

Chifley College Dunheved Campus

Works notification | 18 September 2023

Dear staff and parents/carers,

On Thursday 14 September a board covering a hole in the ceiling of the hallway in Building B (science building) fell off at Chifley College Dunheved Campus. The ceiling is known to contain asbestos material as per the school's asbestos register.

No students or staff were impacted. The area was immediately cordoned off and the building remained inaccessible until the repairs were completed on Friday 15 September 2023.

Work to remediate the asbestos containing ceiling started on Saturday 16 September and is expected to be completed during the upcoming spring holiday period. All work involving asbestos containing materials will take place outside of school hours, with additional safety measures and monitoring in place before the work starts.

Work will be done in accordance with SafeWork NSW regulations and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan. All work will be completed by licensed and accredited asbestos contractors and monitored by occupational hygienists in strict accordance with all applicable legislation, regulations, policies, and guidelines.

The hallway will be inspected by an independent hygienist to confirm it has been fully remediated, and the school will receive a clearance certificate.

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

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

