# Central Union School District Integrated Pest Management Plan

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#### **IPM Statement**

It is the goal of Central Union School District to implement IPM by focusing on long-term prevention or suppression of pests through accurate pest identification, by frequent monitoring for pest presence, by applying appropriate action levels, and by making the habitat less conducive to pests using sanitation and mechanical and physical controls. Pesticides that are effective will be used in a manner that minimizes risks to people, property, and the environment, and only after other options have been shown ineffective.

Our pest management objectives are to create a safe school and office environment that is free of pests.

#### IPM team

In addition to the IPM Coordinator, other individuals who are involved in purchasing, making IPM decisions, applying pesticides, and complying with the Healthy Schools Act requirements, include:

Name/Title IPM Role

Steve Plooy, Maintenance Supervisor Purchasing decisions, purchasing, application, contracting decisions, reporting, compliance

## Pest management contracting

Pest management services are contracted to a licensed pest control business. Pest Control Business Name: First Class Pest Control, Visalia, CA

Prior to entering into a contract, the school district has confirmed that the pest control business understands the training requirement and other requirements of the Healthy Schools Act.

### Pest identification, monitoring and inspection

Pest Identification is done by CUSD staff and First Class Pest Control

Monitoring and inspecting for pests and conditions that lead to pest problems are done regularly by CUSD Maintenance staff and results are communicated to the IPM Coordinator.

Specific information about monitoring and inspecting for pests, such as locations, times, or techniques include:

- Monitoring of Maintenance staff with communication to Maintenance Supervisor
- On-line maintenance work order system for notification by staff
- Quarterly building inspection by Maintenance Supervisor

#### Pests and non-chemical management practices

This school district has identified the following pests and routinely uses the following nonchemical practices to prevent pests from reaching the action level:

Pest	Remove food	Fix leaks	Seal cracks	Install barriers	Physical removal	Traps	Manage irrigation	Other
Ants	X	X	X			X	X	Remove trash
Spiders	Q		X	X	X			Regularly knock down webs
Cockroaches	X	X	X	Q	X	X		
Mice	X	Q					Q	
Gophers				X	×	X	Q	
						Q		

## Chemical pest management practices

If non-chemical methods are ineffective, the school district will consider pesticides only after careful monitoring indicates that they are needed according to pre-established action levels and will use pesticides that pose the least possible hazard and are effective in a manner that minimizes risks to people, property and the environment.

This school district expects the following pesticides (pesticide products and active ingredients) to be applied during the year:

Demand CS (Active ingredient: Lambda-cyhalothrin 1)

GoalTender (Active ingredient: oxyfluorfen: 2-chloro-1-(3ethoxy-4-nitrophenoxy)4-(trifluoromethyl)benzene

Roundup Power Max (Active ingredient: Glyphosate, N-(phosphonomethyl) glycine, in the form of its potassium salt)

#### **Healthy Schools Act**

This school district complies with the notification, posting, recordkeeping, and all other requirements of the Healthy Schools Act. (Education Code Sections 17608 - 17613, 48980.3; Food & Agricultural Code Sections 13180 - 13188)

#### Training

Every year school district employees who make pesticide applications receive the following training prior to pesticide use:

- Pesticide specific safety training (Title 3 California Code of Regulations 6724)
- School IPM training course approved by the Department of Pesticide Regulation (Education Code Section 16714; Food & Agricultural Code Section 13186.5).

#### Submittal of pesticide use reports

X Reports of all pesticides applied by school district staff during the calendar year, except pesticides exempt<sup>1</sup> from HSA recordkeeping, are submitted to the Department of Pesticide Regulation at least annually, by January 30 of the following year, using the form provided at <a href="https://www.cdpr.ca.gov/schoolipm">www.cdpr.ca.gov/schoolipm</a>. (Education Code Section 16711)

<b>Notification</b> This school district has made this IPM plan publicly available by the following methods (check at least one):							
This IPM plan can be found online at the following web address: <pre>http://www.central.k12.ca.us/</pre>							
☐ This IPM plan is sent out to all parents, guardians and staff annually.							
Review  This IPM plan will be reviewed (and revised, if needed) at least annually to ensure that the information provided is still true and correct.  Date of next review: June 30, 2019							
I acknowledge that I have reviewed this school district's IPM Plan and it is true and correct.							
Signature: Charaffurt Date 6/21/18							