

# Whalan Public School

## Works notification | 1 May 2026

Dear staff, parents and carers,

The health, safety, and wellbeing of all members of our school and the local community are our highest priorities.

We will be refurbishing some of our classrooms and offices across buildings 1 and 2 at Whalan Public School. This work will involve the replacement of carpet as well as vinyl tiles which are known to contain bonded asbestos and are listed on the School Asbestos Management Plan (SAMP).

As part of the refurbishment, flooring will be changed in the following rooms:

- Building 1
  - R0021, R0022
- Building 2
  - R0005, R0008, R0009, R0011, R0012, R0017, R0018, R0019, R0021, R0023



For more information about asbestos please visit the [NSW Health website](#) or scan the QR code.

In preparation for this work, the area has been isolated to restrict access to students, staff and school visitors.

The works for these upgrades will commence from Friday 1 May 2026 and be completed by Term 3 2026.

All work involving asbestos-containing materials will take place outside of school hours on Friday 22 May and Saturday 23 May 2026 with safety measures such as PPE 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. Safety measures will be in place while work is being done. All work will be completed by licensed asbestos contractors and inspected by independent hygienists.

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

Thank you for your understanding and support during this important work.

### What makes Whalan Public School special?

"I'm grateful for the supportive teachers that helped shape my confidence and future goals, this school has been a core memory of my childhood."

— a former student of Whalan Public School



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