

## Integrated pest Management.

Public Notifications September 20, 2016 Integrated Pest Management In 1999, the Illinois General Assembly passed Public Act 91-0525 which requires school districts to implement an Integrated Pest Management program. Part of this program requires that "schools must provide written notification to parents, guardians, and school employees at least two business days prior to the application of pesticides inside school buildings." Antimicrobial agents and baits are excluded from this requirement. At the present time, District 7 does not apply pesticides on a regular basis. It is the intent of this program to limit the amount and frequency of pesticide use in our schools. On occasion, it may become necessary to apply pesticides. On those occasions, notification will be made via newsletters, bulletins, or other correspondence published by the school district. Any questions regarding the Integrated Pest Management Plan can be directed to Wendy Flaherty, Director of Operations.