



MUNCY SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Muncy Family,

I hope this letter finds you and your family in good health.

Since the Order by the Department of Health was issued on August 31st, I have been trying to get as much information as possible to share with you before Labor Day Weekend. Unfortunately, since the Order is only a few days old, getting timely clarification is difficult and remains fluid. In fact, while writing this letter I became aware that PDE plans to issue additional clarification at some point today. It is my sincere hope the content of this letter will not be impacted by those clarifications. Clarifications are expected in the following areas: (a) how parents may claim a medical exception, (b) how to handle student refusal to comply with the Order and (c) making it clear that schools are required to enforce the [Order](#).

In attempting to navigate this difficult landscape, our hope is to keep our focus squarely on education. As required by the Order, all of our buildings will have signs posted stating masks are required to enter the building. On Tuesday, September 7th students may comply with the Order as follows: (a) by wearing a face covering as described by the Order or (b) by providing a Muncy School District Exemption form signed by a parent or guardian. The signed exemption form provides the parent up to seven (7) days or until Tuesday, September 14th to provide the medical documentation necessary in order for the mask exemption to continue to remain valid and should be given to the appropriate personnel upon entry into the building. Parents will be contacted to pick up their child(ren) from school if not in compliance with either of the two aforementioned items. The following link provides access to the form: [Muncy School District Medical Exemption Form](#).

Last school year exemplified how our TRIBE is a supportive community that helps each other experience success. I am confident we can work together once again this school year to make for a great 2021-2022 school year for all.

Please let us know if you have any questions or concerns by e-mailing or calling the individuals listed below. We will work as quickly as possible to answer individual inquiries.

1. For questions related to **home education and district related questions** and concerns, please contact Linda Kneedler at lkneedler@muncysd.org or 570-546-3125 ext. 2040
2. For questions related to **our online learning academy**, please contact Erik Berthold at eberthold@muncysd.org or 570-546-3125 ext. 3260

3. For **high school** related questions and concerns, please contact Nicole Edwards at nedwards@muncysd.org or 570-546-3125 ext. 3220
4. For **elementary school** related questions and concerns, please contact Vickie Conner at vconner@muncysd.org or 570-546-3125 ext. 1100
5. For **health services** related questions and concerns, please contact Jay Drumheller at jdrumheller@muncysd.org or 570-546-3125 ext. 1160
6. For **special education** related questions and concerns, please contact Cheryl Good at cgood@muncysd.org or 570-546-3125 ext. 1250
7. For **food service** related questions and concerns, please contact Tom Kuntz at tkuntz@muncysd.org or 570-546-3125 ext. 1120
8. For **athletic** related questions and concerns, please contact Curt Chilson at cchilson@muncysd.org or 570-546-3125 ext. 3630
9. For **transportation** related questions and concerns, please contact Kay Buck at kay@susquehannabus.com or 570-935-0542
10. For questions and concerns related to **cleaning products or cleaning procedures**, please contact Jerry Knier at jknier@muncysd.org or 570-546-3125 ext. 3720
11. For questions and concerns related to **technology**, please contact Chris Frey at cfrey@muncysd.org or 570-546-3125 ext. 7777

Stay Safe, Stay Healthy, Stay Strong!

Sincerely,



Craig R. Skaluba, Ph.D.
Superintendent