

Bankstown South Infants School

Works notification | 26 February 2024

Dear staff, parents/carers and community,

This works notification is to provide you with an update from the communication sent to you on Tuesday 13 February, regarding the operation of the preschool at Bankstown South Infants School.

Results have now been received from the air monitoring tests undertaken in the preschool building. The independent hygienist has found that asbestos containing material was detected, at levels slightly higher than the minimum detection limit.

As a precautionary measure, strip-out work to replace the walls, lining and sheeting within the preschool building was undertaken and has now been completed. We can confirm that a clearance certificate has now been provided by the independent hygienist.

A licensed contractor has been engaged to continue restoring the building. While this work is being done, we have an opportunity to also deliver refurbishment and renewal works for the preschool. These works will include a modernised bathroom and improved accessibility, a new oven and new LED lighting.

As a result of these renewal works, the preschool will continue operating from the existing location in the library until no later than 28 March 2024. No other year levels are impacted by this work.

We appreciate your understanding while we are undertaking this work and look forward to continuing to deliver quality education and care to our learners.

The health, safety, and wellbeing of the school and the local community remains our highest priority and we will continue to keep the school community updated on the timeline for the reopening of the preschool.

If you have any questions about this work, please contact us on the details below.

