

Turrumurra Public School

Works notification | 24 October 2025

Dear staff, parents and carers,

During regular school operations this week, the principal discovered material suspected to contain bonded asbestos between the school oval and playground facilities.

As a precaution an independent hygienist was engaged to collect and remove all fragments for testing and provide advice. All material suspected to contain asbestos were safely cleared before the area could be accessed by students or staff.

Testing confirmed that the fragments contained bonded asbestos. NSW Health explains that “living or working with asbestos, or just being around it, is a low risk to your health as long as the asbestos is in good condition and not damaged”.

The location is not in an area identified on the School Asbestos Management Plan (SAMP). The plan will be updated to include this recent find as required.

All work was done in accordance with work health and safety laws and the NSW Department of Education’s Asbestos Management Plan. Safety measures were in place while work was being done. All work was completed by licensed asbestos contractors and inspected by independent hygienists.

The health, safety, and wellbeing of all members of our school and the local community are our highest priorities. We will keep the community updated.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

Did you know?

In 2023 Turrumurra Public School received upgraded toilet facilities and a new multipurpose sports court. A more welcoming, pleasant school environment was created for students to learn in, designed to inspire them to achieve their very best and unlock their full potential.



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