Northern Beaches Secondary College – Cromer Campus

Works notification | 10 March 2023

Dear staff and parents/carers,

We are currently upgrading the administration building at Northern Beaches Secondary College – Cromer Campus, to improve accessibility.

During demolition works, asbestos containing material was found in the wall between two staff administrative rooms. We stopped work, covered the material, and cordoned off the two rooms to prevent access while testing was conducted by an independent hygienist.

The material has been confirmed as bonded asbestos, which means it is attached to other material such as cement or vinyl and cannot be crumbled by light pressure.

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

The area will be inspected to ensure it has been fully remediated. A clearance certificate will be issued to the contractor so works can continue.

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

We will continue to keep the community updated.

Thank you for your understanding during this important work.

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