James Cook Boys Technology High School Works notification | 26 August 2025

Dear staff, parents and carers,

Recent and consistent wet weather has caused mould to occur within 2 offices and 3 storerooms in the Administration Building at James Cook Boys Technology High School.

The rooms were isolated from students and staff and an environmental clean of the area scheduled.

Mould remediation started on Friday 22 August 2025 and will continue for up to a week. Work includes:

- A full environmental clean of all affected surfaces, using fans, air scrubbers, HEPA vacuuming and dehumidifiers to help prevent mould from reoccurring.
- Removing and replacing all porous materials, including items unable to be cleaned such as soft furnishings or storeroom items.

These works will help ensure the rooms are protected from future water issues. Once all works are finished the rooms will be inspected by an independent hygienist before they are reopened for use.

Further information on how mould is managed can be found on the <u>NSW Health Mould</u> Factsheet.

All work is being carried out by licensed contractors and inspected by an independent hygienist in accordance with work health and safety laws.

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

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.



