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Dear East Irondequoit CSD Parents/Guardians,

Public schools in New York State are required to test potable water outlets for lead contamination and to take action if lead levels exceed 15 micrograms per deciliter. The East Irondequoit Central School District first conducted a water testing program in April 2016. To remain in compliance with the Department of Health’s guidance, we conducted another round of water testing this spring. The testing was administered by LaBella Associates, DPC and the results are as follows:

School	Samples Collected	Exceedances
Helendale Road	63	14
Ivan Green	83	4
Durand Eastman	60	1
Laurelton Pardee	56	9
Middle School	116	0
Eastridge	132	6
DISTRICT TOTAL	510	34

Locations that exceed 15 micrograms per deciliter may still be used for cleaning and handwashing. These locations now have signage indicating that the outlet should only be used for these purposes. None of the locations that exceeded the required level were primary sources of consumable drinking water. Every water fountain and bottle refilling station in the district tested within the proper limit.

The safety of our students, staff and community is something that we take very seriously. While the New York State Department of Health and the Monroe County Department of Public Health do not think school drinking water is a significant source of lead, the steps we are taking fully comply with the state’s testing requirements. We will provide further information as it is warranted.

Thank you for all that you do for our students each and every day!

Sincerely,

Mary E. Grow
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