Warren Central School

Works notification | 4 March 2024

Dear staff and parents/carers,

On 28 February 2024 during a routine inspection, staff noticed a rotted support beam in a walkway of the Agricultural Science Building (Building H) at Warren Central School. The eave in this walkway contains known asbestos in the ceiling panel, as per the school's asbestos register.

The eave structure has been temporarily secured and the area cordoned off from students and staff. The walkway will remain isolated with air monitoring in place until contractors have completed the removal works.

Work to remove the eave material and repair the walkway structure has been scheduled outside of school hours on Saturday 9 March 2024.

The work will be undertaken by licensed and accredited asbestos contractors. All work involving asbestos containing materials will take place outside of school hours, with additional safety measures and air monitoring in place before the work starts.

Work will be done in accordance with work, health and safety laws 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 school will receive a clearance certificate from an independent hygienist before the walkway is reopened for use.

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

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

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