

Nowra East Public School

Works notification | 7 May 2024

Dear staff and parents/carers,

On Tuesday 30 April 2024, a musty odour was detected in a classroom and hallway in Building L at Nowra East Public School. As a precautionary approach, students and staff who use this classroom were relocated to other classrooms in the school. The classroom was made inaccessible.

On Wednesday 1 May 2024, an independent hygienist was engaged to provide recommendations on the appropriate remediation action required. During the inspection, a musty odour was also detected in a staffroom and a wellbeing room in Building M. Access to these areas was restricted as a precautionary measure.

The impacted areas were cleaned and testing was undertaken by the hygienist to verify if the areas can be occupied. The rooms tested negative for mould. The hygienist advised that they are suitable for continued occupation by staff and students. The rooms have now been reopened for use.

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

If you have any questions, please contact the NSW Department of Education on the details below.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

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