

Gunnedah High School

Works notification - 16 December 2025

Dear staff, parents and carers,

Further to our works notification on [Monday 13 October 2025](#), additional inspections have taken place by the independent hygienist and further remediation took place across Gunnedah High School on Saturday 29 November 2025.

On Monday 27 October 2025, additional fragments of suspected asbestos-containing material were found during excavation of the old tennis courts. The area was already fenced off due to the work taking place. Construction was immediately stopped when the fragments were found.

This location is not known to contain bonded asbestos as per the school's Asbestos Management Plan. Safety measures, including air monitoring, were in place.

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".

All work was done in accordance with work health and safety laws and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan. Safety measures were in place while work was being done. All work was completed by licensed asbestos contractors and Inspected by an Independent hygienist who issued a clearance certificate.

The health, safety, and wellbeing of all members of our school and the local community are our highest priorities.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

