

Annual Integrated Pest Management Notice For School Year 2025 – 2026

Dear Parent, Guardian, or Staff Member:

This notice is being distributed to comply with the New Jersey School Integrated Pest Management Act. Randolph Township Schools 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 that is explained further in the school's IPM Policy included with this notice.

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 Shongum Elementary School is:

Name of IPM Coordinator: Matthew Geary

Business Phone number 973-361-0808 EXT. 8218

Business Address: 25 Schoolhouse Road, Randolph NJ, 07869

The IPM Coordinator maintains the pesticide product label, and the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) (when one is available), of each pesticide product that may be used on school property. The label and the MSDS 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 school pest management plan [insert name of school] 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.

Integrated Pest Management in NJ Schools
Chemical List Summary: July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025
Randolph Township School District

<u>Registration</u>	<u>Product Name</u>	<u>EPA</u>
Ironia School	Advion Ant Gel Bait	100-1498
Fernbrook School	Eco Via WH Advion Ant Gel Bait	N/A 100-1498
Middle School	Advion Ant Gel Bait	100-1498
High School	Tempo Dust Eco Via WH Advion Ant Gel Bait	432-1373 N/A 100-1498
Center Grove School	Eco Via CA Advion Ant Gel Bait PT Pro Control Plus PT Alpine Fly Bait	N/A 100-1498 499-462 7969-429
Shongum School	Advion Ant Gel Bait	N/A