## Clovelly Public School

## Works notification | 3 February 2023

A project is underway to upgrade the hall (Block 4) at Clovelly Public School as part of the NSW Government's Metro Renewal Program (notified on 24 January 2023).

## Remediation activities

During works to demolish the concrete stairs and ramp at the north entry to the school hall (B004), suspected asbestos containing material was found in the fill under the concrete slabs and landings.

As a precaution, demolition work has stopped, and the area has been cordoned off within the construction zone and separated by hoarding and a fence around the perimeter.

We are following all the advice and protocols of independent asbestos hygienists and other experts.

Testing will be conducted by an independent hygienist to confirm the nature of the material and if remediation is needed.

If necessary, this area will be remediated 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 independent asbestos contractors and monitored by occupational hygienists in strict accordance with all applicable legislation, regulations, policies, and guidelines.

The area will be inspected to ensure the area has been fully remediated and the construction contractor will receive a clearance certificate before works continue.

The health, safety, and wellbeing of the school and the local community is our highest priority, and we will continue to update the community on the progress of this project.

Thank you for your understanding during this important work.

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