

Albury High School

Works notification | 26 June 2025

Dear staff, parents and carers,

On Tuesday 24 June 2025, loose floor tiles were found in an art room in Building C at Albury High School. The vinyl tiles and adhesive in this room are known to contain bonded asbestos.

NSW Health explains that “living or working with asbestos, or just being around it, is a low risk to your health as long as the asbestos is in good condition and not damaged”.

An independent hygienist was immediately engaged to provide advice. As a precaution the room was closed and made inaccessible to students and staff.

Outside of school hours on Tuesday 24 June 2025, the tiles were sealed and covered with particleboard as a medium-term measure. This work was done with safety measures in place. This solution will remain in place until further remediation work to remove and replace the flooring can occur. We will keep the community updated.

All work was done in accordance with work health and safety laws and the NSW Department of Education’s Asbestos Management Plan. All work was completed by licensed asbestos contractors and monitored by independent hygienists.

Following this work, air monitoring will take place, on Wednesday 25 June 2025. Once the results are received, the area will be inspected by the independent hygienist and a clearance certificate will be issued before the room is reopened.

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

If you have any questions about this work, please contact the NSW Department of Education on the details below.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.



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