



# MADISON MIDDLE SCHOOL

## PTO NEWSLETTER 2021

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### Dear MMS Students & Parents:

Welcome Back! This year we are focusing on growing academically. Many plans have been made to make this year the BEST year yet. I am excited to see our students' smiling faces. I am here to help you and your child navigate the middle school years. Please contact me whenever needed. Exciting days are coming at MMS!

**If you have any questions, please contact the school at 601-605-4171.**

**With anticipation,  
Mrs. Leatha Phillips  
Lead Administrator**

### Curriculum, Testing and Communications Principal: **Jennifer Lovitt**

I am Jennifer Lovitt. Many of you know me as seventh grade principal, but this year I am moving to assistant principal over curriculum, testing & communications for Madison Middle School. I've been an educator for 27 years, with nearly all of those years in the middle school setting. This is my sixteenth year at MMS and I love this school more every year! Stop by and see me in my new location in the front office, or call/email any time if I can help you or your child.

Email: [jlovitt@madison-schools.com](mailto:jlovitt@madison-schools.com)

### 6th grade principal: Brittany Hammett

My name is Brittany Hammett, and I am excited to be the sixth-grade principal this year! This will be my sixth year as an administrator at MMS. My husband Jon and I are parents to two Madison Jaguars, Audrey (8th) and Jon Andrew (3rd). I look forward to welcoming your student to middle school. This year our theme will be "A Whole New World!" I cannot wait for you to join us at MMS!

### 7th grade principal: Shannon Green

I am Shannon Green, and I am excited about being the 7th Grade Principal! It is truly an honor to not only be a product of Madison County Schools (Madison Station, Madison Middle, Rosa Scott, and Madison Central), but to also serve as an educator for the past seven years. After an unprecedented year, this is going to be an amazing year filled with lots of learning, hard work, and fun! Our Disney's movie theme is Moana: "Self-discovery and finding his or her way." I cannot wait to see each student thrive academically, physically, socially, and emotionally.

### 8th grade principal: Doug Jones

I'm Dr. Doug Jones, and I'm thrilled to be joining the 8th grade team this year! I previously spent the last five years at MMS as the 6th grade principal, so I'm looking forward to getting to see some familiar faces again. My wife Hallie and I have two boys that are proud Jaguars. This year's 8th grade theme is Toy Story, so remember: "You've Got a Friend In Me"!

## BACK TO SCHOOL!

Last names beginning with A-L start **Monday, August 9.**  
Last names beginning with M-Z start **Tuesday, August 10.**

## ON YOUR FIRST DAY:

**HERE'S WHAT TO BRING,**  
paper, pen/pencil, charged Chromebook, water bottle

# ANNOUNCEMENTS | REMINDERS

## Car Rider Line:

- **AM Drop Off** - 6th and 7th grade front of school  
8th grade north end of building closest to 463
- **PM Pick Up**- 6th grade south end of building by cafeteria  
7th grade front of building  
8th grade north end of building closest to 463

Cafeteria: Lunch and Breakfast will be provided at no cost this year.

Chromebook Fee - \$25 to be paid on MySchoolBucks due by September 3rd.

## **MMS Guidance Counselors**

### **6th Grade**

Lindsay Bouchillon

lbouchillon@madison-schools.com

### **7th Grade**

Karen Boutwell

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### **8th Grade**

Lindsey Montgomery

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*\*Counselors are available to support your student in many ways!*

*\*If your student needs a chromebook, contact your grade level counselor.*

**Summer reading and School Supply Lists can be found here.**

**JOIN THE PTO!**

**Join the PTO to attend Early Schedule Pickup on July 29!**

## **MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION**

**Jag Level - \$160 - PTO Membership, MMS Decal, Jaguar Drawstring Backpack, Jaguar Thermos & 10 Raffle Tickets toward fundraiser**

**Blue Level - \$60 - PTO Membership, MMS Decal & Jaguar Drawstring Backpack**

**Orange Level - \$30 - PTO Membership and MMS Decal**



# CALENDARS | SCHEDULES

## SOFT START SCHEDULE

**BLUE DAY**  
**LAST NAMES A-L**

**ORANGE DAY**  
**LAST NAMES M-Z**

**MONDAY, AUGUST 9TH (A DAY)**

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 10TH (A DAY)**

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11TH (B DAY)**

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 12TH (B DAY)**

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 13TH-ALL STUDENTS (A DAY)**

## CALENDAR:

**July 29 – Join the PTO to attend Early Schedule Pickup!**

Early Schedule Pickup & Building Tour:

6th Grade 9:00-12:00

7th Grade 1:00-2:00

8th Grade 2:00-3:00

**August 5** – Regular Schedule Pickup & Building Tour 5:00-7:00

**August 12** – 7th grade Back to School Night 6:00

**August 16** – 6th grade Back to School Night 6:00

**August 17** – 8th grade Back to School Night 6:00

**August 19** – School Picture Day

**September 9** – Progress Reports

**Go JAGS!**

## BELL SCHEDULE

**6th Grade**

7:50 .....Enter School

8:15-8:20 ..... Tardy Bell & Morning Announcements

8:20-9:54 .....1st and 5th Block

9:58-12:04 ..... 2nd and 6th Block

\* Lunch (A) 10:58-11:30

\* Lunch (B) 11:32-12:04

20 minute lunch & 10 minute break

12:08-1:42 .....3rd and 7th Block

1:46-3:20 ..... 4th and 8th Block

### 7th & 8th Grades

7:50.....Enter School

8:15-8:20 ..... Tardy Bell & Morning Announcements

8:20-9:54.....1st and 5th Block

9:58-11:32.....2nd and 6th Block

11:36-1:42.....3rd and 7th Block

\* 7th Lunch (A) 11:58-12:28

\* 7th Lunch (B) 12:23-12:53

\* 8th Lunch (A) 12:48-1:18

\* 8th Lunch (B) 1:12-1:42

1:46-3:20.....4th and 8th Block

## A/B DAY SCHEDULES:

**A DAYS INCLUDE BLOCKS 1-4**

**B DAYS INCLUDE BLOCKS 5-8**

*\*A/B Days are detailed on the MMS Calendar*

*posted at [www.madisonmiddlejags.org](http://www.madisonmiddlejags.org)*



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student's  
grades and  
attendance on  
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Pay for class,  
club, and  
Chromebook fees  
on **My School  
Bucks.**

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IF YOU ARE NOT RECEIVING EMAILS OR PHONE CALLS FROM THE SCHOOL, PLEASE  
CALL THE SCHOOL TO UPDATE YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION.