## **St Ives Public School** Works notification | 21 March 2023

Dear staff and parents/carers,

Maintenance works to upgrade the toilets at St Ives Public School are continuing. Upcoming works will involve removing asbestos containing material in the toilet partitions in the library (Building H).

Building H is currently fenced off to keep students, staff, and school visitors separate.

Work to remove the material will take place on Sunday 26 March 2023. All works involving asbestos containing materials will take place outside of school hours, with additional safety measures and monitoring in place before works start.

Building H will remain out of bounds to students and staff until the removal and associated toilet upgrade 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 area will be inspected by an independent hygienist to confirm it has been fully remediated, and the school will receive a clearance certificate before it is 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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