

This schedule must be made available for review and copying in the school office



2017/2018 Pesticide/Herbicide Application Schedule

In accordance with requirements under the Parents' Right to Know Act of 2000, this schedule of pesticide and herbicide applications must be made available for review and copying in the main office of each school building. Any application of pesticides or herbicides not identified in this schedule, or other schedules provided, requires individual notification (excluding emergency applications). Reference the Minnesota Parent Right-to-know Act Notification for further information. If you have any questions or comments, please contact Env Health & Safety.

Licensed Professional Pest Control Vendor:

(All school locations as needed and by the following schedule)

Monthly Inspection Schedule (by Week of the Month)			
1 st Week	2 nd Week	3 rd Week	4 th Week
Anwatin	Andersen	Bancroft	Anthony
Davis Center	Field	Bethune	Edison
Dowling	Lake Harriet Upper	Henry	Hale
Jefferson	South	Northrop	Kenny
Nutrition Center	Southwest	North	Marcy
Roosevelt	Washburn	Nutrition Center	Northeast
Sanford	Wilder (Metro St. Joe's, Transition Plus, Wellstone)	Olson	Windom
Sullivan (Anishinabe)			

Quarterly Inspection Schedule (September & December 2017, March & June 2018):			
1 st Week	2 nd Week	3 rd Week	4 th Week
Armatage	Hall	FAIR	Heritage Academy
Barton	Harrison	Justice Page	Riverbend
Brown	Hiawatha	Loring	Sheridan
Bryn Mawr	Hmong Academy	Lucy Laney	Sullivan (Anishinabe)
Burroughs	Howe	Lyndale	Transportation
Cityview	Jenny Lind	N S Johnson	Waite Park
Emerson	Keewaydin	North Star (Mona Moede)	Webster
Folwell	Kenwood	Pillsbury	Wenonah
Franklin	Lake Harriet Lower	PM & O	Whittier
Green Central	Lincoln	Pratt	Windom
	Longfellow	Seward	

A licensed professional pest control vendor will inspect and monitor on the schedules above. When control is needed it is primarily for ants, roaches or mice and is achieved through an integrated pest management approach where the least toxic methods are employed first to minimize health and environmental risks. If control is not achieved through good sanitation practices or other non-chemical measures (such as trapping, sealing access points by caulking and screening), then application of an EPA-registered Level II or III pesticides may be used. For further information, please contact Env Health & Safety.

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Spot Weed Control by Building Engineers & Facilities/Grounds:
(All school locations as needed)

Friday's after children have left the premises: 4/20/18 – 9/14/18
2018 Summer Recess

Athletic Field Pesticide/Herbicide Use by Licensed Professional Turf Vendor & Facilities/Grounds:

(Edison, Franklin, Henry, North, Roosevelt, South, Southwest & Washburn)

10/13/17 – 10/21/17	4/13/18 – 4/21/18	5/11/18 – 5/19/18
6/8/18 – 6/16/18	7/13/18 – 7/21/18	8/10/18 – 8/18/18

**Minneapolis Public Schools
Minnesota Parent Right-to-Know Act**

To: Parents, Guardians, & School Employees

From: MPS Environmental Health & Safety Division (EH&S)

In 2000, a Minnesota state law went into effect that requires schools to inform parents, guardians and school employees if certain pesticides are applied on school property. State law also requires that you are informed that the long-term health effects on children from the application of such pesticides or the class of chemicals to which they belong may not be fully understood.

Specifically, the law requires schools that apply these pesticides to maintain an estimated schedule of pesticide applications and to make the schedule available to parents and guardians for review or copying at each school office. Safety Data Sheets are also available by request for products used.

The Minneapolis Public Schools utilizes a licensed, professional pest control service for the prevention and control of rodents, insects, and other pests in and around District buildings. Our integrated pest control program uses a coordinated approach to pest control intended to prevent unacceptable levels of pests while causing the least possible hazard to people, property and the environment. Our program uses a combination of methods including:

1. inspection/monitoring to determine whether pests are present, and whether any treatment is needed;
2. improved maintenance/sanitation to help eliminate pests without the need for pest control materials;
3. utilization of non-chemical measures such as traps, caulking and screening; and
4. application of EPA-registered pesticide chemicals **on an as-needed basis only.**

A Pesticide/Herbicide Application Schedule is available to you in the school office. If you would like to be notified by mail about applications scheduled on days other than those already listed (excluding emergency applications), please complete and return the form below. **If you do not wish to be notified, do not complete and return this form.** If you have any questions regarding this notice, please contact MPS Environmental Health & Safety at 612-668-0310. Thank you.

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Request for Application Notification

(Please Print Neatly)

School Name _____ Date of Request _____

I understand that the school will make available an estimated schedule of pesticide applications for review and copying at the school office. Should a pesticide application be scheduled on a day different from the day(s) specified in the schedule, I would like to be notified.

Name of Parent/Guardian/Employee: _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____

Zip Code: _____ Phone: (_____) _____ Email: _____

Please Return To:
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Minneapolis Public Schools Annual Asbestos Notice

Minneapolis Public Schools continues its efforts to monitor asbestos in District buildings and respond in a cautious and pro-active manner. The Environmental Health & Safety Division performs periodic surveillance and re-inspections of all asbestos-containing materials to ensure that the materials are maintained in a good condition. Whenever asbestos materials are disturbed or response action is required, appropriate precautions, as defined in federal and state regulations, are followed. Our efforts are designed to provide a safe and healthy environment for all students and building occupants. Asbestos management plans for applicable buildings, are available for review by calling 612-668-0304 or emailing William.wood@mpls.k12.mn.us.

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Fire Safety

This building is equipped with fire sprinklers, fire alarms and emergency lighting systems. These systems were installed to increase fire protection measures and greatly reduce the likelihood of a fire emergency or fire-related injury or fatality. None of these systems will work effectively if basic housekeeping measures are not maintained. The State Fire Marshal is in the process of inspecting our buildings for occupant usage problems that may create fire hazards. In order to comply with Fire Marshal orders and increase fire safety and fire prevention in this building, the following occupant controls should be maintained:

- Fire drills must be conducted five (5) times per year and properly documented by the school. Buildings with summer school are required to have at least one (1) additional fire drill during that period.
- This school should have an emergency evacuation plan and staff should be aware of their responsibilities. Individualized plans are required for any students with limited mobility.
- Fire safety equipment including alarm pull stations, fire extinguishers, fire blankets and electrical panels must be accessible and not obstructed by storage. At least, a 3-foot clearance must be maintained around fire safety equipment.
- Do not obstruct emergency signage such as exit signs & main gas shut-off signs.
- Storage and other objects must be located at least 18 inches below the level of all sprinkler heads to ensure that water dispersion is not obstructed.
- Alien articles (wire, paper, artwork, etc.) must not be attached to fire sprinkler heads or piping.
- Materials hanging from the ceiling (paper, artwork, etc.) must not obstruct the sprinkler system's normal water distribution pattern.
- Student artwork, papers or other combustible materials must not cover greater than 50 percent of any wall area. Materials must not be hung in exit stairways.
- Tires & exposed foam products are highly combustible and toxic when burned and must not be located in this building. This includes unapproved wall coverings used for sound deadening.
- Combustible materials (including gym mats, plastic toys, and wood furniture) must not be stored in gymnasiums, auditoriums or on stages when not in use.
- Storage materials or furniture must not block exit passageways or exit doors.
- At least a 6 foot wide passageway must be maintained in all hallways and corridors.
- Storage materials or furniture must not be located under stairways without sprinklers.
- No storage whatsoever is allowed on stairs, stairwells or landings.
- Extension cords must not be used in place of permanent wiring. Extension cords can only be used on a temporary basis and must be unplugged immediately after use. Power strips with grounding and overcurrent protection or surge protection are acceptable for use as permanent wiring. They are readily available in lengths up to 25 feet. "Daisy chaining" or plugging one power strip into another is not allowed. Each power strip must be plugged directly into a wall socket. For ITS related equipment (computers, document cams, smart boards, etc.) contact your building's IT Tech for assistance to wire properly.
- Heat producing appliances such as coffee pots, must be UL approved for Commercial Use.
- Heat producing appliances with exposed heating elements, such as electric space heaters, toaster ovens, hotplates must not be located in this building. "If it glows...it goes!"
- No more than one piece of upholstered furniture in good condition can be located in a classroom or office. Those with tears or compromised coverings are highly combustible and must not be located in this building. This also applies to beanbag chairs.
- Maintain aisles in all designated storage areas or store rooms.
- Padlocks may not be used on doors or gates that provide egress from any room or storage area where occupancy is possible. This includes concession stands, office supply rooms, custodial or mechanical areas, stage prop storerooms, industrial arts storage, laundry rooms and courtyards. Door latching hardware must be openable from the inside without the use of a key or special efforts.



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Minneapolis Public Schools Radio Frequency Notice

To: Parents

From: MPS Environmental Health & Safety Division (EH&S)

Minneapolis Public Schools recently adopted regulation 7010 B. The purpose of this regulation is to establish the District plans to conform with the Federal Communication Commission (FCC) requirements for radio frequency emissions on District premises. The regulation requires that for each building that has equipment that emits radio frequency, we notify parents that this equipment exist on the school's premise.

The intent of this notice is to inform all parents, that there is equipment on site at your child's school that emits radio frequency emissions. The equipment located on site is in compliance with FCC requirements.

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