

Rozelle Public School

Works notification | 27 June 2024

Dear neighbours,

Following our [works notification on 17 June 2024](#), we are continuing to manage in-ground asbestos at Rozelle Public School.

On 14 June, fragments of bonded asbestos-containing material were found on the back section of the school playground. The school has a site-specific asbestos management plan for known asbestos in-ground and the fragments were found in an area listed on this plan. The area remains cordoned off and access is restricted.

Testing confirmed that the fragments contain bonded asbestos.

NSW Health explains that if bonded asbestos is mixed with cement or other hard bonding materials, and in good condition, it is likely to be low-risk.

Work to inspect the area and remove remaining fragments will be done by an independent hygienist between 8am and 2pm on Sunday 30 June. Additional safety measures and air monitoring will be put in place before the work begins.

All work will be done outside of school hours, in accordance with work, health and safety laws and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan. Safety measures will be in place while work is being done. All work will be completed by licensed and accredited asbestos contractors and monitored by independent hygienists in strict accordance with all applicable legislation, regulations, policies, and guidelines.

The area will be inspected by the independent hygienist to confirm it has been fully remediated, and a clearance certificate will be issued before the area 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.



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