



THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PHILADELPHIA

Operations Division

Office of Environmental Management and Services

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Dear **Bridesburg Elementary School** Community,

As a part of the School District of Philadelphia’s effort to provide students and staff with safe, accessible and appealing drinking water, **58** water outlets at your school were initially tested for lead on **April 09, 2019, April 10, 2019, and April 11, 2019**. Of those outlets, **56** outlets produced water that was below the action level of 10 ppb. **Two (2)** water outlets were found to have results above the water safety threshold and these outlets were immediately shut-off.

Below outlines the confirmed corrective action steps that were taken for the two water outlets that tested above the action limit.

Sample Date	Floor	Outlet Number	Outlet Type	Outlet Description	Lead Result (ppb)	MDL (ppb)	PQL (ppb)	Confirmed Corrective Action Description
04/10/2019	1	17	FT	In RM 108	11.1	0.3	1.0	Replaced faucet and retested.
08/06/2019	1	17	FT	In RM 108	4.0	0.3	1.0	Returned to service.

Bridesburg Annex:

Sample Date	Floor	Outlet Number	Outlet Type	Outlet Description	Lead Result (ppb)	MDL (ppb)	PQL (ppb)	Confirmed Corrective Action Description
04/11/2019	0	4	FT	In kitchen right	15.4	0.3	1.0	Replaced faucet and retested.
08/06/2019	0	4	FT	In kitchen right	2.1	0.3	1.0	Returned to service.

Notes:

AA = Above Action limit of 10 ppb

BA = Below Action limit of 10 ppb

MDL = Method Detection Limit

PQL = Practical Quantitation Limit

J = Result estimated below the PQL

< = not detected above PQL

ppb = parts per billion

Outlet Types:

WF=Water Fountain/Bubbler

HS=Hydration Station/Bottle Filling Station

FT=Faucet/Tap

FP - Food Prep/Pot-Filler/Kitchen Kettle

IM - Ice-Maker

The School District will test the drinking water at your school every five years and share the results through a letter and also post the results on the District’s website. If you wish to review the results from your school and for more information, you may visit the District’s website at: www.philasd.org/waterresults.

Sincerely,

Brian Joseph
Environmental Director