NSW Department of Education

Penrose Public School Works notification | 24 May 2024

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Dear staff and parents/carers,

Drinking water quality testing was recently conducted at Penrose Public School as part of our routine water testing program.

Findings have detected some bacteria in samples collected from the kitchen tap in Building A, the north, south and east bubblers and kitchen tap in Building B and the west bubblers in Building D.

As a precautionary safety measure, access has been restricted to the tap and bottled water is being supplied as an alternative for staff and students as needed. We are working with an independent hygienist to undertake any remediation work required.

All work will be carried out by qualified contractors, and we will undertake additional testing at the school following the work to ensure the water is safe for use. We will provide an update once we have confirmation of the details of this work.

The health, safety and wellbeing of the school and the local community is our highest priority.

If you have any questions about this work, please contact the NSW Department of Education on the details below.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

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