## Pittwater High School School holiday works notification – Autumn | 2025

Dear staff, parents and carers,

The school holidays are the ideal time to complete maintenance and project work across the state without disrupting learning.

## Planned work over the Autumn School Holidays

We are starting the first stage of the bathroom upgrade at Pittwater High School, which includes demolishing the girls toilets, change rooms and showers in Building B.

This work has been planned during the Autumn School Holidays – from the end of the school day on Friday 11 April and into Term 2 2025. Works are due to be finished by mid 2025. This work will not disrupt learning and teaching at the school.

The wall panels in the Building B toilets contain bonded asbestos as listed on the school's asbestos register and will be removed during the school holidays.

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'.

The toilet area will be isolated within a construction zone, with signage and air monitoring in place during the asbestos removal work.

All work will be done in accordance with work health and safety laws and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan. All work will be completed by licensed asbestos contractors and inspected by an independent hygienist.

The girls toilets in Building B will remain isolated in Term 2 2025 to allow construction to continue. Alternative temporary toilet facilities will be installed at the school for students to use during Term 2 2025.

## Progress update on air conditioning

The installation of new air conditioning units started in March as planned and is on track to be finished by mid 2025.

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.



