NSW Department of Education



Chifley College Dunheved Campus Works notification | 16 May 2024

Dear staff, parents/carers,

On Wednesday 10 April 2024, during routine inspections at Chifley College Dunheved Campus, damage to the cubicle partitions was found in the boys' toilets in Building E.

These partitions are known to contain asbestos as listed on the school's asbestos register. The asbestos is bonded to other material such as vinyl or concrete and cannot be crumbled under light pressure.

As a precautionary measure, the affected cubicles have been cordoned off. Students are using the urinals or toilets in other areas of the school until remediation can take place.

Work to remediate the partitions will take place after school hours on Friday 17 May 2024 and Saturday 18 May 2024.

The toilet block will be cordoned off before the work starts, and safety measures and monitoring put in place.

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 and accredited asbestos contractors and monitored by independent hygienists in strict accordance with all applicable legislation, regulations, policies, and guidelines.

The toilet block will be inspected by the independent hygienist to confirm it has been fully remediated, and the school will receive a clearance certificate before the boys' toilets is reopened.

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

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

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