

Mainsbridge Public School

Works notification

August 2021

12 August 2021

In line with the NSW Government's COVID-19 Guidelines, construction on Mainsbridge School will resume from Monday 16 August 2021.

A comprehensive COVID-19 Safety Plan will be in place for the site and the contractor will enforce strict compliance with the Public Health Order. Our construction sites will follow all current health guidelines, including workers wearing masks for indoor and outdoor work.

From Monday, you may see workers on site carrying out permitted preparatory works to enable work to resume safely.

The NSW Government has recently passed legislation to allow construction hours to be extended outside of those specified in the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act (1979) under the *COVID-19 Development-Construction Work Days Order (No 3) 2021* to protect the health, safety and welfare of construction workers and our community during the COVID-19 pandemic.

The construction hours are 7:00am to 6:00pm Monday to Friday, 7:00am to 5:00pm Saturday and 9:00am to 5:00pm Sunday.

Work completed on Sundays and public holidays is restricted to certain activities to minimise noise and impact to the community.

Remediation and earth work

Remediation and earthworks to enable construction of the new sports field will occur from Monday 16 August to Saturday 9 October.

The soil within the construction site is known to contain some asbestos containing material. The material has been confirmed as bonded asbestos, which means it cannot be crumbled by light pressure. This material is being remediated in accordance with the Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan and SafeWork NSW regulations.

Safety measures in place

Safety measures have been put in place to ensure there is no risk to students, staff or the local community. The area has been secured and appropriate control and monitoring measures are in place.

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 health, safety and wellbeing of the school community and local residents is our highest priority. Please be assured that these works will not pose a risk to the community.

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