

Asquith Girls High School

Works notification | 28 May 2025

Dear staff, parents and carers,

Due to contractor availability, we are rescheduling the asbestos removal works in buildings A, C and D as outlined in the notification dated 9 May below.

This flooring removal and replacement work will now take place after school hours between Friday 13 June and Sunday 15 June 2025.

Thank you for your understanding.

Notification issued 9 May 2025

Dear staff, parents and carers,

As part of planned maintenance, we are replacing flooring in 5 classrooms in buildings A, C and D as well as one staffroom in Building C at Asquith Girls High School.

After school hours on Friday 29 May, Saturday 30 May and Sunday 31 May 2025, we will be removing vinyl tiles located under the existing carpet in these rooms. The tiles contain bonded asbestos as listed on the school's asbestos register.

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".

These tiles are currently undisturbed and in good condition, so the rooms can be accessed as usual. Once the tiles have been removed and flooring replaced by licensed asbestos contractors, the independent hygienist will inspect the work and provide clearance to continue using the rooms.

All work involving asbestos-containing material will be done in accordance with work health and safety laws and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan.

During the asbestos removal work there will be air monitoring, temporary fencing, signage and workers wearing personal protective equipment at the school.

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

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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