

# Galston High School

## Works notification | 17 December 2024

Dear staff, parents and carers,

During a recent inspection, a cracked window was found in a classroom in Building E (computer learning building) at Galston High School.

The putty material in this window was assumed to contain 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 glass was temporarily secured by a glazier, and as the putty material was confirmed to be undisturbed, the area could continue to be used as usual.

Work to repair the window and remove the putty is planned to take place during the Summer School Holidays on Tuesday 14 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. All work will be completed by licensed asbestos contractors and monitored by independent hygienists.

Following the work, the classroom will be inspected by the independent hygienist and clearance will be provided.

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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