

CONTRACT CLEANING POLICY

Rationale

- The process for bringing on contract cleaners depends on whether you're a metropolitan or regional school.
- A new area-based model for school cleaning starts from 1 July 2018.
- The new approach will ensure cleaning staff receive fair working conditions and industry standard pay and entitlements.
- Following a competitive tender process, we have selected these bidders to clean in Victorian metropolitan schools:
 - Southern Melbourne: Menzies Facility Services
 - · Outer Eastern Melbourne: Tradeflex
 - Hume Moreland: Menzies Facility Services
 - · Brimbank Melton: Shining Knight Facility Services
 - Western Melbourne: ISS Facility Services
 - · Inner Eastern Melbourne: Spotless Integrated Facilities Services
 - North Eastern Melbourne: ISS Facility Services
 - · Bayside Peninsula: Spotless Integrated Facilities Services
- On 30 April 2018, the Minister signed Ministerial Order No. 1127:
 - School cleaning in Government schools (pdf 5.08mb)
 - school cleaning in Government schools (docx 75.84kb)

This means that Melbourne metropolitan government School Councils must provide school cleaning in accordance with the Department's approved cleaning arrangements, which start from 1 July 2018.

<u>The school cleaning reforms—Secretary's Policy (docx - 86.79kb)</u> provides guidance to school councils on the manner in which school cleaning is to be delivered.

For further information on these new cleaning arrangements in Victorian metropolitan schools, please email cleaning@edumail.vic.gov.au, call 1300 842 754 or write a letter to the address at the top of the page.

Cleaning reforms factsheet

Cleaning reforms frequently asked questions (docx - 227.38kb)

Purpose

• To ensure Footscray North Primary School complies with DET policy and guidelines in relation to school cleaning.

<u>Implementation</u>

- The school notes the above instruction.
- If more information is required, the school will contact: School Contract Cleaning Note: Only School Principals can access this page. Access requires an edumail username and password.

Contact details

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Evaluation

• This policy will be reviewed as part of the school's three-year review cycle or if guidelines change (latest DET update late October 2018).

This policy was ratified by School Council 25/3/2019

Reference: