ROYAL OAK SCHOOLS ASBESTOS HAZARD EMERGENCY RESPONSE ACT (AHERA) 2018/2019 NOTIFICATION

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) requires that each year, district workers and building occupants receive notification about asbestos activities such as response actions and inspections. The purpose of this correspondence is to meet those requirements and familiarize you with the asbestos related activities that have been conducted in Royal Oak Schools during the last year.

MANAGEMENT PLANS
In 1988, Royal Oak Schools contracted to conduct inspections for asbestos containing material (ACM) within all district owned buildings. These Management Plans are available for review in the administrative office of each building. A copy of each building management plan is also located in the Maintenance and Operations office.

SURVEILLANCE ACTIVITIES
The AHERA regulation requires surveillance of the condition of ACM every six months and Reinspections every three years. The Three-Year Reinspection within each of our buildings will be conducted in September of 2018. The last periodic surveillance was conducted in March of 2018. All of these surveillance activities will be included as part of the building’s Management Plans.

ASBESTOS ABATEMENT
During the past year there were minor abatement projects at Royal Oak High School and Royal Oak Middle School. All documentation regarding past and future asbestos abatement projects are available to be viewed, for access please contacts the designated person, at the Maintenance and Operations Office. Air tests will be conducted throughout all phases of the future asbestos removal projects at each building. The air samples will be collected and analyzed in accordance with all regulatory agency requirements.