School IPM for Students

Inspect and report from a pests perspective

Pest hot zones:
 Where there is food, only eat and drink in the designated eating areas.
 Where there is clutter, keep your classroom tidy and well organized.
 Where there is trash, place empty food wrappers and drink containers in trash-cans or recycling receptacles before entering the classroom. Use the trash-cans responsibly. Report accidental spills and food debris, help clean up.

Reminders:
 Report pests or evidence of pests to teachers, so they can enter the information into a pest sighting log.
 Take care not to disturb monitoring traps.
 Keep coats and back-packs in designated areas.
 Store lunches and snacks in sealed food containers, many pests can eat through regular wrappers or zip lock bags, and will find your snacks in your desks, cubbies or lockers.
 Empty clothing from cubbies or lockers every Friday. Mice forage for nesting material as well as food.
 Collect lost items from lost and found promptly, especially if you think you may have left food in your pockets.

Thank You for Caring for Our School