

# Maitland East Public School

## Works notification | 26 November 2025

Dear staff, parents and carers,

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

As a precaution in response to the recent national recall of some coloured sand products, a demountable classroom at Maitland East Public School was cordoned off until environmental cleaning was undertaken.

The demountable classroom was isolated from Monday 17 November 2025 to Monday 24 November 2025 while cleaning was completed.

Air monitoring conducted across the site returned results below the minimum detectable limit, which means it is consistent with acceptable levels in ambient air (i.e. <0.01 fibres/mL) as per SafeWork NSW guidelines.

These results show that no detectable asbestos fibres are present and the classroom can be reopened for usual school activities.

The NSW Government has advised that the latest SafeWork NSW testing detected no respirable asbestos fibres in nationally recalled coloured sand products. This aligns with [enHealth advice](#) that there is a very low health risk related to the recently recalled coloured sand products.

All work was done in accordance with work health and safety laws and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan. Safety measures were in place while work was done. All work was completed by licensed asbestos contractors and inspected by independent hygienists.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.



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