

Lisarow High School

Works notification | 23 March 2026

Dear staff, parents, carers and neighbours,

On Friday 13 March 2026, a damaged communication pit cover was discovered on the southern end of the sports oval at Lisarow High School.

The pit cover is made from concrete however the pit itself was suspected to contain asbestos material. An independent hygienist was engaged to test the material and advise on remediation. Testing confirmed the presence of bonded asbestos.

Access to the communications pit has been restricted with temporary fencing and a board to cover the hole.

The pit will be removed and replaced by Telstra contractors as soon as possible.

An independent hygienist will oversee the work and conduct air monitoring and testing throughout.

Once the existing pit has been removed and replaced, a clearance certificate will be issued before the area is reopened.

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, including temporary fencing, signage and workers wearing personal protective equipment, will be in place while work is being done. All work will be completed by licensed asbestos contractors.

The health, safety, and wellbeing of all members of our school and the local community are our highest priorities. We will keep the community updated.

If you have any questions about this work, please contact the NSW Department of Education on the details below or alternatively Telstra.

Thank you for your understanding and support during this important work.

What makes Lisarow High School special?

Lisarow High School is recognised for being a welcoming, community-oriented school that supports diverse learners and focuses on both achievement and wellbeing. Their student leadership programs and strong sense of community involvement also help build confidence and responsibility in students. The school has a reputation for its performing arts and creative programs, along with opportunities in sport and extracurricular activities, which contribute to a well-rounded student experience.



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