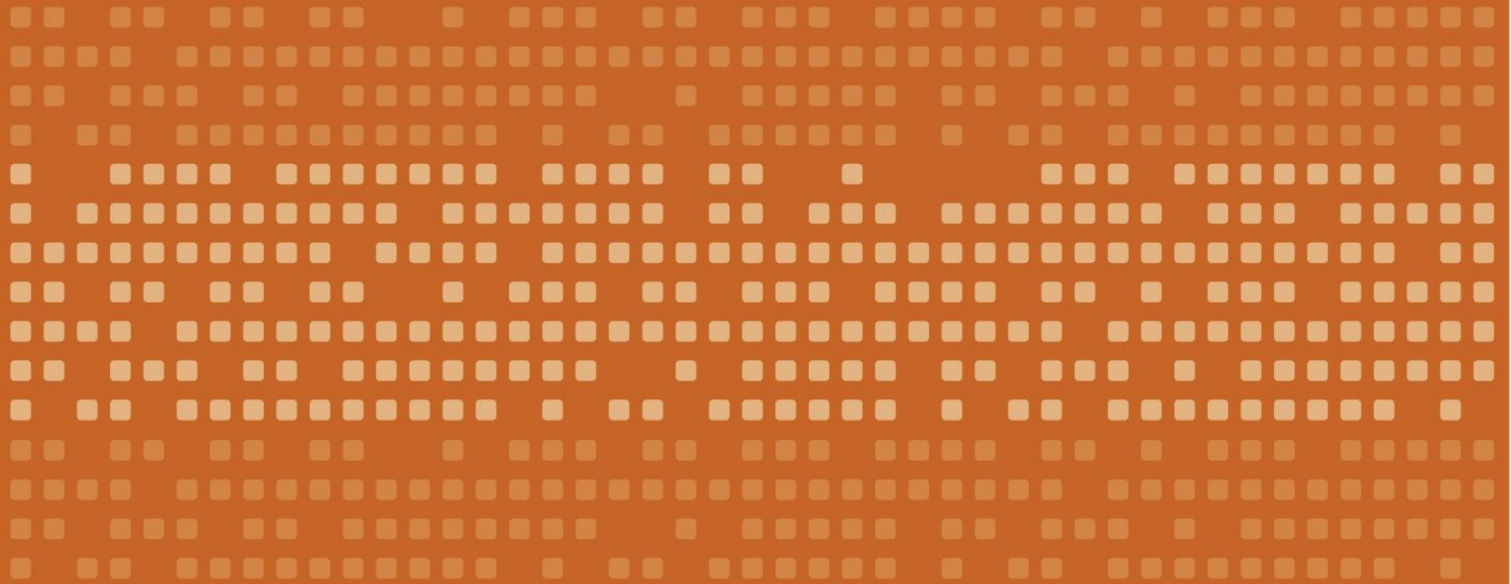


ASBESTOS

Student Questions



STUDENT QUESTIONS – ASBESTOS

1. Please state if the below statements are true or false:

A building constructed or renovated before 1990 is likely to contain asbestos materials	
Gables and eaves/soffits were commonly constructed of asbestos containing materials prior to 1990	
Further information on types of, and common locations of, asbestos containing materials can be found at www.worksafe.qld.gov.au , click on 'asbestos'.	
Chapter 8: Asbestos in the Work Health and Safety Regulation 2011 has 10 parts.	
If you are planning to remove friable asbestos-containing materials (loosely bound), you MUST use a business with a current class A asbestos removal licence to do the work	
The removal of less than ten square metres of non-friable asbestos containing material (ACM), or removal of asbestos-contaminated dust or debris (ACD) associated with that work, does not have to be done by a business holding an A or B Class asbestos removal licence, however the work must be done in accordance with the ' <i>How to Safely Remove Asbestos Code of Practice 2011</i> ' or equal standard.	
The asbestos in the structure or plant must be removed, as far as reasonably practicable, before the demolition commences	
The appropriate vacuum cleaner to remove asbestos dust is an H class industrial asbestos vacuum cleaner that complies with AS/NZS 60335.2.69 fitted with a HEPA filter and that complies with AS4260-1997	
If you are a plumber and you are carrying out plumbing work that results in the production of asbestos waste, you do not need an environmental authority to take the asbestos waste to the landfill if the load is less than 250 kg.	
Further information on asbestos risk management can be found in both the ' <i>How to Manage and Control Asbestos in the Workplace Code of Practice 2011</i> ' and the ' <i>How to Safely Remove Asbestos Code of Practice 2011</i> '.	