



SIMSBURY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Dear Parents/Guardians and Staff of Simsbury Public Schools,

Please be informed that radon testing will be conducted at all seven schools from March 7, 2022 through March 11, 2022.

In accordance with Connecticut General Statute 10-220(d), schools are required to inspect and evaluate the indoor air quality of school buildings. As part of this inspection and evaluation, we are required to test for radon while our schools are in session every 5 years after the initial testing which was completed in 2007.

TRC Environmental Corp. will conduct the radon testing. To test for radon in the air, small canisters containing activated charcoal will be placed in selected occupied rooms that are in contact with the ground. These canisters will be left in place for three school days and will be retrieved on the fourth day. TRC will prepare a report of the testing upon receipt of the test results. In the event that high radon levels are found, steps will be taken to correct the problem using methods suggested by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (US EPA).

For further information, please visit the website below or contact the State of Connecticut Department of Public Health Radon Program at (860) 509-7367.

[Radon In Schools \(ct.gov\)](http://radon.ct.gov)

Should you have any questions please contact Mr. Andrew O'Brien, Director of Operations at (860) 491-4557. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Matthew T. Curtis
Superintendent of Schools

cc: School Principals
Andrew O'Brien, Director of Operations

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