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Asbestos Notification
ASHERA Rule 40 CFR 763

NOTICE

The Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act requires that the employees, participants, and students attending our schools be informed of the presence of any asbestos containing materials in the facilities of the Batesville Community School Corporation. The information provided below is a result of federal, state and local inspections.

The asbestos present in the High School is contained in pipe joint insulation and within the composition of floor tile. The boilers are also insulated with asbestos materials. The material is in a manageable condition and will not cause a hazard to the occupants of the building. The insulation materials are contained away from the environment by being located above the ceiling and having a fabric wrap that is sealed with paint. The floor tile, covering approximately 7% of the total floor space, is sealed with floor finish.

The Intermediate School has asbestos-containing floor tile under the carpet in one room, representing less than 1% of the building area. This tile is safe since it is sealed with floor finish and covered by carpeting.

The old Middle School Gymnasium has pipe insulation that contains asbestos. This material is contained out of the environment since it is wrapped in cloth and sealed with paint.

The Middle School classroom building and the Primary School are free of asbestos materials.

A management plan has been written and approved for the control and elimination of these materials. Each building has such a plan on file. As part of this management plan, a three-year inspection of all asbestos-containing materials was conducted by Astesco, Inc. on June 28, 2018. Additional re-inspections are conducted twice each year.

Should you have questions regarding the management plan or health risks that might be caused by the presence of asbestos, contact Tim Hunter at 934-2194, or your building principal.

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