Date:



Facility:

The Plain Facts

CLEANING PRODUCTS AND PRACTICES

EVALUATION FORM

Address:			
Main Contact: Title:		Phone: Nurse:	
Total Square Footage:		Email:	
Hard Floor Areas SF: %		Carpeted Areas SF:	%
Number of Students:		Number of Custodians:	
Year Built:		Number of Buildings:	
SURVEY QUESTIONS		COMMENTS, NOTES	
Environmental Health & Safety Polic Practices	ies and		
Are you enrolled in a TfS Program?	Y□ N□		
Do you have a Health and Safety Committee Are meetings regularly scheduled?	Y N N Y N N		
Is a Hazard Communications Program in place? Is it current?	Y□ N□ Y□ N□		
Is an IPM (integrated pest management) policy in p Do you have pest problems? Do you use a pest control company? If so, can we review your service tickets?	olace?		
Is the No-idling Policy enforced? Signs posted?	Y N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N		
Is a policy in place prohibiting animals in building?	the Y□ N□		
Do you have a policy for environmentally purchasing of: Cleaning products? Art products? Office products? Others? Is there an Infection Control Plan in place?	y N N Y N N Y N N Y N N Y N N Y N N Y N N Y N N Y N N Y N N Y N N N Y N		



Indoor Air/Environmental Quality	
Have there been any IAQ complaints? Y N N Are sensitive populations being accommodated? Y N	
Do you have mold problems? Are there leaks, repairs scheduled or complaints about musty smells? Y N Y N Y N	
Is there clutter in the classrooms? Y N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N	
Does carpet or VCT need replacing? Y N N Would you like information on alternatives? Y N	
Has the facility been tested for Radon? Y☐ N☐	
Is the maintenance of the HVAC system contracted out? Is there a schedule for changing HVAC filters? Y N How often are filters changed? MERV rating for filters?	
Are there problems with temperature/humidity in the classrooms? Has there been training on operation of the HVAC system? Y N	
Have you renovated your school? Are you planning to renovate? If so, when? Y N Y N Y N	
Does the custodial closet have an exhaust outlet? Y N	
Is the drinking water tested for lead and/or coliform? Y N	
How many students have asthma? Do you keep records of incidences? Do you have asthma action plans? Y N Y N	
Verifiable Integrated Pest Management (IPM)	
Program	
Does your school have a notebook that contains all pest related information including a Pest Sighting Log, a Pesticide Use Log and any Service Tickets from Pest service providers? Y N	
Does your school inspect and monitor for pest problems? Y N	
Does your school use spot treatments and baits? Y N	



Does your school mark the area that is being treated?	Y N	
Does school staff bring in their own pesticides from home?	Y N	
Is food allowed in areas not designed as dining areas?	Y□ N□	
Is there an IPM program in effect for turf management?	Y□ N□	
Solid Waste Practices		
Is there a recycling program?	Y N	
Do you recycle your e-waste (computers, ophones etc.)?	cell Y N	
Are you properly storing and recycling flubulbs?	orescent Y∐ N∐	
Is a composting program in effect?	Y N	
Cleaning Products and Practices		
What is your schedule for ordering cleaning products? Do you order from State Contracts? Who are your vendors? May we contact them for additional information if needed?	Y□ N□	
Does the facility use dilution stations?	Y N	
Is Personal Protective Equipment in use?	Y N	
What areas get disinfected? How often? Do you combine cleaning and disinfecting	? Y_ N_	
Does the facility use micro-fiber cloths? Is a color-coded system in place?	Y N N Y N N N	
Does the facility use micro-fiber mops?	Y□ N□	
Are mop buckets in use that separate clear dirty water or require separate mop heads area?		
Does the floor care equipment have a vacuattachment? If so, is it high filtration?	ium Y N N Y N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N	
Are high filtration vacuums in use?	Y N	



How often do you strip and recoat floors?		
Are floor mats in use inside and outside of Are they multi-level scrapper mats? 15' - 20'? Are they vacuumed daily?	f entries? Y N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N N	
Are recycled content paper products in use? Paper towels, toilet paper, tissues etc.	Y	
Do you have auto-flush valves on toilets? Are you planning on installing these?	Y N N Y N N	
Do you supply your classroom teachers with products?	Y N	
Do they bring in their own products?	Y N	
Custodial closets kept closed and locked?	Y N	



EXISTING MAINTENANCE PRODUCTS

Air Freshener	Graffiti Remover
A11 01	
All-purpose Cleaners	
	Gum Remover
Bathroom Cleaners	
	Hand Soaps and Sanitizers
Carpet Cleaners	Heavy Duty Cleaner
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	Miscellaneous
Disinfectant	
Distillectant	
Enzymes/Bacterial	Paper Products
Floor Care	
Tioor Care	
	Pesticides
Furniture Polish	
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Glass Cleaners	

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