

# Pendle Hill High School

## Works notification | 3 December 2024

Dear staff, parents and carers,

The NSW Department of Education regularly inspects and maintains its assets.

On 22 October 2024 we found damaged floor tiles in the laundry room in Building B at Pendle Hill High School.

The floor tiles are listed on the school's asbestos register as containing bonded asbestos.

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 room was immediately locked to restrict access and we engaged a local plumber to fix the leak.

Work to remove and replace the tiles will take place between Monday 15 December and Friday 20 December 2024. Work will take place between 8 am and 5 pm.

An independent hygienist will be on site during the work to conduct air monitoring.

All work will take place within the locked laundry room and school operations will not be disturbed.

All work will be done in accordance with work health and safety laws and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan. Safety measures will be in place while work is being done. All work will be completed by licensed asbestos contractors and monitored by independent hygienists.

Once work is finished, the hygienist will issue a clearance certificate before the laundry room is reopened for use.

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

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.



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