

October 2, 2024

Dear KIPP West Philadelphia Preparatory Charter School Community,

As a part of KIPP Philadelphia Schools effort to provide students and staff with safe and accessible drinking water, water outlets at 5900 Baltimore Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19143 (a building shared with the School District of Philadelphia's Motivation High School) were tested for lead on September 18th, 2024. A trained technician collected samples from 6 water outlets and the samples were sent to an accredited Pennsylvania laboratory for analysis.

Test results showed all outlets were within the water safety threshold. As such no further action is necessary to provide safe drinking water to our students and staff. If there are any further actions taken on our part, more information will immediately be sent to you.

All test results for the spaces KIPP West students and staff occupy are shown below:

Sample Date	Outlet Description	Lead Result (ppb)	Action Limit (10 ppb)
09/18/2024	2 nd Floor Hydration Station outside of Main Office	<1.0	Below
09/18/2024	2 nd Floor Hydration Station outside of Music Room	<1.0	Below
09/18/2024	Hydration Station in Gym (Right)	<1.0	Below
09/18/2024	Hydration Station in Cafeteria	<1.0	Below
09/18/2024	Cafeteria Sink-Wash	4.409	Below
09/18/2024	Cafeteria Sink-Rinse	3.169	Below

Notes:

< - not detected above detection limit ppb - parts per billion

If you have any questions about lead in drinking water and impacts to children's health visit www.pennvestleadtestingprogram.com or you may contact me at any time. Other resources at your disposal are the Department of Health (DOH) Lead Information Line, 1-800-440-LEAD and the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP), Bureau of Safe Drinking Water (BSDW), Resource account, RA-EPWIINLEAD@pa.gov and phone number: 717-787-9633.

Sincerely,

Patrice Green
Director of Regional Operations