

Kotara High School

Works notification | 23 June 2025

Dear staff, parents and carers,

As part of planned maintenance, we are refurbishing the student toilets, showers and change rooms located on the first floor of Building E at Kotara High School.

The first floor of Building E has been isolated from students and staff until this refurbishment could be conducted. Alternative spaces at the school have been available for use. This work is expected to continue into Term 3, 2025.

Recent testing conducted by an independent hygienist confirmed that the ceiling, floor and wall panels in the Building E first-floor amenities contain bonded asbestos. Asbestos-containing materials in these areas will be removed on Saturday 28 June 2025.

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”.

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.

After the asbestos removal work, the rooms will be thoroughly cleaned and inspected by the independent hygienist and cleared for construction to continue.

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.



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