construction hours of 8:00am and 1:00pm. All asbestos containing material will be removed from the site outside of school hours.

The area will be remediated in accordance with the Main Works Asbestos Management Plan, the Remediation Action Plan, the Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan and SafeWork NSW regulations. 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.

From 25 March 2021, the NSW Environmental Planning and Assessment (COVID-19 Development – Construction Work Days) Order 2020 is ending. This Order governed that during the COVID-19 pandemic, School Infrastructure NSW construction sites can operate on weekends and public holidays. This arrangement has been in place to allow workers to abide by social distancing rules while on construction sites by distributing building work across the week. From 26 March 2021, work will take place during approved hours only unless otherwise notified.

The health, safety, and well-being of the school and the local community is our highest priority. Please be assured that the removal of this material will not pose a risk to the local community.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

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