

## Good news from Brown Street Academy

Dear Brown Street Academy Families and Staff,

We hope you are enjoying the summer break. We are pleased to report that Brown Street Academy has passed its clearance tests for lead cleanup, and your school will be ready to welcome you back on the first day of classes in September.

After workers successfully renovated and painted surfaces to stabilize them, MPS staff thoroughly cleaned Brown Street Academy, and the City of Milwaukee Health Department (MHD) conducted its tests. MHD notified us on Thursday, July 24, that the building passed all its tests and is ready for occupancy.

### Opportunities to Have Questions Answered

You are welcome to attend an upcoming session of Superintendent Brenda Cassellius's Listen and Learn Tour. Please share your thoughts about MPS with her, and please feel free to ask her questions. See the tour schedule at [mpsmke.com/listenlearntour](https://mpsmke.com/listenlearntour). Childcare can be requested when you register for a session at the link.

Anyone can send their questions about lead to MPS at [lead@milwaukee.k12.wi.us](mailto:lead@milwaukee.k12.wi.us) or to the City of Milwaukee Health Department via the [MS Form](#).

### Next Steps

Milwaukee Public Schools has posted its lead action plan. You can find it on the [MPS Lead Report webpage](#), along with other information and updates.

Families are encouraged to see their child's healthcare provider or visit a pop-up clinic for routine lead screening if they have not done so already. The next lead-screening clinic for MPS students will be Tuesday, July 29, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at South Division High School, 1515 W. Lapham Blvd., Milwaukee. Appointments are not needed.

For further updates, clinic locations, and public health resources, visit [milwaukee.gov/MPS-Lead](https://milwaukee.gov/MPS-Lead) or [mpsmke.com/mpsleadreport](https://mpsmke.com/mpsleadreport). Additional resources are available at [milwaukee.gov/HEH](https://milwaukee.gov/HEH).

Thank you to every family member and every staff member for your understanding as we worked to ensure the safety of all at Brown Street Academy. We are looking forward to seeing all of our students and staff on the first day of school, Tuesday, September 2, 2025!

Sincerely,

Michael Harris

Chief of Staff