

Westport Public School

Works notification | 23 October 2025

Dear staff, parents and carers,

We are currently replacing 13 damaged window panels found across buildings A, E, F, and H at Westport Public School. These were identified for replacement during routine inspections in the Spring School Holidays.

The panels were known to contain bonded asbestos, as listed in the school's asbestos management plan.

NSW Health advises that "living or working with asbestos, or just being around it, is a low risk to your health as long as the asbestos is in good condition and not damaged."

The damaged panels were immediately covered with ply sheeting and secured to prevent further damage.

Removal and replacement of the damaged panels started with work taking place outside of school hours and being completed by a licensed asbestos removalist with an independent hygienist onsite.

The affected areas will be inspected by the independent hygienist to confirm they have been fully remediated, and a clearance certificate will be issued.

All work is being done in accordance with work health and safety laws and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan.

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

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

Did you know?

In 2023, we unveiled a new playground at Westport Public School.

The playground boasts a special obstacle course design adding an exciting dimension to the space and encouraging both individual and group play.



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