



Santiam Canyon School District 129J

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HEALTHY AND SAFE SCHOOLS PLAN

Introduction

Sections 1-7 of this plan set forth the required elements of a Healthy and Safe Schools. The final section of this plan, section 8, is not required. Section 8 allows districts, education service districts, and public charter schools to include additional elements that are not required but may be important to that particular community.

The model Healthy and Safe Schools plan is intended to be a guide and, if used, will be modified by the school district, education service district, or public charter school. School districts, education service districts, and public charter schools are not required to use the Department of Education's model plan. A school district, education service district, or public charter school may adopt any plan that complies with the requirements or OAR 581-022-2223.

1. Responsible Person

OAR 581-022-2223(5)(a) states that the Healthy and Safe Schools Plan must include the position within the school district's or public charter school's administration responsible for maintaining and implementing the Healthy and Safe Schools Plan.

The person responsible for maintaining and implementing the Healthy and Safe Schools Plan is:

Name: Todd Miller
Position: Superintendent
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2. List of Buildings

OAR 581-022-2223(5)(b) states that the Healthy and Safe Schools Plan must include a list of all facilities that are included in the Healthy and Safe Schools Plan.

This plan covers the following buildings:

Building Name	Building Address
Santiam Elementary School	450 SW Evergreen St. Mill City, OR 97360
Santiam Junior/Senior High School	465 SW Evergreen St. Mill City, OR 97360

3. Radon

OAR 581-022-2223(5)(c) states that the Healthy and Safe Schools Plan must include a plan to test for elevated levels of radon as required under ORS 332.167. Note: radon measurement plans from school districts were due to OHA on September 1, 2016.

Radon measurement resources for schools:

- Oregon Health Authority's radon measurement protocol, tools, and plan submission information are located here:
<http://public.health.oregon.gov/HealthyEnvironments/HealthyNeighborhoods/RadonGas/Pages/Testing-in-Schools-.aspx>*
- Oregon School Boards Association (OSBA) has a generic plan (based on OHA's protocol) that may be used to satisfy the requirement if printed out on district letterhead and signed by district staff. It is located here:
http://www.osba.org/News%20Center/Announcements/2016-07-18_RadonTestingPlan.aspx*

The district has developed a radon plan as required by ORS 332.167. Community members can access a copy of the radon plan on our website. Test results will be made public and posted to the district website.

4. Lead in Drinking water

ORAR 581-022-2223(5)(d) states that the Healthy and Safe Schools Plan must include a plan to test for and reduce exposure to lead in water used for drinking or food preparation. If the district, education service district, or public charter school does conduct lead testing of drinking water, an Oregon Health Authority accredited lab must be used for all testing.

The Oregon Department of Education and the Oregon Health Authority recommend that all school districts and childcare facilities test for lead in school water and take corrective action if lead levels are elevated.

In developing a plan to test for and reduce exposure to lead in water used for drinking or food preparation, the following components will be adhered to by Santiam Canyon School District, and are recommended by the Oregon Department of Education and the Oregon Health Authority:

- 1. **Identify sources of lead:** Santiam Canyon School District will test all taps at Santiam Elementary School, Santiam Junior/Senior High School, cafeteria and the district office used for drinking or food preparation in the building to identify any lead problems. Follow the Environmental Protection Agency's 3 T's Revised Technical Guidance to ensure that samples for lead are collected properly and from the right places. Use an OHA-accredited drinking water laboratory to analyze samples for lead.*
- 2. **Stop access:** Prevent access to water taps that have more than 20 parts per billion (ppb) of lead. This will include shutting off taps, covering water fountains, and providing bottled water to students and staff members.*
- 3. **Communicate:** Make results from tests for lead in water available to students, families, and the community as quickly as possible.*
- 4. **Mitigate and correct:** Replace the sources of lead in building plumbing. Again, EPA 3T's Guidance will be followed.*
- 5. **Ongoing monitoring:** All identified taps will be tested during the 2016-17 school year. Additionally, all identified taps will be reassessed every 10 years, or unless a new concern arises in the meantime.*

5. Lead Paint

ORAR 581-022-2223(5)(e) states that the Healthy and Safe Schools Plan must include a plan to reduce exposure to lead paint that includes the following compliance with the United States Environmental Protection Agency's Renovation, Repair and Painting Program Rule.

The Renovation, Repair and Painting Program Rule requires that individuals and firms conducting renovation, repair and painting projects on pre-1978 homes and "child-

occupied facilities” be certified to follow lead-safe work practices. “Child-occupied facilities” is defined in OAR 333-070-0085.

For more information on the Renovation, Repair and Painting Program Rule, you can visit the following website:

<https://public.health.oregon.gov/HealthyEnvironments/HealthyNeighborhoods/LeadPoisoning/ChildCareSchools/Pages/RulesforRenovating.aspx>

In order to comply with the United States Environmental Protection Agency’s Renovation, Repair and Painting Program Rule, the district will only contract with certified lead based paint renovation contractors licensed by the Oregon Construction Contractors Board.

6. Integrated Pest Management

OAR 581-022-2223(5)(f) states that the Healthy and Safe Schools Plan must include a plan to implement integrated pest management (IPM) practices as required under ORS 634.700 through 634.750.

The district has adopted an integrated pest management plan as required by ORS 634.700 through 634.750. Community members can access a copy of the IPM plan on the district website.

7. Communication

OAR 581-022-2223(5)(g) states that the Healthy and Safe Schools Plan must include a plan to communicate results for all tests performed in accordance with the Healthy and Safe Schools Plan that includes the following:

- *The school district or public charter school must make all test results available to the public within five business days of receiving the results;*
- *The school district or public charter school must make the results available to the public by posting the results on the school district or public charter school website, sending notice of the results over the email system, and making the results available in hardcopy at the main administration office; and*
- *The school district or public charter school must provide detailed information explaining the test results.*

The district will make all test results and detailed information explaining the test results available to the public within five business days of receiving the results. Results will be made available by posting the results on the district website and making the results available in hardcopy at the main administration office.