

Product safety recall

Educational Colours - Rainbow Sand (1.3kg), Creatistics - Coloured Sand (1kg) and Kadink - Sand (1.3kg)



Educational Colours Pty Ltd

Decorative coloured sand, supplied in various colours, to be used for open-ended art and craft activities or sensory play.





Reason the product is recalled

The products are being recalled because they may include asbestos, which is a prohibited substance in Australia.

The hazards to consumers

The products may cause a risk to health as tremolite asbestos (a naturally occurring asbestos) has been detected in some samples after laboratory testing.

Importantly, respiratory asbestos has not been detected in any of the tested samples. The release of respiratory asbestos fibres is unlikely to occur in its current state, unless the sand is processed by mechanical means such as crushing or pulverising.

While the risk that any asbestos found is likely to be airborne or fine enough for inhalation is low, this may still pose a risk.

What consumers should do

- 1. Stop using the products immediately.
- 2. Place the sand in a heavy-duty plastic bag and double tape it securely and keep it out of reach of children.
- Do not dispose of the products in general waste. Information on the disposal of asbestos
 waste, including disposal facilities in your state or territory can be found on <u>The Asbestos and Silica Safety and Eradication Agency</u> website.
- 4. Contact <u>recalls@educationalvantage.com</u> for guidance around disposal and seeking a full refund.

Contact

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Who sold the product: Educating Kids, Modern Teaching Aids, Officeworks and Zart Art

Dates available for sale: 1 January 2020 to 31 October 2025

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See productsafety.gov.au for Australian product recall information