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Note: Environmental Health Officers (EHOs) conduct school inspections to identify potential risks to the health and safety of students, staff and the general public. The School Environmental Health Inspection Report is used by EHOs during the annual school inspection. The Guide to School Inspections for Environmental Health Officers is used as a reference for any health and safety risk within the school environment. The Guide is not a set of school standards/regulations. The exception is the identification of public health hazards related to food safety, drinking water quality and sewage disposal. These exceptions are regulated under the Food Premises Act and the Health and Community Services Act.

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## Occupational Health and Safety Inspections Branch



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Location :	Foxtrap		NIC :	8511				
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Worker Rep/Designate: N/A

#### **Attention OHS Committees**

"As of January 1, 2022, all OHS Committees will be required to submit meeting minutes through

CONNECT. For more information, contact us at ohs.minutes@workplacenl.ca or call 709.778.1552

#### and select option 3."

### REPORT

I arrived on site at 11:00 accompanied by Officer Glenn Coates. The purpose of this inspection was to investigate a complaint regarding rodents and air circulation. Once on site, we met with Bruce Mandeville, Principal, and Jonathan Williams, Assistant Principal, and the complaint was discussed followed by a walkthrough of the school.

In the complaint received, there was discussion of rodent issues including feces being found in classrooms and evidence of rodents in several areas of the school. Mr. Mandeville stated that rodents have in fact been an ongoing concern. Terminix have been on site regularly to work on getting the issue under control. It was reported that Terminix believes that mice are currently the issue, not rats. They have traps set up throughout the school and maintenance is now removing traps during the day (when students are in school) and replacing them in the evening. There were no traps noted in the hallways or classrooms today for that reason. If rodent droppings are observed, custodial staff are made aware and they do the cleanup. Teachers are not required or expected to clean up droppings. A written procedure for cleanup of droppings is being requested at this time. Also, a copy of service reports detailing what work has been done to date by Terminix as well as an action plan detailing what is to be done moving forward must be provided.

Another complaint made involved poor air circulation due to the inability to open windows. During today's inspection most of the windows on the front of the building were observed to be open but a few were closed because the screen was missing. In order to comply with the school's own natural ventilation protocol, all screens must be replaced as soon as possible after being damaged or removed to ensure that the windows can be opened for the minimum required amount of time.

Water infiltration through the celling was another concern brought up. Mr. Mandeville and Mr. Williams stated that there have been a few areas where water has been able to infiltrate the building. They took us to all areas of concern. There were no active leaks observed during today's visit and upon inspection of

A copy of this inspection/order report must be provided at the earliest possible opportunity to your OHS Committee, Worker Representative or Workplace Designate.