

Corrimal East Public School

Works notification | 27 February 2024

Dear staff, parents and carers,

Last Thursday, 22 February 2024, we found two damaged floor tiles in a craft storeroom in Building B at Corrimal East Public School.

The floor tiles are known to contain asbestos as per the school's asbestos register. The area was made inaccessible to staff who normally use this storeroom.

A qualified independent asbestos contractor visited the site to inspect and secure the tiles. The room remained locked and inaccessible until work to remove the tiles and remediate the area started.

The work took place on Saturday 24 February 2024. All work involving asbestos containing materials was done outside of school hours with additional safety measures and air monitoring put in place before the work started.

Work was done in accordance with work, health and safety laws and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan. All work was completed by licensed and accredited asbestos contractors and monitored by occupational hygienists in strict accordance with all applicable legislation, regulations, policies, and guidelines.

The room was inspected by an independent hygienist to confirm it has been fully remediated, and the school received a clearance certificate before the room was reopened on Monday 26 February 2024.

The health, safety, and wellbeing of the school and the local community is our highest priority.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

