

Eastampton Township School District



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Annual Integrated Pest Management Notice School Year 2023-2024

Dear Parent, Guardian, or Staff Member:

This notice is being distributed to comply with the New Jersey School Integrated Pest Management Act. Eastampton Public School District has adopted an Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Policy and has implemented an IPM Plan to comply with this law. IPM is a holistic, preventive approach to managing pests. The district policy and additional IPM information can be found by clicking the link below. If the link does not take you to the correct web page, please copy and paste the web address into any web browser.

<https://www.etsdnj.us/Page/100>

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 for the district is: **Joe Biluck, Jr.**

Business Phone number: **609-267-9172 extension 120**

Business Address: Eastampton Community School
1 Student Drive
Eastampton, New Jersey 08060

The IPM Coordinator maintains the pesticide product labels and the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) (when one is available) of each pesticide product that may be used on school property. The label and the SDS's are available for review by a parent, guardian, staff member, or student attending the school. Also, the IPM Coordinator is 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 district's pest management plan, any facility owned by the Eastampton Public School District may use pesticides to control pests. The United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) and the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) register pesticides to determine that the use of a pesticide is in accordance with instructions printed on the label and does not pose an unreasonable risk to human health and the environment. Nevertheless, the USEPA and the NJDEP cannot guarantee that registered pesticides do not pose any risk to human health, thus unnecessary exposure to pesticides should be avoided. The USEPA has issued a statement that where possible, persons who are potentially sensitive, such as pregnant women, infants and children, should avoid unnecessary pesticide exposure.

Eastampton Community School – 1 Student Drive – Eastampton, NJ 08060
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Following is a list of pest control devices and low impact pesticides that are currently in use or have been used at the school during the past twelve months.

Eastampton Community School:

Advion Ant Gel
Glueboards

In addition, and for your information, to assist in complying with this law Eastampton Public School District has, for school year 2023-2024, contracted with Western Pest Services, 468 Route 38 East, Maple Shade, New Jersey, 08052-2065. The telephone number for Western Pest Services is 856-665-0560.

The school buildings are scheduled for service during the first week of every month based following a schedule that based on facility availability.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Biluck, Jr.", written in a cursive style.

Joseph Biluck, Jr.
Facility Manager

JDB/

cc: File