

Water Testing Results

Starting this school year, schools by law must now test for lead in its drinking water in schools pre-k through 5th grade. QCA Analytical Services, in LeClaire, IA and PDC laboratories in Peoria, IL were used to provide the water analysis. Any initial test that registers over 5 parts per billion requires a plan to rectify the lead content. The elementary, the pre-school and the middle school were tested. Attached are the results for the three sites. Each drinking fountain or sink required two samples. Two sites, one drinking fountain at FES and a kitchen sink at FES had inconsistent results between the two samples. The two sites were retested and the no inconsistencies were found and both sites met the standards. Overall, all drinking faucets and sinks at the three schools met the standards and were under the 5 parts per billion.

Click on this link to learn more about this law:

<http://www.dph.illinois.gov/topics-services/environmental-health-protection/lead-in-water>