Madison Public Schools

Return to Learning Plan

2020-21

* The district’s number one priority is the safety and well-being of all the students and staff at Madison Public Schools. Pending the Directed Health Measure in August of 2020, the district’s current plan is to start school using our original district calendar and operating as normal as possible while following recommended CDC and Local Health Department Risk Dial for our area. If the district is unable to start school as normal on August 12 and has to limit the number of students and staff in our buildings this fall, we will be using **Modified half capacity Blended learning Plan or Full online learning when Madison County is identified in the Red/Severe Risk level.** During the 2020-2021 school year, there might be a short-term closure or a long-term closure because of a COVID-19 outbreak in our area. We are encouraging parents to plan for these scenarios this school year. If this were to occur, we using the Plan listed below to respond to Covid-19. If it would be a long-term closure, we will distribute Technology devices to all students in grades PK-12.

**Green/Low Risk:**

* **Standard Operating Procedure**
* **Practice good hygiene**
* **Regular cleaning procedures**

**Yellow/Moderate Risk:**

* **Temperature checks in buildings and buses**
* **Practicing Social Distancing throughout the School District**
* **Drinking fountains closed**
* **Masks are encouraged but not required**
* **Extra cleaning procedures**
* **Classrooms are spread out with all desks facing the same direction**
* **Lunch and Breakfast routines adjusted**
* **Arrival and dismissal staggered**
* **No academic field trips**
* **Follow NSAA recommendations for athletics and activities**
* **After-school program continues w/guidelines**

**Orange/Elevated Risk:**

* **Continue all Moderate Risk measures**
* **Masks provided and required; face shields provided for teachers**
* **Social distancing enforced**
* **Schedule adjustments**
* **Dismissal protocol**
* **Passing time adjusted**
* **Restroom usage staged**
* **No visitors or outside groups**
* **Follow NSAA recommendations**
* **K-8 technology device sent home daily/cleaned according to tech department guidance**
* **After-school capacity reduced**
* **Multiple temperature checks daily**

**Red/Severe Risk:**

* **Continue all moderate risk measures**
* **Modified half capacity Blended learning Plan**
* **Each building has 50% attendance daily**
* **Students attend 2-3 times weekly**
* **Students continue full schedules with exploratories/specials**
* **Students will complete online assignments on “home-learning” days**
* **Grades will count towards credit**
* **IEP’s will be followed**

**OR**

**Full online learning if directed by NDE/local health department/Governor.**