Hamilton-Wentworth Catholic District School Board

2018 Lead in water school testing summary

Since 2007, Ontario law has required child care centres and schools to flush their plumbing and test their drinking water for lead. Standing and flushed water sampling was conducted in HWCDSB schools in June 2018 to test for lead in water used for drinking and in the preparation of food. A flushed sample is taken after the plumbing has been in use, while a standing sample is taken after the water has been sitting in the pipes overnight. Schools whose water samples have met the Ontario drinking water quality standard for lead of 10 PPB (10 μ g/L) or under are deemed to be in compliance of Ontario Regulation 243/07 of the Safe Drinking Water Act (2002).

School	Compliance	Exceedance	Details
Annunciation of Our Lord CES	*		
Blessed Sacrament CES		1	• 12.2 µg/L standing sample of kitchen flush point FP2 (not used for human consumption). Remedial action: continue daily flushing for min. 2 years; replace plumbing fixture and re-test.
Canadian Martyrs CES	*		
Corpus Christi CES	*		
Guardian Angels CES	*		
Holy Name of Jesus CES	*		
Holy Name of Mary CES	*		
Immaculate Conception CES	*		
Immaculate Heart of Mary CES	*		
Our Lady of the Assumption CES	*		
Our Lady of Lourdes CES	*		
Our Lady of Mount Carmel CES	*		
Our Lady of Peace CES	*		
Regina Mundi CES		1	• 79.8 µg/L standing sample of custodial sink FP1 (not used for human consumption). Remedial action: begin daily flushing for min. 2 years; replace plumbing fixture and re-test.
Sacred Heart of Jesus CES	*		
St. Agnes CES	*		
St. Ann (Ancaster) CES	*		

St. Ann (Hamilton) CES	*		
St. Anthony Daniel CES	*		
St. Augustine CES	*		
St. Bernadette CES	*		
St. Clare of Assisi CES	*		
St. David CES	*		
St. Eugene CES	*		
St. Francis Xavier CES	*		
St. Gabriel CES	*		
St. James the Apostle CES		3	 10.3 μg/L standing sample of Kindergarten fountain F3 14.5 μg/L standing sample of fountain F4 16.2 μg/L standing sample flush point FP (not used for human consumption). Remedial action: begin daily flushing for min. 2 years; replace plumbing fixtures and re-test.
St. Joachim CES	*		
St. John Paul II CES	*		
St. John the Baptist CES	*		
St. Joseph CES	*		
St. Kateri Tekakwitha CES	*		
St. Lawrence CES	*		
St. Luke CES	*		
St. Margaret Mary CES	*		
St. Marguerite d'Youville CES	*		
St. Mark CES	*		
St. Martin of Tours CES	*		
St. Matthew CES	*		
St. Michael CES	*		
St. Patrick CES	*		
St. Paul CES	*		
Sts. Peter and Paul CES	*		
St. Teresa of Avila CES	*		
St. Teresa of Calcutta CES	*		
St. Thérèse of Lisieux CES	*		

St. Thomas the Apostle CES	*	
St. Vincent de Paul CES	*	
Bishop Ryan CSS	*	
Bishop Tonnos CSS	*	
Cardinal Newman CSS	*	
Cathedral HS	*	
St. Jean de Brébeuf CSS	*	
St. Mary CSS	*	
St. Thomas More CSS	*	