

Mooresville Schools

Tackling Senior Social Media Tradition

Continues

Parents and students have increasingly shared concerns with school administrators, officers, and staff about inappropriate social media accounts and posts. While the majority of these posts are created outside of school hours and school property, they can create a significant disruption to the school day and in some cases violate school policy.

Students who see or learn about a page or post that is a concern should let a trusted adult know right away about the issue. They, their parents, and community members are welcome to report the issue to school administrators either directly or through the

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The MHS Class of '23 completed one of their first senior traditions with the painting of their personalized parking spots throughout the school lot. Students showed off their individuality with pop culture references, inspirational quotes, patriotic artwork, and more. Find drone footage showing all of the senior parking spots here.



Calendar Reminders

There will be no school Monday, Sept. 5, due to the Labor Day holiday. Also, Wednesday, Sept. 14, will be an eLearning Day for all students. Students will have online assignments that day while teachers and staff take part in training.

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Social Media

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school's <u>QuickTips</u> reporting system (learn more about it on p. 3). School administrators and officers will do their best to resolve the situation, but additional help is needed.

Anyone who is on a social media channel and sees an inappropriate post should report the post or the page through the social media platform's reporting system. The more times a post or page is flagged, the more likely it will be reviewed by the platform quickly and a decision made.

Most importantly, those who are on the social media platform should not follow the channel or share the offensive content. Channels with fewer followers are not as likely to be found by others.

Find more social media and gaming channel reporting links and more internet safety links on the MooresvilleSchools.org Parents webpage.

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adulted.info/student-enrollment
and choose the
Mooresville High School location!

Quick Links to report social media concerns

In addition to reporting school-related concerns to administrators or the <u>Mooresville Schools</u>

<u>QuickTips system</u>, please report offensive content to the platform itself.



Instagram

- Instagram Safety Center: Report Instagram Accounts
- Ways to Report Someone/Something, a Comment, or a Message & Community Guidelines



Fortnite

In-game reporting guide for bad behavior of players



Roblox

 How to Report a User, a User-Created Advertisement (+ etc)



Snapchat

- Report a Safety Problem
- · Quick-Guide to Snapchat Reporting



TikTok

 Report a problem (video, comment, direct message, someone, a sound, etc.)



Twitter

- How to report violations on Twitter
- Report a List, Tweet, or Direct Message
- Report sensitive media within tweets

Please note that offensive content can be reported more than once if the concern breaks multipe rules.

Information courtesy of #ICanHelp

Additional resources available at <u>MooresvilleSchools.org</u> Parents webpage



Sept. 1, 2022

News Briefs

Anonymous Safety Tip Line:

Mooresville Schools has an anonymous safety tip reporting system for students or community members to share school safety concerns. The online form includes a checkbox for the school affected, an area to report the concern, and an option to share photos or other files. These can be shared anonymously or there is an optional area

to include contact information for follow-up communication. Find the link on any

school's website menu, on the Health/Safety page of the website or <u>click here</u>.



Upcoming Events

Sept. 5 DistrictLabor Day- No School

Sept. 7 Newby PTO Meeting 6p.m.

Sept. 23 NewbyGame Night and Book
Fair 5:30-7:30p.m.

Sept. 23 District
Homecoming

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Online Payment Options: Parents

who would like an online option can pay schools fees through Skyward. Money can be added (as needed or on a monthly schedule) to a student's lunch account, pay for required book fees such as book rental or optional fees (club memberships, etc.). Log into your child's Skyward Account to check the options. Contact your child's school office for more information

or with any questions about payments.





Community Information & Fliers: Nonprofit organizations in the Mooresville school district area with activities for school-age students may share their fliers through Mooresville Schools. Fliers will be posted on the school website with a link to the weekly *Pioneer Blast*. Current fliers include:

<u>-Upward Junior Basketball & Cheer League</u>

- -Girl Scouts Anderson Orchard Fishing Event
- -Illuminate Walk & Family Event
- -Patriot's Pen Middle School Essay Contest
- -Voice of Democracy High School Essay Contest



Health Services Protocols

Please Note: These protocols reflect current guidance from federal, state, and local health officials. Should guidance change, school protocols will be updated to reflect current information. 8/8/22

The safety and well-being of our students and staff are of utmost importance. We appreciate everyone's help with the following:

- Masks are welcome in any situation.
- Close contact and quarantine guidance will be followed in accordance with <u>Indiana Code</u> 16-41-2-1.
- Increased cleaning and disinfection remain in place. School air filtration systems meet or exceed all requirements for fresh air circulation.
- Home test kits are available through health services at your school. Testing is encouraged if your child is a close contact or is symptomatic for COVID-19. PCR, rapid tests, or alternate physician diagnoses are accepted by the school. Families MUST share positive test result documents or photo of test with name and date with your school's Student Health Services so your child's absence can be coded as COVID-19 related.
- Extracurricular (EC) activities will follow MCHD, IHSAA, and ISSMA guidance.

COVID-19 Positive Case Isolation & Contact Tracing Guidance

Positive Test - Isolation: Anyone who tests positive must stay home days 1-5 (date of symptoms or asymptomatic test is day "0") and may return to school day 6 if fever-free* and symptoms are resolving. We encourage those returning follow CDC guidance and be masked from days 6-10.

Close Contact Protocols - Regardless of Vaccination Status: Close contacts may remain in school as long as asymptomatic and negative. If symptoms develop, testing is recommended. CDC guidelines recommend wearing a mask for 10 days (last day of contact is day "0"). Testing on day 5 is recommended.

Best Practices

Proper hand washing

is the best way to limit the spread of germs. Students have many opportunities each day to wash hands and use sanitizer.

Monitoring student health each day is crucial. Students with signs of illness (including but not limited to: fever*, vomiting, diarrhea, cough, sore throat, and loss of taste or smell) should not come to school. Symptomatic students are encouraged to test for COVID-19.

Vaccinations

are recommended by the CDC for all students.

When in doubt,

stay home and contact school health services or the Morgan County Health Department (765-342-6621) for guidance.

Additional resources

are available through the following: www.Coronavirus.IN.gov

www.cdc.gov/coronavirus

www.MooresvilleSchools.org/departments/health/safety

Returning to School After Illness

Please call your school's Student Health Services for information about health-related issues. Please be aware of Mooresville Schools' policies on returning to school after illness:

- Students sent home with a diarrhea or vomiting must remain out of school for 24 hours.
- Students sent home with fever* must be fever-free at least 24 hours without the use of fever-reducing medication such as Tylenol.
- Students who have a sore throat, cough, loss of taste or smell, or other signs of illness should not return to school until symptoms are improved.

*Mooresville Schools follow Indiana Department of Health recommendations, which classify a fever as a temperature of 100.4 degrees or greater. Students sent home with a fever must remain out of school for a minumum of 24 hours.