

Sandy Hollow Public School

Works notification

12 September 2022

Dear staff and parents/carers,

During a routine inspection at Sandy Hollow Public School, asbestos containing material was found in grounds at an existing water tank structure, which is inaccessible to students and staff and will remain out of bounds until remediation is completed.

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.

We are following all the advice and protocols of asbestos removalists, assessors and other experts.

Work to remove the material will take place during the upcoming school holidays on Thursday 29 September 2022. All asbestos containing material will be removed outside of school hours.

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 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 it has been fully remediated. The construction contractor will receive a clearance certificate, following remediation.

The health, safety, and wellbeing of the school and the local community is our highest priority and we will continue to keep the community updated.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

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