



South Hunterdon Regional School District

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Annual Integrated Pest Management Notice For School Year 2016-2017

Dear Parent, Guardian, or Staff Member:

This notice is being distributed to comply with the New Jersey School Integrated Pest Management Act. South Hunterdon Regional School District has adopted an Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Policy and had implemented an IPM Plan to comply with this Law. IPM is a holistic, preventive approach to managing pests that is explained further in the schools IPM Policy included with this notice.

All Schools in New Jersey are required to have an Integrated Pest Management Coordinator (IPM Coordinator) to oversee all activities related to IPM and pesticide use at the school.

The IPM coordinator: George Hutton

Business Phone Number: 609-397-2060 ext. 1278

Business Address: 301 Mt. Airy Harbourton Rd, Lambertville, NJ 08530

The IPM coordinator maintains the pesticide product label, and the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) (When one is available.), of each pesticide product that may be used on school property. The label and the MSDS are available to parents, guardians, and staff members for information and to discuss comments about IPM activities and pesticide use at the school.

As part of a school pest management plan South Hunterdon Regional High School may use pesticides to control pest. The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) register pesticides to determine that the use of a pesticide in accordance with instructions printed on the label does not pose an unreasonable risk to human health and the environment. Nevertheless, the EPA and the DEP cannot guarantee that registered pesticides do not pose any risk to human health, thus unnecessary exposure to pesticides should be avoided. The EPA has issued the statement that where possible, people who are potentially sensitive, such as pregnant women, infants and children, should avoid unnecessary pesticide exposure.

The following items must be included with this annual notice:

Lambertville Public School – Geoff Hewitt, Principal

(609) 397-0183 (609) 397-4607 Fax

South Hunterdon Regional High School – Jennifer Beresh MacKnight, Principal

(609) 397-2060 (609) 397-2366 Fax

Stockton Borough Elementary School – Geoff Hewitt, Principal

(609) 397-9023 (609) 397-2012 Fax

West Amwell Township Elementary School – David Miller, Principal

(609) 397-0819 (609) 397-4350 Fax

- A copy of the school or school district's IPM policy
- The date, time and place of any meeting if one is to be held for the purpose of adoption or modifying the school integrated pest management policy or plan.
- A list of pesticides that are in use, or that have been used in the past 12 months on school property.

Integrated Pest Management Policy

The New Jersey School Integrated Pest Management Act of 2002 requires schools to implement a school integrated pest management policy.

The law requires the superintendent of the school district, for each school in the district, the board of trustees of a charter school, and the principal or lead administrator of a private school, as appropriate, to implement Integrated Pest Management (IPM) procedures to control pests and minimize exposure of children, faculty, and staff to pesticides. South Hunterdon Regional High School shall therefore develop and maintain an IPM plan as part of the school's policy.

The Integrated Pest Management plan will be reviewed at the Buildings and Grounds Committee meeting on August 9, 2016 at 5:45 PM. Any revisions will be approved at the Board of Education Meeting on August 22, 2016.

The following is a list of chemicals that are or have been used in the past 12 months on High School property: