

Avalon Public School

Works notification | 5 April 2024

Dear staff and parents/carers,

An independent hygienist has now assessed the classrooms and corridors affected by mould at Avalon Public School.

Their report suggested that the rooms are currently safe to occupy. However, as a precaution, we have chosen to complete all the recommended remediation work before allowing students and staff access.

It is expected that Class 1/2G will return to their normal classroom on Day 1 of Term 2, subject to the completion of the remediation work.

Based on the independent hygienist's recommendations, remediation work will involve repairing a section of roof and guttering, which caused moisture to build up and resulted in mould. Mould and moisture-impacted ceiling linings will also be removed and replaced.

A professional mould remediation contractor will then clean all affected surfaces and dry them with fans and dehumidifiers over several days.

All work will take place outside of school hours, and additional safety measures and air monitoring will be in place while it is being done. All inspections and remediation works are being conducted in accordance with the independent hygienist's recommendations.

Our highest priority is the health, safety, and well-being of the school and the local community.

We will keep the community updated.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

