

# Chester Hill High School

## Works notification

19 October 2022

Dear staff and parents/carers,

During inspections at Chester Hill High School, suspected asbestos containing fragments were in soil near the demountable next to the administration building. As a precaution, the area has been cordoned off to keep students, staff and school visitors separate.

We are following all the advice and protocols of independent asbestos hygienists and other experts.

Testing will be conducted on Thursday 20 October 2022 by an independent hygienist to confirm the nature of the material and if remediation is needed.

If necessary, this area will be remediated in accordance with SafeWork NSW regulations and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan. All work will be completed by licensed and accredited independent asbestos contractors, and monitored by occupational hygienists in strict accordance with all applicable legislation, regulations, policies and guidelines.

The area will be inspected to ensure the area has been fully remediated and the school will receive a clearance certificate before the area is re-opened to students and staff.

The health, safety, and wellbeing of the school and the local community is our highest priority and we will continue to keep the community updated.

Thank you for your understanding during this important work.

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