

Mona Vale Public School

Works notification | 1 December 2023

Dear staff and parents/carers,

We are replacing windows in Buildings K, J and L at Mona Vale Public School. As the window frames are attached to the edges of the roof, this work will involve removing asbestos containing material in the edges of the roof.

All material containing asbestos is bonded, which means it is attached to other material such as cement or vinyl and cannot be crumbled by light pressure. The affected areas are located within the edges of the roof and therefore inaccessible to students, staff and visitors.

Work to remove and replace the windows and frames will take place on Saturday 9 December. All work involving asbestos containing materials will take place outside of school hours, with additional safety measures and monitoring in place before the work starts.

Work will be done 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 buildings will be inspected by an independent hygienist to confirm they have been fully remediated, and the school will receive a clearance certificate before the rooms are reopened.

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.

