

It was wonderful seeing so many students and their families today at our Open House. We are looking forward to our students' arrival on Monday, August 29! We are excited for Monday and are anxious to get the year off to a great start.

As promised, please see below a status update of the work being performed here at Pointers Run Elementary as a result of Howard County Government hiring an independent contractor to conduct an assessment of our school's air quality in June.

PRES Recommendations	Status Update August 26, 2016
A reassessment of classroom 3126, which should focus on evaluating moisture content of various building materials.	Completed
Opening up the wall and/or ceiling cavities associated with any identified moist materials and completing a thorough visual inspection of the cavities in classroom 3126.	In progress

As a reminder, our building services staff has these recommendations and will be implementing all of them. Status updates will be provided every Friday, as the recommendations remain "in-progress." If you would like to read the entire list of recommendations and supplemental information provided by the contractor, they can be found on our school's website under About – Indoor Environmental Quality.

Again, I want to assure you that our building and our portables are safe for students and staff. We are looking forward to seeing our students on Monday, August 29.

Sincerely,

Lenore Schiff, Principal