

2020-2021 School Year Survey - Public Charter Schools

Dear School Representative:

The Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE) Water Supply Program is conducting a short (11 question) electronic survey to update Maryland school information and to identify the numbers of school buildings located at each school. The result of the survey will help us facilitate measures that can improve the quality of the drinking water via appropriate flushing recommendations in school buildings with limited water use during the 2020-2021 school year, and to help us better assist schools subject to lead testing under Maryland's House Bill 270 in their lead testing efforts.

We are requesting that you complete this brief survey by December 31, 2020 11:59PM EST.

Please note that if you manage a school with multiple locations/campuses, the survey must be filled out for each school location/campus.

It is important to note that once started the survey cannot be saved so it must be completed and submitted in one sitting.

Thank you for your assistance.

*** Required**

School Name *

Your answer _____

Lowest Grade Served *

Please select the lowest grade (NOT age) served at this school.

Choose ▼

Highest Grade Served *

Please select the highest grade (NOT age) served at this school.

Choose ▼

School ID *

Please select "Other" and enter the school ID in the following format: XX-XXXX. If unsure, please select "Unsure/Unknown".

Unsure/Unknown

Other: _____



County *

Please select the county in which this school is located.

Choose

Physical Street Address of this School *

Your answer

City *

Your answer

State *

Your answer

Zip Code *

Your answer

Mailing Address of this School (if different from the physical address)

Your answer

Phone Number of this School *

Your answer

Website of this School *

Please include http:// or https://. Please enter "None" if this school does not have a website.

Your answer

Name of Main Contact Person (e.g., Principal, Director, Head of School, President, etc.) at this School *

Your answer



Title/Position of Main Contact Person at this School *

Please provide title/position of the main contact person within this school.

Your answer

Phone Number of Main Contact Person at this School *

Your answer

Email Address of Main Contact Person at this School *

Your answer

Your Name *

Your answer

Your Title/Position within this School *

Your answer

Your Telephone Number *

Your answer

Your Email Address *

Your answer

Date of Survey Completed *

Date

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Public, charter, and nonpublic schools serving children in any grade from PreK to 12 that receive drinking water from a public utility are required to test for lead in drinking water under Maryland's regulations, "Testing for Lead in Drinking Water - Public and Nonpublic Schools" (House Bill 270).

For more information on Maryland's regulations, please visit https://mde.maryland.gov/programs/Water/water_supply/Pages/Testing-For-Lead-In-Drinking-Water-Public-and-Nonpublic-Schools.aspx.

1. Does this school receive water from a public water utility? *

If Yes, please select "Other" and provide the name of the public water utility provider. This information can be found in the quarterly water bill (often located in a letterhead) that this school receives from the public water utility. For example: City of Baltimore.

- No, this school has its own well and does not receive water from a public water utility.
- Other: _____

2. Please select the school year during which this school performed the most recent standard testing for lead under Maryland's House Bill 270. *

- 2017 - 2018 School Year
- 2018 - 2019 School Year
- 2019 - 2020 School Year
- 2020 - 2021 School Year
- Not Applicable (because this school has not yet conducted lead testing under Maryland's House Bill 270)
- Not Applicable (because this school is currently using water from its own individual well and is subject to testing for lead under federal Lead and Copper Rule)

3. If this school has NOT conducted lead testing under Maryland's House Bill 270 in the past, did the school apply for a testing deferral or a waiver? Please select all that apply. *

- No, the school has not applied for any testing deferrals or waivers
- Yes, the school has applied for a 12-Month Deferral
- Yes, the school has applied for a 3-Year Deferral
- Yes, the school has applied for a Waiver Type 1 - Prior Testing
- Yes, the school has applied for a Waiver Type 2 - Bottled Water
- Yes, the school has applied for a Waiver Type 3 - Lead-Free Building
- Not Applicable (because this school has conducted lead testing under Maryland's House Bill 270 in the past)
- Not Applicable (because this school is currently using water from its own individual well and is subject to testing for lead under federal Lead and Copper Rule)

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4. Does this school share a building with another school or childcare center (not including before/after school programs)? *

If yes, please select "Other" and provide the name(s) of the school(s) or licensed Child Care Center(s) with which this school shares a building. If there are multiple other schools, please separate the other school names by a semicolon. For example: School Name 1; School Name 2; School Name 3

No

Other: _____

5. Does this school have any special education classrooms? *

Yes

No

6. How many school buildings, including portable classrooms (e.g., portables, cottages, pods, trailers, etc.) and administrative buildings, does this school have? Only include the portable classrooms that have interior plumbing (i.e., piped water). *

For the purpose of this survey, a wing or an area of a building is not considered an individual school building unless it has a separate water service line (from the water main to a building) and interior plumbing.

Your answer _____

7. If this school has more than one school building (as described in question 6), please list the names of all the school buildings.

Please list the names of the school buildings separated by a semicolon. For example: Building 1; Building 2; Building 3

Your answer _____

8. Does this school have portable classrooms (e.g., portables, cottages, pods, trailers, etc.) that have interior plumbing (i.e., piped water)? *

Yes

No



9. Does this school have any school buildings used solely for administrative purposes (i.e., not used by any students)? *

Yes

No

10. Please provide the year in which the oldest school building was constructed. *

If unsure, please visit <https://sdat.dat.maryland.gov/RealProperty/Pages/default.aspx> ("Primary Structure Built" can be found under "Location & Structure Information" on search result page).

Your answer _____

11. Please provide the year in which the newest school building was constructed.

(The answer can be the same as the answer to the previous question) *

If unsure, please visit <https://sdat.dat.maryland.gov/RealProperty/Pages/default.aspx> ("Primary Structure Built" can be found under "Location & Structure Information" on search result page).

Your answer _____

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