

Montgomery Township School District

January 2, 2022

Dear Montgomery Township School District Community,

The purpose of this letter is to provide you with up-to-date information on the impact the increase in Covid cases has had on the district. There has been a significant increase in reported cases in the township and among our staff since the last district communication (December 30, 2021), or any individual school communications sent as recently as today.

Please see below for each school's mode of instruction and schedule for Monday, January 3, 2022. The district administration will meet again in the morning to assess the number of students and staff impacted and will send another communication tomorrow, Monday, January 3, 2022.

Montgomery High School: Due to the number of reported students and staff impacted as of today, the high school will operate on a <u>FULL</u> <u>DAY_VIRTUAL_SCHEDULE</u> beginning tomorrow, Monday, January 3, 2022, through Friday, January 7, 2022.

- MHS STUDY HALL: Students do not sign in for study hall.
- MHS ATHLETICS: Will remain in person.
- MHS AFTER SCHOOL MUSIC REHEARSALS: WIll remain in person.
- MHS AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS: Will be virtual.

Breakfast and lunch for MHS students will be available for self-service pickup in a refrigerator located outside the main entrance to the school each day this week between the hours of 12:00-2:00.

Breakfast and lunch for MHS students will also be available for pickup between 2:15-2:45 on Tuesday (1/4/22) and Thursday (1/6/22) via a district bus that will be parked at both the Blue Spring (near tennis courts) and Pike Run (near rec center) locations. Tuesday's distribution will include breakfast and lunch for both 1/3/22 and 1/4/22 and Thursday's distribution will include breakfast and lunch for 1/5/22, 1/6/22, and 1/7/22.

Upper Middle School: Full-day, IN-PERSON instruction for Monday, January 3, 2022. Lunch will return to team lunches that are reduced in time and in the number of students.

<u>UMS Schedule w/ Modified Lunches</u>. Extracurricular activities will continue in-person with added mitigation strategies.



Lower Middle School: Full-day IN-PERSON instruction for Monday, January 3, 2022.

Village Elementary School: Full-day, IN-PERSON instruction for Monday, January 3, 2022.

Orchard Hill Elementary School: Full-day, IN-PERSON instruction for Monday, January 3, 2022.

As a reminder, if your child tests positive for Covid they must quarantine for ten days. Please contact the school nurse for further guidance on when your child can return to school. If your child is symptomatic and you are unable to secure a test, please assume they are positive, remain home and contact the school nurse for further guidance.

Thank you for your patience and understanding during this time.

Sincerely,

Mary E. McLoughlin Superintendent