

**PORTLAND PUBLIC SCHOOLS
MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT
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TO: Parents, Administrators, Teachers, and Staff

FROM: Bob Shea, Director of Buildings and Grounds

SUBJECT: Annual Asbestos Notification, 2025 -2026 SCHOOL YEAR

The purpose of this letter is to give an annual notification on asbestos within our school system.

You should be aware that all our schools do contain asbestos building materials within them. All the asbestos has been inspected by an accredited inspector and documented in the School Asbestos Management Plans.

By Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) regulations, the asbestos within the schools must be inspected every six months. Much of this asbestos is checked on a daily basis by our custodial and maintenance staff.

If you should have any questions concerning the asbestos within our schools or the management plans, please contact me at 860-262-7244.