

Engadine High School upgrade

Works notification | December 2023

School Infrastructure NSW is building a new multipurpose hall at Engadine High School. The hall will include a full basketball court, stage, amenities, and sports and performance storage.

Suspected asbestos containing material found onsite

While works were being recommenced onsite, suspected asbestos contaminating material (bonded fragments) were visually located in a stockpile at the southwestern site boundary and were immediately covered. Testing is being conducted by an independent hygienist.

As a precaution, the stockpile where the suspected asbestos contaminated material was found is fenced and out of bounds to students and staff.

While we are awaiting formal results, remediation of this stockpile has been planned for Saturday 9 December, outside of regular school hours. All work will be completed in accordance with SafeWork NSW regulations and the Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan. The work will be done by licensed and accredited independent asbestos contractors and monitored by occupational hygienists in strict accordance with all applicable legislation, regulations, policies, and guidelines.

Next steps

The area will be inspected by an independent hygienist to confirm it has been fully remediated, and the school will receive a clearance certificate.

The health, safety, and wellbeing of the school and the local community is our highest priority.

Thank you for your understanding during this important work.

How can I stay up to date?

Follow this link to access the project webpage edu.nsw.link/EngadineHS or scan the QR code to the right.



If you have any queries or concerns about this project you can contact School Infrastructure NSW on schoolinfrastructure@det.nsw.edu.au, or during business hours on 1300 482 651.

Holiday working hours

Construction will take place within the approved construction hours of 7 am to 6 pm Monday to Friday, and 7 am to 1 pm on Saturdays. No work will take place on Sundays or public holidays, unless otherwise advised.

School Infrastructure NSW will be closed from 5 pm Friday 22 December 2023 to 9 am Monday 8 January 2024, inclusive, in line with the NSW Government shut down period. You can continue to contact us during this time, and we will get back to you after we return. If there is an urgent issue, please contact the site manager listed on the construction site entry. In an emergency, please call triple zero (000).

