



DATE: September 17th, 2021
TO: Parents, Teachers and all other School Employees
FROM: Kevin O'Malley / Carla Sever
RE: Notification Letter Concerning the Asbestos Content & Management Plan for Saint Bruno.

In 1986, Congress passed the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA). That law requires all schools, kindergarten through twelfth grade, to be inspected and to identify all asbestos-containing building materials. The law further requires the development of a Management Plan, based upon the findings of the inspection, that outlines our intent in controlling the potential for exposure to asbestos fibers in our school.

In the past, asbestos was used extensively in building materials, because of its insulating and fire-retarding capabilities. Virtually any building built before the late 1970's contains at least some asbestos in pipe insulation and structural fireproofing. We too have buildings that contain asbestos material. The primary concerns arise when these materials begin to deteriorate or become damaged.

Saint Bruno has been inspected and some asbestos-containing materials were identified in the school. The materials are distributed in various locations and include floor tile, pipe insulation and mechanical areas that are not readily accessible to building occupants or students.

Saint Bruno's Inspection Report and Management Plan outlines in detail the methods used to maintain the materials in a safe manner. In addition, as required by law, appropriate school staff members have been trained to administer this program.

A copy of the inspection report and the management plan is on file in the School Office for review, if you so desire.

Sincerely,

Carla Sever
Mrs. Carla Sever
Principal