

## Budgewoi Public School

### Works notification | 8 May 2024

Dear staff and parents/carers,

As part of planned work at Budgewoi Public School, a teacher's bathroom in Building A will be converted to an accessible toilet for the school community. This work will start on Saturday 25 May 2024.

This work will involve removing known bonded asbestos containing material in the toilet partition wall. Bonded asbestos means it is attached to other materials such as tiles or cement and cannot be crumbled by light pressure.

NSW Health explains that if bonded asbestos is mixed with cement or other hard bonding materials, and in good condition, it is likely to be low-risk.

All work involving asbestos containing materials will take place outside of school hours. The bathroom will be cordoned off before the work starts, with safety measures and air monitoring in place.

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

An independent hygienist will inspect the bathroom to confirm it has been fully remediated, and a clearance certificate will be provided so that the conversion can begin.

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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