

Integrated Pest Management For Virginia Public Schools

This one day seminar addresses reduced toxicity pest management methods and their application in Virginia public schools. During the six hour session, participants learn the basics of Integrated Pest Management (IPM).

The morning session introduces participants to school IPM, including how IPM differs from traditional pest management. Dr. Miller gives an overview of the legal issues regarding both traditional pest management and IPM. Techniques for dealing with common pests such as ants, rodents, and cockroaches are also detailed.

The afternoon session includes information on how IPM has been implemented in schools in Virginia, plus sessions on cockroach monitoring and rodent exclusion.

The seminar is free, and lunch is provided. For more information, please see <http://schoolipm.ento.vt.edu/> .

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