

Blacktown West Public School

School holiday works notification | Spring 2025

Dear staff, parents, and carers,

The school holidays are the ideal time to complete maintenance and project work across the state without disrupting learning.

Planned work over the upcoming holidays

We will be working at your school during the Spring School Holidays – from the end of the school day on **Friday 26 September 2025 up to Day 1 Term 4 Tuesday 14 October 2025**.

The staff office in Building B at Blacktown West Public School recently had a water leak from a sink that overflowed, damaging the carpet. We have repaired the sink and leak, and the office flooring will be replaced on Monday 29 September 2025.

The first stage of this replacement work includes the removal of tiles known to contain bonded asbestos underneath the carpet.

NSW Health explains that "living or working with asbestos, or just being around it, is a low risk to your health as long as the asbestos is in good condition and not damaged".

Once the tiles are removed a clearance certificate will be issued and the carpet will be replaced.

Work will take place between 8 am and 4 pm on weekdays.

Safety measures including fencing, air monitoring, signage and workers wearing personal protective equipment will be in place during this work. All work will be done in accordance with work health and safety laws and the NSW Department of Education's Asbestos Management Plan.

All work will be completed by licensed asbestos contractors and inspected by an independent hygienist.

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.



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