Dear Sunset Families,

As part of the Oregon Health Authority's Healthy and Safe Schools Plan, Oregon schools are required to test the quality of drinking water every five years to ensure safety for staff and students.

To ensure the safety of drinking water, a total of 74 water sources were tested at Sunset Primary last week. Results were received on Tuesday, Aug. 14, indicating all 74 test locations are below the permissible exposure limits for lead. Two fixtures did exceed the permissible limit for copper, however, with readings of 2,750 parts per billion and 6,330 parts per billion.

The actionable level for lead is 20 parts per billion, and the actionable level for copper is 1,350 parts per billion.

The two fixtures have been retested with results expected by Monday, Aug. 20. If those tests confirm the elevated levels, the fixtures will be replaced followed by additional testing. This process will be completed before the first day of school on Aug. 27.

Water at Sunset Primary was last tested in 2016, but this is the first test since the new school was completed. For more information, or to view the full list of results, please visit the <u>district</u> <u>website</u>.