

Goulburn High School

Works notification | 2 September 2024

Building M work

The planned work outlined in the notification below was adjusted to focus solely on Building M over the weekend of Saturday 31 August and Sunday 1 September.

Contractors completed the remediation of asbestos in the sub-floor storage areas under Building M.

With this work completed, the black plastic around the building has been removed.

An independent hygienist completed air monitoring which returned results below the minimum detectable limit, which means it is consistent with acceptable levels in ambient air (i.e. <0.01 fibres/mL) as per SafeWorks NSW guidelines.

The hygienist will issue a clearance certificate before the areas are reopened.

Further remediation work will take place in other buildings over future weekends.

Dear staff, parents and carers,

We are writing to let you know about ongoing precautionary asbestos investigations at Goulburn High School.

Buildings H and I, located in the school's agricultural farm, will be inspected on Friday 30 August.

As we notified you on the [19 August 2024](#), remediation work will continue Saturday 31 August and Sunday 1 September 2024. This includes removing bonded asbestos, identified during recent inspections, from the sub-floor in Buildings A, B, G and M.

If further work is required, these areas will be secured and continue to be out of bounds.

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

We will also carry out air monitoring and minor repairs on the Building E storeroom ceiling.

All work will be done 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.



Contractors are continuing to clean Building C and we are planning future remediation.

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

We will keep you updated.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

For more information on asbestos and health risks please visit the NSW Health website.

