



GLENVIEW SCHOOL DISTRICT 34
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INTEGRATED PEST MANAGEMENT NOTIFICATION

Dear Parents/Guardians:

The Illinois legislature has passed SBO527 and SBO529 amendments to the Structural Pest Control Act and the Illinois Pesticide Act that affect how common pests such as mice, ants, etc. are controlled in schools. This legislation affects the schools in basically two ways: 1) all Illinois schools are required to adopt a pest control program called Integrated Pest Management or IPM, and 2) schools are required to notify staff, students and parents/guardians prior to certain types of pest control applications.

Integrated Pest Management (IPM) emphasizes inspection and communication with the school staff. The focus of the program is to identify and eliminate conditions in the school, which could cause pests to be a problem. Applications of pest control materials are made only when necessary to eliminate a pest problem. Regular spraying of student accessible areas is not part of the District 34 program.

If it becomes necessary to use any pest control products other than traps or baits, notice will be posted two business days prior to the application. The only exception to the two-day notice would be if there is an immediate threat to health or property. Then notice will be posted as soon as possible. Written notification will be sent to all parents/guardians within the affected school prior to the application of restricted pest control materials subject to the notification requirements.

Glenview Public School District 34 has contracted with Anderson Pest Control to provide IPM services. If you have any questions about the information and procedures please contact Steve Ruelli, Director of Operations at (847) 998-5011, the school health coordinator, or school principal.