

# Port Macquarie Public School

## Works notification | 24 February 2026

Dear staff, parents and carers,

We are pleased to advise that we will be upgrading balustrades at Port Macquarie Public School.

On Saturday 14 March 2026, we will be removing various sections of the balustrade panelling to buildings A, B and F.

Sections of the balustrade are known to contain asbestos as listed on the school's asbestos management plan. All work involving asbestos-containing materials will take place outside of school hours.

NSW Health explains that "living or working with asbestos, or just being around it, is a low risk to your health as long as the asbestos is in good condition and not damaged".

All work will be done in accordance with work health and safety laws and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan. Safety measures will be in place while work is being done. All work will be completed by licensed asbestos contractors and inspected by independent hygienists who issued a clearance certificate before the areas are reopened.

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

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.



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