

# Henry Kendall High School

## Works notification | 12 December 2024

Dear staff, parents and carers,

During a routine inspection on 25 November 2024, a cracked window was found in a classroom in Building J at Henry Kendall High School.

Testing confirmed the putty material in the window contained 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 window was secured and sealed with a safety laminate until further repairs can be carried out. As the putty material was undisturbed, the classroom could continue to be used.

Work to repair the window is planned to take place during the Summer School Holidays. This period may include from the end of the school day on Friday 20 December 2024 up to the first day of Term 1, Friday 31 January 2025.

All work involving asbestos-containing materials will take place outside of school hours.

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.

The classroom will be inspected by the independent hygienist and clearance will be provided to continue using the room.

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

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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