

**RED LION AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT
INTEGRATED PEST MANAGEMENT ACT 36 OF 2002**

The Red Lion Area School District uses an Integrated Pest Management (IPM) for managing insects, rodents, and weeds. The District's goal is to protect students, staff and the public from pesticide exposure by using an IPM approach to pest management. The District's IPM program focuses on making the school buildings and grounds an unfavorable habitat for these pests by removing food and water sources and eliminating their hiding and breeding places. This is accomplished through routine cleaning and maintenance. Pest sightings are reported to the District's IPM Coordinator who evaluates the pest problem and determines the appropriate management techniques.

The District may occasionally use chemicals to manage a pest problem. If chemicals are used, notices will be posted in the treatment areas seventy-two (72) hours prior to application and for forty-eight (48) hours following the application.

If a chemical application must be made to control an emergency pest problem, notice will be provided by telephone to any parent/guardian who has requested such notification in writing. To receive notification, you must be placed on our school notification registry. To be placed on the registry notification must be sent in writing to the address below by **October 7, 2017**. Please include your name, students name and grade, address, day and evening phone number and the building where your child(ren) attend school. Exemptions to this notification include disinfectants and antimicrobial products; self-contained baits placed in areas not accessible to students; gel-type baits placed in cracks, crevices or voids; and swimming pool maintenance chemicals.

The District's IPM Coordinator is Mr. Craig Slack, Director of Buildings and Grounds.

Each year the district will prepare a new notification registry.

If you have any questions please contact:
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