## **NSW** Department of Education

## Armidale Secondary College Works notification | 3 June 2024



Dear staff, parents/carers,

On Wednesday 28 May 2024, we found mould damage in an electrical storeroom in Building A and 2 classrooms in Building G at Armidale Secondary College.

As a precautionary measure students and staff who use the 2 classrooms have been relocated to other classrooms to continue their face-to-face learning.

The classrooms and storeroom have been locked and are not accessible to students or staff.

On 29 May 2024, environmental cleaning started in the affected rooms and we engaged an independent hygienist to help us investigate the source of the mould.

All work involving hazardous materials will take place outside of school hours, with safety measures and air monitoring in place while work is being done. All inspections and remediation works will be conducted in accordance with recommendations from the independent hygienist.

Use and access to the classrooms and storeroom will be restricted until a clearance certificate is received.

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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