## **Ajuga School** Works notification | 25 July 2023

Dear staff and parents/carers,

On Wednesday 19 July 2023, a staff member identified a hole in the wall in the cleaning supplies cupboard in Building C at Ajuga School. The wall lining is listed on the school's asbestos register to contain non-bonded asbestos.

As a precaution, the area was cordoned off immediately and access restricted. Additional safety measures and monitoring were put in place before remediation works started.

Works to remove the material in the wall and make safe measures to enclose the hole took place before school hours between Wednesday 19 July and Thursday 20 July 2023.

Work was done in accordance with SafeWork NSW regulations and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan. All work was completed in strict accordance with all applicable legislation, regulations, policies and guidelines.

The cleaning supplies cupboard will be inspected by an independent hygienist to confirm it has been fully remediated. The school will receive a clearance certificate before the area is reopened.

Further works to repair the hole in the wall will take place before school hours on Wednesday 26 July 2023. The cleaning supplies cupboard will remain out of bounds to students and staff until associated maintenance is finished.

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.

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

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