



THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PHILADELPHIA

Operations Division

Office of Environmental Management and Services
440 North Broad Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19130
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October 22, 2021

Dear **McDaniel 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, **29** water outlets at your school were initially tested for lead on **July 07, 2021**. Of those outlets, **29** outlets produced water that was below the action level of 10 ppb. During the initial sampling event **Two (2)** water outlets were not available for testing. These outlets were sampled on **September 29, 2021**.

Sample Date	Floor	Outlet Number	Outlet Type	Outlet Description	Lead Result (ppb)	PQL (ppb)	Confirmed Corrective Action Description
02/23/2022	03	02	WF	Outside RM 311 - Left	<1	1	No Action Required
02/23/2022	03	03	WF	Outside RM 311 - Right	1.1	1	No Action Required
09/29/2021	xx	18	WF	Outside Library Left	<1	1	No Action Required
09/29/2021	xx	33	WF	Outside Boys BR in Café Right	11	1	Replaced with Hydration Station ¹
02/23/2022	xx	33	HS	Outside Boys BR in Café Right	<1	1	Remediation Complete

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

¹Hydration Station has passed subsequent testing and is turned on for use. Hydration Stations offer filtered water and bottle filling stations that remove, on average, 99.3 percent of lead from drinking water. These filtered water bottle filling stations are more effective, efficient, and affordable than the alternatives to lead remediation.



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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,

Steve Link
Environmental Director