

# Hassall Grove Public School

Works notification | 24 May 2023

Dear staff and parents/carers,

The Department of Education finished installing new and efficient LED lighting at Hassall Grove Public School on 10 March 2023.

During a review, it was identified that the contractor installed lights using a method different to the established work practices for the program which occurred within a temporary classroom near Building M.

We are looking into whether this action may have impacted the ceiling, which has known asbestos containing material.

Following the Department of Education's protocols on the management of asbestos in schools, the area was isolated, and an independent occupational hygienist attended the site on Monday 22 May 2023 to review the work and conduct testing.

Samples collected by the hygienist returned negative results for asbestos, and a clearance certificate was issued to the school and the classroom was reopened for use.

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

Thank you for your understanding.

