

INTEGRATED PEST MANAGEMENT

The Amity Regional School District No. 5, student safety is our top priority. In compliance with Connecticut State Law, the Amity School District actively practices an Integrated Pest Management program (IPM). The Integrated Pest Management Program entails some of the following procedures:

- Buildings are visually inspected on a regular basis to determine if any infestation exists and to eliminate any condition that might be conducive to breeding or attracting of pests.
- 2. Corrective actions are taken immediately when there is a potential concern.
- 3. Non-toxic solutions are utilized as a first course of action to abate any pest problem.
- 4. When toxic measures (pesticides) must be used, the least toxic available product is utilized.
- 5. Chemical treatment is only performed by State certified or licensed applicators.
- 6. Treatments, when necessary, are done during non-school hours.

Parents or guardians of children in any school may register for prior notice of pesticide application at their school. Each school will maintain a registry of persons requesting such notice. Notification may be made on or before the day of application, by any means practicable. A list of chemicals that potentially may be used in treatment will be provided to any registrant and the date of application will be sent prior to the application, which may be day of treatment or day prior.