Umina Beach Public School

Works notification | 17 October 2023

Dear staff and parents/carers,

We are refurbishing the flooring of several classrooms and a storeroom in Building G at Umina Beach Public School. As part of this work, asbestos containing vinyl tiles located under the carpet will need to be removed.

We are also removing a small section of the wall lining known to contain asbestos material located behind the fireplaces in classrooms in Building G.

The rooms continue to be safely used as the vinyl tiles and wall lining are undisturbed and the tiles are under the carpet.

This work will take place on Saturday 11 November 2023, outside school hours. Work areas will be cordoned off, and additional safety measures and monitoring will be put in place under the advice of an independent hygienist before works start. They will remain out of bounds until the work is finished.

Work will be done 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 areas will be inspected to ensure they have been fully remediated, and the school will receive a clearance certificate before the rooms are reopened to students and staff.

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.

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