

ADVISORY TO PARENTS

Dear Parent or Guardian:

The \_\_\_\_\_ school/day-care center utilizes an Integrated Pest Management (IPM) approach to control pests. IPM is a pest management system that utilizes all suitable techniques in a total pest management system with the intent of preventing pests from reaching unacceptable levels or to reduce an existing population to an acceptable level. Pest management techniques emphasize pest exclusion and biological controls. However, as with most pest control programs, chemical controls may also be utilized.

You have the right to be informed prior to any application of an insecticide, fungicide or herbicide made to the school grounds or buildings during this school year. In certain emergencies, such as an infestation of stinging insects, pesticides may be applied without prior notice to prevent injury to students, but you will be notified following any such application. If you need prior notification, please complete the information below and submit it to:

(ENTER SCHOOL NAME, ADDRESS, CONTACT PERSON AND PHONE NUMBER HERE)

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**PRIOR NOTIFICATION REQUEST**

PARENT NAME \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT NAME \_\_\_\_\_

STREET ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

DAY PHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

EVENING PHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

Please Check One:

I wish to be notified prior to a scheduled pesticide application inside of the school building.

I wish to be notified prior to a scheduled pesticide application on the outside grounds of the school building.

Both of the above.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date