

## BONITA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Parent or Guardian,

Board of Education Brittany Allison Derek Bahmanou Jim Elliot Chris Ann Horsley Greg Palatto

We would like to inform you that an Integrated Pest Management (IPM) approach for controlling insects, rodents, and weeds will be used at Bonita Unified School District. The IPM approach we will be using focuses on making the school buildings and grounds an unfavorable place for pests to live and breed. Through maintenance and cleaning, we will reduce or eliminate available food and water sources, and hiding places for the pests. We will also routinely monitor the school area to detect pest problems and prevent the pests from becoming established. Some IPM techniques we will employ include monitoring, increased sanitation, sealing entry points, physically removing the pest, and modifying storage practices.

The Healthy Schools Act requires all California school districts to notify parents and guardians of pesticides they expect to apply during the year. We expect to use the following pesticides in your school this year:

Bayer Deltadust insecticide, Bayer Finale herbicide, Bayer Premise 2 insecticide, Bayer Premise Foam for termites, EcoPCO aerosol unscented insecticide, EcoPCO AR-X aerosol insecticide, NiBan-FG silverfish solution, Onslaught insecticide, Speed Zone herbicide for turf, Syngenta Advion cockroach gel bait, Syngenta Advion fire ant bait, Vector Pro Poison Free Flushing and contact killer, and Hot Shot Roach Powder.

In addition, the Bonita Unified School District periodically contracts with Janus Pest Control or The Beekeeper for bee management. This generally does not require the use of a pesticide.

You can find more information regarding these pesticides and pesticide use reduction at the Department of Pesticide Regulation's Web site at www.cdpr.ca.gov.

You may view a copy of the district's integrated pest management plan in the school office. It is also located online at: <a href="http://do.bonita.k12.ca.us/documents/Facilities/IntegratedPestManagementPlan.pdf">http://do.bonita.k12.ca.us/documents/Facilities/IntegratedPestManagementPlan.pdf</a>

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Robb Harrison at (909) 971-8320.

Additionally, parents or guardians may request prior notification of individual pesticide applications at the school site. People listed on this registry will be notified at least 72 hours before pesticides are applied. Exempt pesticide applications do not require individual notifications. If a chemical application must be made to control an emergency pest problem, notice will be provided as soon as possible after the application

If you would like to be notified every time we apply a pesticide, please complete and return the form to your school site.



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## **Request for Individual Pesticide Application Notification**

I understand that, upon request, the school district is required to provide information about individual pesticide applications at least 72 hours prior to application. I would appreciate being notified before each pesticide application at this school. Exempt pesticide applications do not require individual notices. In the event that a chemical application is necessary to address an emergency pest problem, notification will be provided as soon as possible after the application. Please return this form to the school office.

Name of Parent/Guardian:	
Name of Student:	
Please notify me by email at:	
Student ID #	
Date:	