



Dear Parent or Guardian,

We would like to inform you that an Integrated Pest Management Program (IPM) approach for controlling insects, rodents, and other pests is used at Eastpointe Community Schools. The IPM approach we use 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. Great lakes Pest Control is our service provider. Services are conducted on the first Wednesday of the month after school dismissal. Pest control services are also conducted on an as needed basis. Some IPM techniques we will employ include monitoring, increased sanitation, sealing entry points, physically removing the pest, and modifying storage practices. From time to time, it may be necessary to use chemicals to control a pest problem. Notices will be posted at school's main entrance on the day of treatment. At the maintenance office, we keep material safety and data sheets (MSDS) for chemicals that may be used in the schools. If you have any questions please contact the maintenance department at 586-533-3950 or Great Lakes Pest Control at 586-772-7248.