

Riverside Girls High School

Works notification | 8 June 2023

On Tuesday 6 June, during planned maintenance to replace windows in Building E at Riverside Girls High School, suspected asbestos containing material was found under the windowsills.

The area was immediately cordoned off and the suspected asbestos containing material was removed on the same day. The removal works took place outside of school hours with additional safety measures and monitoring in place.

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

The area will be inspected by an independent hygienist to confirm it has been fully remediated, and the school will receive a clearance certificate before the rooms in Building E are reopened.

The window replacement work in Building E is expected to be completed by Wednesday 21 June 2023.

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

