



St. Mary's Ryken  
A College Preparatory Catholic High School

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Dear SMR Community,

In October 1986, the U.S. Congress enacted the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA). Under this law, comprehensive regulations were developed to address asbestos problems in public and private elementary and secondary schools. These regulations require most schools to inspect for friable and non-friable asbestos, develop asbestos management plans that address asbestos hazards in school buildings and implement response actions in a timely manner.

These regulations assign schools many responsibilities. Our program for fulfilling these responsibilities is outlined in our asbestos management plan. This plan contains information on our inspections, re-inspections, response actions and post-response action activities, including periodic surveillance activities that are planned or are in progress.

In keeping with the requirements of the AHERA regulation, St. Mary's Ryken maintains in the administrative office a complete updated copy of the Asbestos Management Plan. It is available during normal business hours for inspection.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rick Wood", with a large, stylized flourish at the end.

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