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# Case Study - Guano Removal

Guano removal from a residential property and scaffolding



## Summary

**Client's Problem:** Vinci Response Services were called to the site of a residential property where scaffolding had been installed for some extensive roofing works.

Both the house and the scaffolding were coated in bird guano which needed to be cleared and cleaned before any building works could continue.

Location: Hertfordshire.

How Long it Took: 2 days.

### What Equipment was Used?

- Sponges
- Sprayers
- Brushes
- Cloths
- Neutralizing Cleaning Agents
- HEPA Vacuums
- Jet Wash Equipment
- Waste Removal Bags

### **Guano Removal**

Bird guano contains digestive enzymes, acids, viruses, and parasites which present health and safety hazards, especially if left and not dealt with in the correct manner.

The first step was a site survey. The site was assessed by our highly skilled team to ensure that it was safe to enter and to determine what equipment would be needed to complete the decontamination safely. A report was then prepared with recommendations for the client.

Specialist equipment and cleaning agents were used to neutralise the guano. Scrapers, brushes and HEPA vacuums were also used to remove the contamination, returning the affected areas, and environment to the client safe for their team to work in.

By reacting quickly to our clients request and instruction, we were able to minimise the down time on site to assist with keeping their project on schedule.

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