

Uranquinty Public School

Works notification | 20 March 2025

Dear staff, parents and carers,

Further to the notification issued on 10 February 2025 (see below), remediation of a disturbed eave sheet, located at the north western side of Building A, will take place on Saturday 23 March 2025

Remediation work will involve replacing the existing, bonded asbestos-containing eave sheet with a new, fibre cement sheet and repainting the area.

Work will take place outside of school hours and be completed by licensed and accredited asbestos contractors with safety measures in place, including air monitoring.

The area remains inaccessible to students and staff.

All work will be done in accordance with work, health, and safety laws and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan.

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.

Works notification issued 10 February 2025

Dear staff, parents and carers,

An eave sheet at the north western side of building A (years 3-6), was disturbed during inclement weather on Wednesday 5 February 2025 at Uranquinty Public School.

The sheet is intact and assumed to contain bonded asbestos, as listed in the school's asbestos register. The area has been isolated with temporary fencing. No students or staff were present in the area when this occurred.

The building remains accessible and there is no impact to classes.

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.

The removal of the eave sheet will be undertaken following advice provided by an independent hygienist.

All work will be done in accordance with work, health, and safety laws and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan.

Safety measures will be in place while work is being done.



All work will be completed by licensed asbestos contractors and monitored by independent hygienists.

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We will keep the community updated.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.