

# Killara High School

Works notification | 14 June 2023

Dear staff and parents/carers,

On Monday 12 June, during routine cleaning in a science prep room in Building E at Killara High School, 2 boxes labelled as containing radioactive materials were found in storage.

The boxes are sealed and in good condition. The quantities of radioactive material contained in the products inside the boxes are extremely small and present no known radiation hazard.

As a precaution, the science prep room was isolated, and the storage area has been locked to keep students, staff and school visitors separate.

On Tuesday 13 June the boxes were safely moved to an isolated storeroom on the first floor of Building E and secured there.

We are following all the advice and protocols of experts in the area. Professional advice from the Australian Nuclear Science and Technology Organisation will be provided in regard to the safe removal and transport of the box.

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

Thank you for your understanding during this important work.

