# Argenton Public School
## Works notification | 4 September 2025

Dear staff, parents, carers and neighbours,

Following on from the works notification from 6 February 2025 regarding lead management at Argenton Public School, this notification is to update you on recent activities.

The Environmental Management Plan (EMP) about ongoing lead management has been finalised for the school.

The Risk Management Plan aligned with the EMP have been implemented.

Key management plan actions include:

- monthly visual inspections of the grounds
- works to ensure adequate ground cover are done following the inspections, if required
- notifying the community if grounds maintenance is required
- steam cleaning carpets during each school holiday
- enhanced cleaning of internal areas during the summer school holiday.

The back playing field remains isolated with a locked fence. There are other open play spaces available for students at the school.

The environmental specialist will regularly inspect the site to confirm ongoing management activities remain effective. We will continue to work with the environmental specialists to manage the site in accordance with the school's EMP.

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

If you have any questions about the work, please contact us on the details below.

**More information**

- For information on lead in North Lake Macquarie, see the Hunter New England Local Health District's webpage.
- For information on environmental and health impacts of lead, see the webpage from the Australian Government Department of Climate Change, the Environment and Water.

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