



MEETING THE SPECIAL NEEDS OF CHILDREN

December 16, 2016

Dear Windsor Prep Community:

Our school is committed to protecting student, teacher, and staff health. To protect our community and be in compliance with the Department of Education regulations Omega Environmental Services tested our school's drinking water for lead.

Results of our Testing

Following instructions given in technical guidance developed by the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, we completed a limited plumbing profile for the Windsor Prep building to identify all drinking water and food preparation outlets. Of the samples taken, only three tested above the lead action level established by the US Environmental Protection Agency for lead in drinking water (15 $\mu\text{g/l}$ [ppb]).

The table below identifies the drinking water outlets that tested above the 15 $\mu\text{g/l}$ for lead, the actual lead level, and what temporary remedial action Windsor Prep has taken to reduce the levels of lead at these locations.

Sample Location	First Draw Result in $\mu\text{g/l}$ (ppb)	Remedial Action
1 st Floor Drinking Water Fountain ID # 3	15.3	Disconnected outlet. Alternative fountains available.
2nd Floor Drinking Water Fountain ID # 3	16.7	Disconnected outlet. Alternative fountains available.
2nd Floor Drinking Water Fountain ID # 4	16	Disconnected outlet. Alternative fountains available.

The elevated levels are associated with a first draw sample. Flush samples for each were significantly below action level. In the coming weeks we will be working on solutions to achieve and maintain a reduced lead level in these areas. Follow up testing will be conducted. Only after appropriate remedial measures have been completed and follow up results at acceptable levels will the locations be placed back in service.

For More Information

A copy of the test results is available in our central office for inspection by the public, including students, teachers, other school personnel, and parents, and can be viewed between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. and are also available on our website at www.windsorprephs.com For more information about water quality in our schools, contact Annmarie Scorzo, Business Manager at 973-247-1375.

For more information on reducing lead exposure around your home and the health effects of lead, visit EPA's Web site at **www.epa.gov/lead**, call the National Lead Information Center at 800-424-LEAD, or contact your health care provider.

If you are concerned about lead exposure at this facility or in your home, you may want to ask your health care providers about testing children to determine levels of lead in their blood.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Robert Scorzo".

Robert Scorzo
Director