

Lead Safeguards

Montgomery County Protocols for Safeguarding Drinking Water Sources For display in prominent locations in each school.

- All designated sources of drinking water are flushed every four hours each day, prior to students entering the building and continuing while the building is open for public use, until further notice.
 - Electric water coolers are flushed for 15 minutes every four hours.
 - All other designated drinking water sources— such as kitchen sink faucets and water bubblers—are flushed for 60 seconds every four hours.
- Students and staff are prohibited from using drinking water sources that have not been flushed appropriately, until further notice.
- The spigots on all drinking water sources that are not being flushed are covered and prevented from use, until further notice.
- Restroom sinks may be used for hand washing.