

NOTIFICATION TO PARENTS, GUARDIANS, AND STAFF OF A PESTICIDE APPLICATION

Montgomery County Public Schools Integrated Pest Management procedures, such as inspections and monitoring, are used to determine when to control pests and to identify conditions contributing to pest problems. The necessity for pest control, if warranted, is evaluated and one or more pest control methods including sanitation, structural repair, non-chemical methods and pesticides is utilized as a last resort, when all others have been exhausted. Problem areas are identified where alternative pest control technologies can be incorporated in order to eliminate routine pesticide applications. It has been determined that a current pest problem warrants the use of a pesticide to effectively control the pest problem.

School: Rolling Terrace Elementary School

Location(s) of the Pesticide Application: Entire Building.

Planned Date and Time of Application: Monday, December 23, 2019 8am

Reason for Pesticide Application: Roaches

If extenuating circumstances arise, the intended pesticide application may have to be delayed or postponed to a later date(s).

Note: The Maryland Department of Agriculture's Regulations pertaining to Integrated Pest Management and Notification of Pesticide Use in Public Schools require that the following information be provided as part of this notice:

"The Office of Pesticide Programs of the United States Environmental Protection Agency has stated: 'Where possible, persons who potentially are more sensitive, such as pregnant women and infants (less than two years old), should avoid any unnecessary pesticide exposure'."

The following information regarding potential adverse effects was taken from the material safety data sheet (MSDS) of the pesticide to be applied:

Product Name: Gentrol IGR Concentrate

Common Name: Hydropene

EPA Registration Number: 2724-351

Health Hazard Data: Potential health effects: May cause moderate eye irritation. If in **Eyes:** Hold open and rinse slowly and gently with water. May cause skin irritation. If on **Skin:** Take off contaminated clothing and rinse skin immediately with plenty of water. **Ingestion:** Immediately call poison control center or doctor, do not induce vomiting unless advised otherwise by poison control or doctor. **Inhalation:** Remove to fresh air, if not breathing, call 911.

If you require further information regarding this notice, you can contact Mr. Joseph Likambi, in the Integrated Pest Management office at (240)-740-2330.