

Pendle Hill High School

Works notification | 13 March 2023

Dear staff and parents/carers,

Several fragments of suspected asbestos containing material were recently found in the grass area between Building B and the agriculture plot at Pendle Hill High School. As a precaution, the area has been cordoned off to keep students, staff, and school visitors separate.

We have engaged a licenced and accredited asbestos contractor to investigate the area on Monday 13 March 2023. All works involving asbestos containing material will take place outside of school hours and in accordance with the advice of the independent hygienist.

Further safety measures and air monitoring will be in place before works start and the area will remain out of bounds until the works are finished.

If needed, 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 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 it has been fully remediated. The school will receive a clearance certificate before the area is reopened to students and staff.

The health, safety and wellbeing of the school and local community is our highest priority. Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

