



Malta Public Schools

"Home of the Mustangs & M-Ettes"

"A Tradition of Excellence"

Malta LE#0659

Safe Return Plan

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Malta Public COVID-19 Protocols

Safety and Health Measures

- Food services provided onsite for all students -- with staggering lunches and breakfast for all buildings.
- Teachers will utilize assigned seats and will socially distance as much as possible within the classroom.
- Students rotate through schedules and routines as normal.
- Parental involvement in health screening required before school entry (parents screen students before sending them off to school).
- Hand Sanitizing stations will be available upon entrance of school building and classrooms
- Handwashing and germ transmission prevention pro-actively taught and frequently encouraged.
- Frequent sanitizing of physical space and equipment
- Public access to schools available -- this means visitors are welcome to enter the school
- The wearing of facial coverings in the building is optional
- The CDC is requiring masks to be worn on all buses.
- Visitors must check-in at the office with the secretaries as normal.
 - Visitors will have the option of wearing facial coverings

Extra-Curricular Events:

- Attendance will not be limited. Fan seating will be separated by town.
- Events governed by MHSA will follow MHSA guidelines and will comply with the rules of the district to which they travel.

Malta Public Schools will cooperate with Phillips County Public Health Department with matters of contract tracing and quarantining students/staff.

If a student/staff is found to be a close contact of a positive case of COVID-19 they will be quarantined for 10 days. If they have a negative COVID-19 test after day 5, they may return after day 7. If they have been vaccinated, as verified by the County Health Department, they will not have to quarantine.