

Notification of Asbestos Inspections

-In the fall of 1988, in compliance with the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Asbestos Hazards Emergency Response Act (AHERA), we had inspections conducted in each of our school buildings for the purpose of identifying asbestos-containing building materials. The inspection findings and resulting asbestos Management Plans have been on file in each school administrative office since that time.

-Every three years, the EPA requires us to have the asbestos materials reinspection by an accredited Asbestos Inspector. A Management Planner then reviews the results of the Reinspection and recommends actions we should take to safely manage each of the identified asbestos materials in our buildings.

-Our last reinspection was conducted in the fall of 2016 and all asbestos materials were found to be in satisfactory condition. As recommended by the accredited Management Planner, we will continue to manage them in place..

-The results of the Periodic Surveillances and Reinspections are on file in the Management Plan in the School's Administrative office. Everyone is welcome to view these anytime during normal school hours (Monday - Friday, 8:30am - 3:00pm).

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The Perquimans County School System does not discriminate against any student on the basis of age, sex, race, religion, national origin, handicapping conditions, pregnancy, parental or marital status.

Perquimans County Schools



District Safety Committee

The Perquimans County Schools Safety Committee is responsible for reporting any accidents or potential hazards and making recommendations for action to correct the situation. The Safety Committee is made up of employees and management who meet once each quarter to discuss any situation of safety concern and assist in the education of Perquimans County Schools' employees on safety matters.

Hazard Communication Program

*This program describes how Perquimans County Schools intends to protect the safety and health of our employees who are exposed to hazardous chemicals in the workplace, and to comply with the Provisions of 29 CFR 1910.1200.

*The Perquimans County Schools' Chemical Hygiene Officer has been assigned the title of Hazard Communication Program Monitor and is responsible for monitoring all related activities to ensure compliance with both the intent and specifics of this program.

*It is the intent of the Perquimans County School System to protect the safety and health of each employee, our most valuable and valued asset. By following correct procedures, no employee should experience any harmful effects from working with chemicals in their workplace.

Safety Mission Statement

It is the Mission of Perquimans County Schools to protect the safety and health of our students and employees. Administration is committed to providing a safe work environment conducive to work practices and policies.

Safety Drills

Monthly Fire Drills
Semi Annual Tornado Drills
Annual Lock Down Drills
Annual Evacuation Drills
Annual Earthquake Drills

Safety Activities

Fire Prevention Week
Fire Safety Day
Red Ribbon Week
Bus Safety Week
Severe Weather Awareness Week
Annual District Safety Inspection
Annual Safe Schools Tour
National Safety Month
Hurricane Preparedness Week

Policy #1510/4200/7270 School Safety

Safe schools are critical to creating a learning environment in which students can succeed. Staff and students share the responsibility for taking reasonable precautions and following established safety measures to create and maintain safe schools.

Policy #9205 Pest Management

Pests are significant problems for people and property. The pesticides that are commonly used in pest control may pose a potential risk to human health and the environment. The board is committed to maintaining a safe educational environment while also protecting the physical conditions of school facilities. To this end, the board will utilize Integrated Pest Management (IPM) programs or incorporate IPM procedures into the maintenance program conducted by the school system. The superintendent will appoint an IPM contact person to facilitate the use of IPM techniques. As necessary, the superintendent will develop administrative procedures for the IPM program.

Key Management Procedure

This policy has been adopted for the safety and welfare of the employees, students and visitors of Perquimans County Schools. It is designed to maintain the integrity of the mechanical security initially designed and/or modified therein. It is the desire of the administration that all departments and individuals involved in the daily operation and administration of **these facilities participate in these procedures.**