

Wollongong West Public School

Works notification

15 September 2022

A restorative project is underway at Wollongong West Public School after significant storm water damage. The project will include replacement of ceiling linings, timber window frames and carpets in the corridors of Block A, and the replacement of a kitchen and craft area.

Remediation activities

Upcoming maintenance as part of the restorative works at Wollongong West Public School will involve working with asbestos containing material in the floor tiles of the corridor and open reception spaces in Block A.

We are following all the advice and protocols of asbestos removalists, assessors and other experts.

Work will take place between Monday 26 September and Saturday 8 October 2022. All asbestos containing material will be removed outside of school hours and in accordance with the advice of the independent hygienist.

The area will be cordoned off, and safety measures and monitoring put in place before works start. It will remain out of bounds to students and staff until the removal and associated maintenance work is completed.

This area will be remediated 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 area will be inspected to ensure it has been fully remediated. The school will receive a clearance certificate before the area is open to students and staff.

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.

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