

Terrigal Public School

Works notification | 24 October 2023

Dear staff and parents/carers,

On Thursday 18 October 2023, work to investigate a water leak in Building H uncovered asbestos containing material in the flooring of a storage room at Terrigal Public School.

As a precaution, the room in Building H where the material was found remains locked and is inaccessible to students, staff and school visitors. The storeroom will remain cordoned off and safety measures and monitoring put in place by an independent hygienist while works are completed. Air monitoring was put in place on Friday 19 October.

Work to remove the vinyl tile flooring will take place after hours on Tuesday 31 October.

All work involving asbestos containing materials will take place outside of school hours, with additional safety measures and air monitoring in place while work is being done.

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.

Building H will be inspected by an independent hygienist to confirm it has 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.

