



ON THE SCENE WITH DR. GREEN

Marbut Theme School - September 13, 2018

Community Questions and Answers

1. What is DCSD doing to address the mold issue at Marbut Theme School?

Our Hazardous Waste team responded promptly to the work-order initiated on August 23rd. On September 4th, our team performed a thorough cleaning and disinfection of the band room and instructed school-based maintenance staff regarding proper replacement of ceiling tiles, doorframe cleaning, monitoring of HVAC systems, routine visual building inspections, etc. Further, we are pleased to report that a Sampling for Total Airborne Fungi study, conducted at the facility on September 10th by Compass Environmental, Inc., has shown findings of the air quality within the normal range. Moving forward, the school Principal and school-based custodial staff will monitor humidity levels and advise the District of any additional and/or subsequent concerns.

2. Is it possible for Marbut Theme School to be rebuilt? Many of its issues seem to be structural?

DCSD is always exploring ways to improve the conditions of its buildings. At present, the reconstruction of Marbut is not included in the list of E-SPLOST projects. We are confident the building is a safe and effective learning environment for students.