

NSW Department of Education

Rockdale Public School

Works notification | 24 May 2024



Dear staff, parents/carers,

On Wednesday 15 May 2024, suspected mould was found in a cupboard of a Year 3/4 classroom at Rockdale Public School in Building F.

As a precautionary measure, students and staff were relocated to another classroom so we could investigate the mould and the affected classroom was locked and made inaccessible.

We immediately engaged an independent hygienist to provide recommendations on the appropriate remediation action required for the mould. Use and access to the rooms will be restricted until a clearance certificate is received.

On Thursday 16 May 2024 an independent hygienist visited the school to inspect the areas, test and provide advice on next steps. We will keep the community updated on any planned remediation works once we receive the hygienist's recommendations.

All work involving hazardous materials will take place outside of school hours, with additional safety measures and air monitoring in place while work is being done. All inspections and remediation works will be conducted in accordance with recommendations from the independent occupational hygienist.

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

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

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

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