

ADVISORY TO ALL PARENTS

Information about the LISD Integrated Pest Management Program

**For students at the Milton C. Porter Education Center,
LISD TECH Center, Trenton Hills Learning Center, and
HOPE Community Center**

The Lenawee Intermediate School District has adopted an Integrated Pest Management program in order to reduce the use of pesticides. While it may occasionally be necessary to apply a pesticide, these will only be used as a last resort. This program **does not** rely on routine pesticide applications to resolve problems. The Lenawee Intermediate School District uses various techniques such as habitat alteration, sanitation, mechanical means, and exclusion to prevent pests from becoming a problem.

You will receive advanced notice of the application of a pesticide 48 hours before the application, other than a bait or gel formulation at your child's school. The law requires us to do this notification by using two methods. The first method is the posting at entrances to your child's school. The second method is to post the information in a common area located by the main office of each school.

Parents are also entitled to receive this notice by first-class United States mail postmarked at least 3 days before the application. If you would like to be notified by mail please contact the Lenawee Intermediate School District Facilities/Maintenance Department at (517) 265-1613.

In an emergency (for example, bees nest), pesticides may be applied without prior notice, but you will be provided notice following any such application.

You may review our Integrated Pest Management program or pesticide application records for your child's school by calling the Lenawee Intermediate School District Facilities/Maintenance Department. This number may also be used when school is not in regular session.