

Ruse Public School

Works notification | 4 April 2024

Dear staff and parents/carers,

On Tuesday 26 March 2024, mould was detected in the Year 2 classroom at Ruse Public School. As a precautionary measure students and staff were relocated to the library so we could investigate the mould, and the classroom was locked and made inaccessible.

We engaged an independent hygienist to assist with our investigations. On Wednesday 27 March 2024, cleaning and air monitoring in the impacted areas started as part of these investigations. The investigation confirmed that a faulty air conditioning unit was leaking onto the carpet below causing mould to develop.

Work to remediate the mould and remove and replace the carpet will take place is underway and will be completed by 15 April 2023. Students will continue learning in their relocated classrooms until all work is complete.

All inspections and remediation works are conducted in accordance with recommendations from the independent hygienist.

The Year 2 classroom 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.

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.

