

BOYERTOWN AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

Plans to Protect Students if an Incident Occurs at the Limerick Generating Station – August 2025

With the assistance of the Berks and Montgomery County Emergency Management Services, the Boyertown Area School District has developed an emergency plan to protect students in the event of a radiological incident at the Limerick Generating Station. The district will initiate protective actions to <u>shelter in place</u> or <u>evacuate</u> students as directed.

IF SHELTERING IN PLACE IS REQUIRED:

- Students will remain in their respective schools. Buildings will be closed to prevent radiological contamination.
- Students will be dismissed after protective action is no longer necessary or at the regular dismissal time if the incident is over before the end of the day.
- Early dismissals will be announced through the emergency communication system (Infinite Campus Messenger emails, texts, phone calls, the district website, social media, radio and TV stations, and affiliated websites).
- Please do not attempt to pick up children at the school during a radiological emergency. Effective sheltering requires students to remain inside to avoid exposure to dangerous airborne radioactivity.

IF EVACUATION IS REQUIRED: Students will be immediately transported by bus outside the Emergency Planning Zone (EPZ) to the host facilities listed below and remain there under supervision until parents or a person designated by the parent arrives.

Boyertown Area Senior High Boyertown Middle School East Boyertown Middle School West Boyertown Elementary Colebrookdale Elementary Gilbertsville Elementary New Hanover Elementary Berks Vo-Tech (East & West)

Home of the Bears

Keystone Hall, Kutztown University Keystone Hall, Kutztown University Keystone Hall, Kutztown University Kutztown Area Junior High School Kutztown Area Senior High School Kutztown Elementary School Kutztown Area Senior High School Keystone Hall, Kutztown University

Please do not attempt to pick up your children at their school during sheltering or an evacuation. It is essential that driveways and access roads remain open for buses and emergency vehicles.

The Earl and Washington Elementary School students will not be evacuated since the schools are outside the 10-mile radius. Children attending the Earl or Washington Elementary schools who live in the EPZ areas will remain at their respective schools until a parent or designated person arrives. Students will <u>not</u> be bused home. Parents/Guardians are requested to pick up children before 8:00 PM. After 8:00 PM, students will be transported to the Mass Care Center at Kutztown Area Senior High School to await parent pickup.

Please complete the attached permission form and return the form to your child's homeroom teacher.

Sincerely,

Scott Davidheiser, Ed.D.

Attachment

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