

Richmond High School

Works notification

Friday 9 October 2020

During the planned removal of the binidome at Richmond High School, asbestos containing material was found in the foundations of the binidome. The material has been confirmed as bonded asbestos which means it is attached to other material such as cement or vinyl and cannot be crumbled by light pressure.

Safety measures and monitoring have been put in place to ensure there is no risk to students, staff or the local community. As a precaution, the area has been cordoned off and will remain out of bounds to students and staff until remediation is completed.

The removal of this asbestos will take place outside of school hours on the following dates between 7.00am and 5.00pm:

- Friday 9 October 2020
- Saturday 10 October 2020
- Sunday 11 October 2020
- Saturday 17 October 2020
- Sunday 18 October 2020
- Saturday 24 October 2020
- Sunday 25 October 2020
- Saturday 31 October 2020
- Sunday 1 November 2020

This area 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 to students and staff. 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.

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