## **NSW Department of Education**





Dear staff, parents/carers,

On 28 May 2024, we found suspected mould growth in 2 music rooms and a storeroom in Building C at Goulburn High School.

As a precautionary measure the rooms were locked and students and staff were relocated to other available rooms for their music lessons.

We have engaged an independent hygienist to assist with investigations, conduct air testing and provide remediation recommendations if required.

Air testing results have confirmed there are no traces of airborne mould spores in the classrooms, however the storeroom did return an elevated reading.

As a precautionary measure we will keep all rooms locked while we continue to investigate the source of the mould and remediate the storeroom.

All work involving hazardous materials will take place outside of school hours, with safety measures and air monitoring in place while work is being done. All inspections and remediation works will be conducted in accordance with recommendations from the independent hygienist.

Use and access to the rooms will be restricted until a clearance certificate is received.

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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