

# Murwillumbah High School upgrade

Works notification | 7 March 2024

Dear neighbours,

We are currently upgrading Murwillumbah High School so that students and teachers can return to the school from the beginning of the 2025 school year. This work involves removing the existing roof on Block D so a new roof can be installed.

On **Friday 8 March 2024** a number of items containing asbestos will be removed from the site. These include two roof vents, some pipe work and an old science cupboard.

The items are currently located within a fenced exclusion zone and will be encapsulated for safe transport off the site, in accordance with EPA guidelines. All necessary safety measures and monitoring will be in place during the works.

Work will be done in accordance with SafeWork NSW regulations and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan. 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.

Once removal of the items is complete, the area in question will be inspected by an independent hygienist to confirm it has been fully remediated and a clearance certificate will be issued.

Health, safety, and wellbeing is our highest priority and we thank you for your understanding as we carry out this important work.

