## **Bellbird Public School**

## Works notification | 13 February 2024

Dear staff and parents/carers,

We have replaced a broken window in the Library (Building D) at Bellbird Public School. The window was damaged on 25 January 2024 and immediately secured. The undisturbed window putty in the frame was suspected to contain asbestos material, and testing conducted confirmed this.

An independent hygienist was engaged and as an added precaution, the library was cordoned off. Work to remove the putty, replace the window, and clean the area took place under the supervision of the hygienist after school hours on Thursday 8 February 2024.

Work was done in accordance with work, health and safety laws and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan. All work was completed by licensed and accredited asbestos contractors and monitored by occupational hygienists in strict accordance with all applicable legislation, regulations, policies, and guidelines.

The Library was inspected by the independent hygienist to confirm it has been fully remediated, and the school has received a clearance certificate to reopen it.

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

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

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