

Lead in Water Testing

Mankato Area Public Schools has conducted, and continues to conduct, Lead in Drinking Water testing per the Minnesota Department of Health's "Reducing Lead in Drinking Water: A Technical Guidance for Minnesota's School and Child Care Facilities" recommendations of every five years.

Minnesota Statute 121A.335 requires public school buildings serving pre-kindergarten through grade 12 to test for lead in water every 5 years. This statute also requires school districts to make the results of the testing available to the public for review and to notify parents of the availability of the information. Notification may be accomplished by publishing a statement in the "Back to School" newsletter or publication/website that is available to staff, students, parents and the public.

Mankato Area Public Schools is committed to providing a safe working and learning environment for employees and students. The district has developed a lead in water management plan and testing program that complies with Minnesota Statute 121A.3345, as well as recommendations from the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA's) Lead Contamination Control Act (LCCA) of 1988 and the Minnesota Department of Health (MDH), and Minnesota Department of Education (MDE).

For more information on Mankato Area Public Schools lead reduction and testing program or to view testing results, please contact the District Facility Office: 507-345-5311 or shogen1@isd77.org

Lead in Water Testing Schedule

2020/2025/2030 – Roosevelt & Washington Elementary, Lincoln Community Center

2021/2026/2031 – Eagle Lake & Kennedy Elementary, East High School

2022/2027/2032 – Prairie Winds Middle School, West High School, Central Office, Futures, Early Childhood Center

2023/2028/2033 – Hoover & Monroe Elementary, Dakota Meadows Middle School

2024/2029/2034 – Rosa Parks, Franklin, Bridges & Jefferson Elementary, Family Learning Center,