

PESTICIDE PRIOR NOTIFICATION REQUEST

State of Michigan law requires that schools and day care centers that may apply pesticides on school or day care property must provide an annual advisory to parents or guardians of students attending the facility.

As part of Gaylord school district's pest management program, pesticides are occasionally applied. As required by State of Michigan law, you will receive advance notice regarding the non-emergency application of a pesticide such as an insecticide, fungicide or herbicide, other than a bait or gel formulation, and other than a sanitizer, germicide, disinfectant, or anti-microbial product, that is made to the school or day care grounds or buildings during this school year. In certain emergencies, such as an infestation of stinging insects, pesticides may be applied without prior notice to prevent injury to students, but you will be notified following any such application.

Advance notification of pesticide applications, other than the products exempted in the paragraph above, will be given by at least 2 methods. The first method will be by posting at the main entrance of whichever building the product was used. The second method will be by posting on the school or day care center's web site.

Please be advised that parents or guardians of children attending the school or day care center are entitled to receive the advance notice of a pesticide application, other than a bait or gel formulation, by first class United States mails postmarked at least 3 days before the pesticide application, if they so request. If you are requesting prior notification of pesticide treatments conducted by first-class mail please complete and submit the following form. Parents or guardians of children attending the school may review the school's Integrated Pest Management program and records of any pesticide application upon request.

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Please be advised that you WILL receive notice via the methods above and should ONLY complete and submit the bottom portion of this form if you are also requesting notification by first-class mail.

Parent name: _____

Student name: _____

Street address: _____

City: _____ Zip code: _____

Day phone: _____ Evening phone: _____

Please check one:

- I wish to be notified **first-class mail** prior to a scheduled pesticide application inside of the school building
- I wish to be notified **first class mail** prior to a scheduled pesticide application on the outside grounds of the school building
- Both Options

Signature

Date