



GREENWOOD LAKE UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT

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DR. CHRISTINE ACKERMAN
Superintendent of Schools

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Dear Parent, Guardian, and School Staff:

New York State Education Law Section 409-H, effective July 1, 2001, requires all public and nonpublic elementary and secondary schools to provide written notification to all persons in parental relation, faculty, and staff regarding the potential use of pesticides periodically throughout the school year.

The Greenwood Lake School District is required to maintain a list of persons in parental relation, faculty, and staff who wish to receive 48-hour written notification of certain pesticide applications. The following pesticide applications are not subject to prior notification requirements:

- A school remains unoccupied for a continuous 72 hours following an application;
- Anti-microbial products;
- Nonvolatile rodenticides in tamper resistant bait stations in areas inaccessible to children;
- Nonvolatile insecticidal baits in tamper resistant bait stations in areas inaccessible to children;
- Silica gels and other nonvolatile ready-to-use pastes, foams, or gels in areas inaccessible to children;
- Boric acid and disodium octoborate tetrahydrate;
- The application of EPA designated biopesticides;
- The application of EPA designated exempt materials under 40CFR152.25;
- The use of aerosol products with a directed spray in containers of 18 fluid ounces or less when used to protect individuals from an imminent threat from stinging and biting insects including venomous spiders, bees, wasps and hornets.

In the event of an emergency application necessary to protect against an imminent threat to human health, a good faith effort will be made to supply written notification to those on the 48-hour prior notification list.

If you would like to receive 48-hour prior notification of pesticide applications that are scheduled to occur in your school(s), please complete and return the enclosed to the school. For further information on these requirements the school pesticide representative is Rob Porras he may be reached at 845-782-8678.

Sincerely,

Christine Ackerman
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REQUEST FOR PESTICIDE APPLICATION NOTIFICATION

2014-2015

(Please print legibly)

PLEASE COMPLETE ONE PER FAMILY

School(s) (please circle): Elementary School Middle School

Students: _____

Contact information of who would like notification:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Day Telephone: _____

Evening Telephone: _____

Email address: _____