



MIDLAND BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

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**Mr. Sean Tanner, Superintendent
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Dear Families of Midland Elementary-Middle School Students:

The Midland Borough School District is pleased to announce that the week of Monday, March 15, 2021, we will begin a blended model of instruction where students will continue with remote instruction on Mondays then attend in-person academic instruction four days a week Tuesdays through Fridays. This schedule will not affect the instruction of the LOLA (Leopards Online Learning Academy) students.

As you may know, Governor Wolf announced that teachers and school employees will be moving up on the state's priority list to receive the COVID-19 vaccine. After careful consideration of the benefits of in-person academic instruction, we have determined that at this time we can bring our students back in the building four days a week. We will continue to follow the CDC recommended guidelines for cleaning and sanitization of our building, social distancing, and all students/school personnel must properly wear a mask (nose and mouth must be covered) while on school property.

If your child or someone in your family becomes ill or needs to quarantine, please contact our school nurse, Beth Calahan, at 724-643-8650 ext. 215. Please keep children home who are not feeling well. Students must be symptom free without any medication for their illness for 24 hours before they can return to school. Students can attend their classes virtually and remain on track with their academics from home. These endeavors will allow us to continue every effort to keep the MBSD students and staff safe and to mitigate the risk of contracting COVID-19.

Meals will continue to be available for children while school is in session. We are also providing bulk meal kits for *all* children ages 18 and under. Please contact Yvette Jester in the cafeteria at 724-643-8650 ext. 238 to pre-order for pick-up at the school. Meal kit pick-ups are on Mondays at 10:45 am – 11:45 am and 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm at the lower bus doors on Ohio Avenue.

I would like to express on behalf of our Board of Education, faculty, and staff, our sincere appreciation for your continued patience, understanding, and support. Do not hesitate to contact the school office at 724-643-8650 if you have any questions or concerns. Please stay safe and take care.

Very truly yours,

Sean D. Tanner
Superintendent

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	GRADES 6TH – 8TH	GRADES 3RD – 5TH	GRADES K4 – 2ND
ARRIVAL TIME	8:00 AM	8:20 AM	8:40 AM
DISMISSAL TIME	2:15 PM	2:35 PM	2:55 PM