

PESTICIDE NOTIFICATION, POSTING AND RECORD KEEPING

- 1.0 This notification (Procedure 6895P) shall be printed and distributed upon request to employees, students, and parents.
- 2.0 At least 48 hours before the application of a pesticide to school grounds or facilities, the District shall post in a prominent place in the building office, "Notice: Pesticide Application" in addition to notice provided to parents and staff via the district website. Pre-Notification shall be at least 8.5 x 11 inches in size, and shall state the product name; date, time and specific location of the application; the pest for which the application was made; and a contact name and phone number. The notice shall remain posted for 48 hours. Parents, please notify the District office annually, in writing, if you would like to be placed on a notification list prior to any pesticide use.
- 3.0 If the application is not made within 48 hours of the notice, another notification shall be made prior to the application. This pre-notification is not required in the case of any emergency application of pesticides to a school facility, such as an application to control stinging pests, but full notification shall be made as soon as possible after the application. This pre-notification is not required if the school grounds or facility will not be occupied by students for two days following the application.
- 4.0 Following the application of a pesticide to school facilities, a sign shall be posted at the location of the application. The notice shall be at least 8.5 x 11 inches in size, and shall state the product name; date, time and specific location of the application; the pest for which the application was made; and a contact name and phone number. The notice shall remain posted for 24 hours or longer if required by the label of the pesticide.
- 5.0 Following the application of a pesticide to school grounds, a sign shall be posted at the location of the application and at each point of entry to the grounds. The notice shall be at least 4 x 5 inches in size, and shall state that the landscape recently has been treated with a pesticide and provide a contact name and phone number. The notice shall remain posted for 24 hours or longer if required by the label of the pesticide.
- 6.0 These notices are not required for the application of antimicrobial pesticides (substances used to sanitize or disinfect for microbial pests: viruses, bacteria, algae and protozoa). These notices are not required for the placement of insect or rodent bait that are not accessible to children.
- 7.0 The District shall comply with all legal requirements for record keeping regarding the application of pesticides to school grounds or school facilities. This includes creation of an annual summary report of pesticide usage. Such records will be available on request by interested persons under the state Public Records Act and other laws.
- 8.0 Pesticides that may regularly be applied are listed below.

Pesticide Definition:

- a. Any substance or mixture of substances intended to prevent, destroy, control, repel, or mitigate any pest.
- b. Any substance or mixture of substances intended to be used as a plant regulator, defoliant or desiccant; and
- c. Any spray adjuvant, such as a wetting agent, spreading agent, deposit builder, adhesive, emulsifying agent, deflocculating agent, water modifier, or similar agent with or without toxic properties of its own intended to be used with any pesticide as an aid to the application or effect thereof, and sold in a package or container separate from that of the pesticide with which it is to be used.

Annually, the Sequim School District may apply pesticides, as per the definition above, to the District grounds and school facilities.

Ortho Hornet & Wasp Spray EPA #42697-42-239	Applied when necessary Applied by district employees
KGRO Dursban Insect Spray EPA #62719-56-46515	Applied when necessary Applied by district employees
“Preen” preemergence weed control EPA #961-820	Applied when necessary Applied by district employees
Hi Yield Weed and Grass Stopper EPA #62719-483-7401	Applied when necessary Applied by district employees
Hi Yield “Kill Zall” EPA #7401-451	Applied when necessary Applied by district employees

The following products are only used in the High School greenhouse:

Pyrethrum TR EPA #499-479	Applied when necessary Applied by district employees
Marathon 1 G EPA #3125452	Applied when necessary Applied by district employees
Subdue Marx EPA #100-796	Applied when necessary Applied by district employees
Preclude TR EPA #499-437	Applied when necessary Applied by district employees
<u>Cycocel</u> EPA #241-74-59807	Applied when necessary Applied by district employees