



Board of Education Office

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Dear Students, Families, and Community Members of the Milton-Union Schools:

Since the beginning of the school year, the district has confirmed eight positive COVID-19 student cases and one confirmed staff member. As of Tuesday, August 31, 2021, total confirmed cases include three MUHS students, two MUMS students, three MUES students, and one staff member. Staff members and students should remain diligent in monitoring symptoms and conducting daily wellness checks prior to attending school.

The district intends to monitor circumstances daily and will periodically revisit and update the [2021-22 Restart Plan](#). Parents, families, and community members may view changes in total numbers of confirmed positive staff member and student COVID-19 cases on the [district website](#) as well. In your daily routines and interactions during and outside regular school hours, please take precautions to protect yourself and others from COVID-19. Collectively, the following measures can help control exposure and spread.

- Stay home when you are sick.
- Practice Social Distancing.
- Get adequate sleep and eat well-balanced meals.
- Wash hands often with water and soap (20 seconds or longer).
- Dry hands with a clean towel or air dry your hands.
- Cover your mouth with a tissue or sleeve when coughing or sneezing.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, mouth with unwashed hands or after touching surfaces.
- Practice good hygiene habits.

We hope everyone continues to be mindful of safe practices and healthy decisions. As always, thank you for your continued support, understanding, and patience.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Brad Ritchey".

Brad Ritchey, Ph.D.

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