



Erindale Secondary School

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Letter to families for schools with resolved exceedence(s)

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Dear Parent/Guardian:

Since 2007, the Ontario government has required schools to annually test their drinking water to ensure lead levels meet the provincial drinking water quality standard. Following a regular test of our school's water sources, an exceedence of lead was found in at least one of our drinking water/food preparation sources.

As soon as we were made aware, corrective actions were taken immediately to ensure the health and safety of all students and staff. These actions, as directed by Peel Public Health, may have included re-testing, fixture or plumbing replacement/removal or more frequent flushing of the water source(s). If necessary, our school made alternate arrangements to ensure staff and students had access to another water source.

I want to assure you that the Peel District School Board has followed all the necessary reporting requirements and has taken all the corrective actions as directed by the local Medical Officer of Health to resolve any lead exceedences. A copy of our test results is available in our school office. More information is also available on the Ministry of Environment website at www.ontario.ca/drinkingwater.

I want to make sure that you have all the information, because the health and safety of students at our school is my top priority. If you have any questions or concerns, please call me at 905-828-7206. As always, if you have any concerns regarding your child's health, please contact your family physician directly.

Sincerely,
Sandra Trupp
Principal