

Lowanna Public School

Works notification | 10 March 2026

Dear staff, parents, and carers,

As part of our regular scheduled maintenance, we recently completed drinking water quality testing at Lowanna Public School.

This testing is conducted twice a year by an independent hygienist as a precautionary measure at schools that use potable tank water.

This routine testing of 12 outlets around the school was completed on Monday 23 February 2026. The results, received on Monday 9 March, identified traces of lead in the external bubblers in front of the toilets in Building F.

As a safety precaution, access to the bubblers have been restricted. Signage is in place to remind students and staff not to use this outlet. Bottled water and hand sanitiser will be provided if required to students and staff.

No other drinking water outlets are affected, and they can continue to be used.

Licensed and qualified contractors have been requested to attend site as a priority to carry out remediation works. Once completed, follow-up water testing will be done by our independent hygienist to ensure the water is safe and meets [Australian Drinking Water Guidelines](#).

The health, safety, and wellbeing of our school community is our highest priority. If you have any health concerns, please consult a healthcare professional or contact your local NSW Health Public Health Unit on 1300 066 055.

If you have any questions regarding this process, please contact the NSW Department of Education using the details provided below or visit our website for further information.

Thank you for your understanding and support during this important work.



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