

# Mosman High School

## Works notification

**3 February 2022**

Dear residents, parents and carers,

As part of the upgrade works at Mosman High School, asbestos containing material has been found in the ground within the construction site. The material has been confirmed as bonded asbestos which means it is contained in other material and cannot be crumbled by light pressure.

The area is located within the construction site which is securely fenced off and will remain inaccessible to students and staff until construction is finished.

The material is scheduled to be removed from the construction site on Friday 4 February 2022.

Site inspections will take place between 4 February and 28 February 2022 to understand if there is further material in the ground within the construction site. This will include the removal of a concrete slab and testing the soil beneath it. If further asbestos containing material is found during this period it will be removed.

Safety measures and monitoring have been put in place to ensure there is no risk to students, staff or the local community.

The site will be remediated in accordance with 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.

Testing will be completed to ensure the area has been fully remediated. The school will receive a clearance certificate before the area is open for construction to continue.

Please be assured that the removal of this material does not pose a risk to students, school staff and the community.

A comprehensive COVID-19 Safety Plan is 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.

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.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

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