Boolaroo Public School. Works notification | 28 May 2025

Dear staff, parents and carers,

As part of a recent asbestos resurvey program, we are proactively replacing and remediating some ceiling, wall, floor and roof panels in various rooms at Boolaroo Public School.

These rooms comprise:

- 3 toilets in the Administration Building
- a classroom in Building C
- the girls toilets in Building C
- the uniform shop in Building C.

These materials contain bonded asbestos as listed on the school's asbestos register.

NSW Health explains that "living or working with asbestos, or just being around it, is a low risk to your health as long as the asbestos is in good condition and not damaged".

Following an inspection by the independent hygienist on 22 May 2025 these rooms were isolated until replacement and remediation work can be done.

The rooms have remained isolated. Alternative rooms and toilets were made available for students and staff to use at the school.

Work involving asbestos-containing materials will be completed on Saturday 31 May 2025.

All work will be done in accordance with work health and safety laws and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan. All work will be completed by licensed asbestos contractors and inspected by an independent hygienist.

Upcoming mould remediation work

We will also be doing an environmental clean to remediate small amounts of mould recently identified in the following locations:

- hall (Building B)
- girls toilets in Building C.

Mould remediation will be conducted on Saturday 31 May and will involve an environmental clean using fans, air scrubbers and dehumidifiers in place.

During the asbestos and mould remediation work there will be air monitoring, temporary fencing, signage and workers wearing personal protective equipment at the school.

The health, safety and wellbeing of all members of our school and the local community are our highest priorities.



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If you have any questions about this work, please contact the NSW Department of Education on the details below.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.