

Gosford High School

Works notification | 27 February 2023

Dear staff and parents/carers,

Following works to install new and efficient LED lighting at Gosford High School, an independent hygienist inspected the completed works on Thursday 16 February 2023 to conduct testing.

Testing confirmed bonded asbestos containing material in the ceiling of the hallway in Building A where lights were installed.

Air monitoring is in place and all air monitoring conducted to date continues to return results below the minimum detection limit (i.e. <0.01fibres/mL).

As an added precaution, the hygienist has recommended further environmental cleaning, which will take place on Monday 27 February 2023 outside of school hours.

The affected area will be remediated in accordance with SafeWork NSW regulations and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan. All work will be completed by licensed and accredited independent asbestos contractors and monitored by occupational hygienists in strict accordance with all applicable legislation, regulations, policies, and guidelines.

The area will be inspected to ensure it has been fully remediated and the school will receive a clearance certificate.

The health, safety and wellbeing of the school and local community is our highest priority, and we will continue to keep the community updated.

Thank you for your understanding during this important work.

