

Annual Integrated Pest Management Notice
 All Egg Harbor Township Schools
 Review of IPM Activities for the School Year 2019-2020

Dear Parent, Guardian, or Staff Member:

The Egg Harbor Township School District has adopted an Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Policy to comply with the NJ IPM law. IPM is a holistic, preventive approach to managing pests that is explained further in your school's IPM Plan; which is available for review in the Main Office.

All schools in New Jersey are required to have an Integrated Pest Management Coordinator (IPM Coordinator), who is responsible to oversee all activities related to IPM and pesticide use at school(s). The School IPM Coordinator for all EHT School(s) is the respective school Principal. The District IPM Coordinator is Timothy Brunetta, who can be reached at (609) 927-8222, Ext.1800.

The IPM Coordinator(s) are responsible to maintain the pesticide product label(s), and the Material Safety Data Sheet(s) (MSDS) (when one is available), for each pesticide product that may be used on school property. The label(s) and the MSDS(s) are available for review by a parent, guardian, staff member, or student attending the school. The IPM Coordinator(s) will be available to parents, guardians, and staff members to discuss IPM activities and pesticide use at our schools.

As part of a comprehensive pest management plan, all EHT School(s) may use pesticides to control pests. 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, persons who are potentially sensitive, such as pregnant women, infants and children, should avoid unnecessary pesticide exposure.

Changes to the Egg Harbor Township Board of Education District Policy concerning Integrated Pest Management will be made only at regularly scheduled meetings of the Board of Education.

Locations of Applications made during 2019-2020 School Year:

Date:	School:	Location:	Pest:	Trade Name:	EPA#(s):
4-21-20	EHT High School	Athletic Fields	Broadleaf Weeds	Triplet, Prodiamine	228-312, 66222-89-73220
5-20-20	All Schools	Hard Surfaces	Weeds	Glyfos, Treflan	4787-31, 17454-9
8-10-20	EHT High School	Athletic Fields	Nutsedge	Vista, Fluroxypyr	62719-586

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