



August 2, 2022

Hello, Madison families,

It's that time of year again, as the dog days of summer turn into the busy days of fall and the first day of school! We would like to remind you of a few things before our

first student day on August 10th. If you haven't yet, take a moment to review our [back-to-school information here](#).

Food Service

Nutrition is an essential part of a happy and healthy student and Madison Consolidated Schools is committed to providing nutritional and tasty food throughout our district. As a reminder, the USDA has made changes to the school meal program post-pandemic. All students will still have a FREE breakfast available each morning but meal charges for lunch will return. The [letter sent on June 25](#) outlines the meal program for the 2022-2023 school year. The [menus for August](#) have been linked to our website and we invite you to visit our [interactive food service website](#). If you believe you may qualify for free or reduced meals, please [click to apply](#) for the upcoming school year.

Transportation

We want to ask parents and guardians to remain patient with us on the first few days of school as we take additional time to make sure students are comfortable with bus transportation and car rider pickup throughout the district. It is not uncommon for buses to be running late while trying to work out the kinks of their routes at the beginning of the school year. We appreciate everyone's understanding and want families to know how important the safety of our students is each day.

Registration

If you have not registered your student for the upcoming school year, please do so by logging in to [Skyward](#). In Family Access, click on the Online Registration button on the left side menu. Be sure to update your contact information in [Skyward](#) with your most up-to-date e-mail, address, and phone number. You can also click on the Skylert button to customize the way you receive communications.

These updated pieces of information are important for us to be able to efficiently and effectively communicate general information or reach you in the event of an emergency. ***Please remember, if you are a Metronet internet customer, access to Skyward may not be available at this time. We continue to work with their engineers to troubleshoot this ongoing issue.* The back to school information has dates and times for onsite registration or there is a computer available at the Administration Building for your convenience.

Follow Along!

Finally, we encourage all families and students to follow Madison Consolidated Schools on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#). We also would like to invite everyone to follow their student's school Facebook pages for up-to-date information on things going on within their schools ([Anderson](#), [Deputy](#), [Lydia Middleton](#), [Rykers' Ridge](#), [MJHS](#), and [MCHS](#))

Madison Consolidated Schools wants to thank SuperATV for once again graciously donating funds to cover all textbooks, technology rental fees, and classroom supplies for the 2022-2023 school year. We are very excited to get the school year started and want to wish everyone a happy, safe, and successful school year.

We are very excited to kick off another great school year, next Wednesday, August 10!