

Vineyard Public School

Works notification | 13 September 2023

Dear staff and parents/carers,

A wall was recently damaged in a classroom in Building A at Vineyard Public School, uncovering asbestos containing material in the wall lining. The wall lining is known to contain asbestos as per the school's asbestos register.

The classroom was immediately cordoned off to keep students, staff and school visitors separate. It will remain out of bounds until the damaged wall is remediated.

This work will take place between Saturday 16 September and Sunday 17 September 2023. 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 classroom will be inspected by an independent hygienist and the school will receive a clearance certificate before it is reopened.

The health, safety, and wellbeing of the school and the local community is our highest priority, and we will continue to keep the community updated.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

