

ISLAND TREES UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT
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Dear Parents/Guardians:

I am writing to inform you that today it was determined that about twenty bottles of glazing compound used in the high school art room for firing ceramics in the 3-D design class contain lead. These bottles were ordered from the Sax Arts & Crafts catalog as we do each year.

As a precaution, art classes were conducted in another location. The bottles were removed and a professional company was called in to test the room. Next steps will be determined based on the test results. I will keep you informed.

Please know that safety of our students and staff is an important priority. If you have any questions, please contact me on 516 520-2100.

Sincerely,

James Parla
Superintendent of Schools