

JSE Weekly Newsletter

September 7 - September 11

Free Breakfast and Lunch

We are pleased to inform you that under a new USDA funded program MARYVILLE CITY SCHOOLS will offer **FREE MEALS TO ALL STUDENTS** starting Tuesday, September 8, 2020. Below are the details you should know:



- All students will be served under this USDA program.
- One regular (reimbursable) lunch meal AND one regular (reimbursable) breakfast meal are included.
- Funding for this program will run until December 31 or until federal funding expires.
- Items considered "à la carte" (any extra servings or snack items), will still require payment.
- Payment for à la carte items can be paid with cash or on a student lunch account (with student ID).
- Digital learners can pick up free meals at their school by following all previously communicated COVID-related protocols. Contact your school with any questions.
- This program does not allow for food distribution to students who are not enrolled in our district.
- This program does not require an application for participation.

IMPORTANT NOTE for families who qualify for free or reduced-priced meals. While this program will allow your children to receive free meals at school this fall, we do not know what could happen after the program ends. For that reason, we **HIGHLY RECOMMEND** completing the free lunch application before the September 10 deadline, at this link: <https://www.applyforlunch.com/Application>.

Adventure Club News

Adventure Club will be closed on September 7th in observance of Labor Day.

School will be closed from October 5th - October 13th for Fall Break as well as professional development days for our teachers. Students enrolled in Adventure Club may sign up to attend on these dates. Sign ups will run from September 14th - September 25th. Forms will be available outside of the Adventure Club entrance.

Please e-mail misty.cable@maryville-schools.org or call 865-681-8210 if you have any Adventure Club related questions.

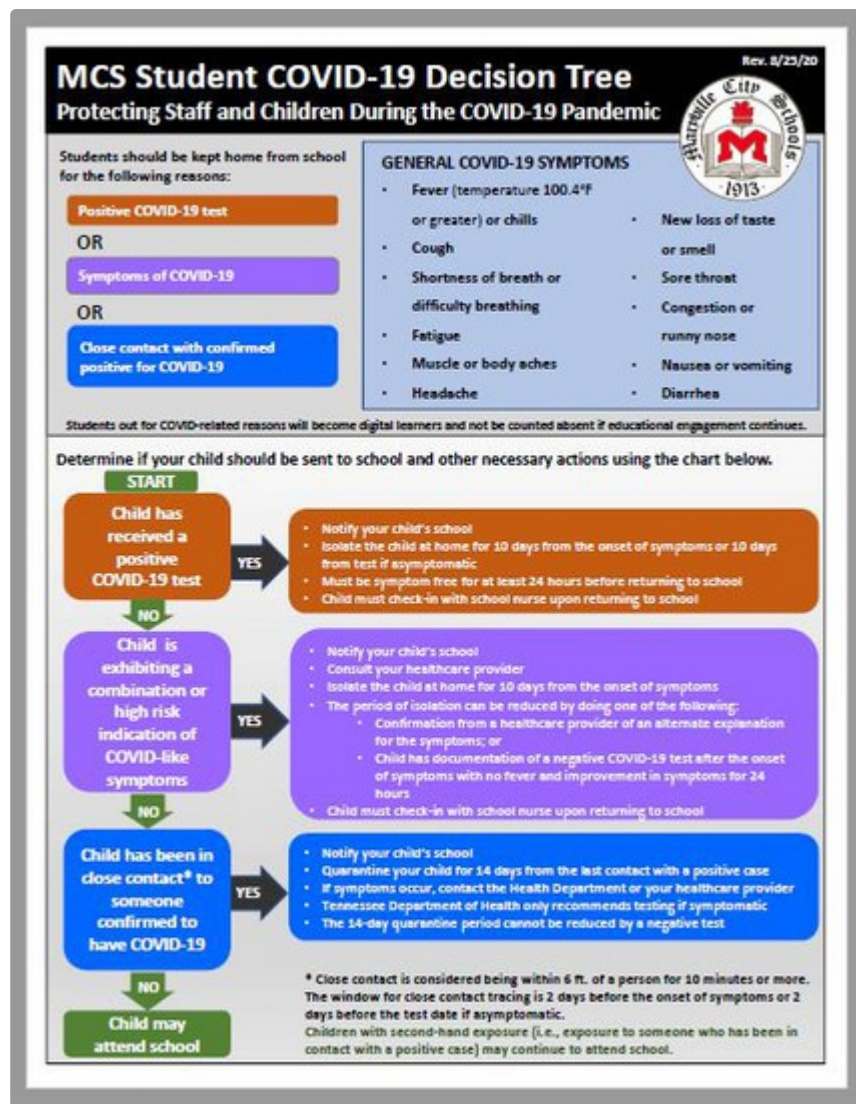
Changes to Instructional Method

The next opportunity to change your student's method of instruction (from digital to traditional, or vice versa) will be on September 30th, with the new instructional option beginning after fall break on October 14th.

Once again, we remind you that families are limited to changing instructional options to **one switch for the entire school year**.

If you wish to change at that time, please call the office at 865-983-8551 by September 30th.

Below is the most recent version of the MCS Covid-19 decision tree.





John Sevier Elementary PTO Welcomes you! We invite you to join us in helping JSE students!

The PTO is fully funded by PTO memberships, donations, and fundraisers. We are the link between families and John Sevier Elementary and we can't do it without you! Your contribution will help support our PTO throughout the school year.

In the 2019 - 2020 school year PTO funded:

Numerous teacher classrooms grants, IXL, Study Island, Scholastic Weekly, Kindergarten bags, and a large grant was given for The Foxes Burrow - just to name a few. Your membership donation helps fund programs and events like those listed above that have a positive impact on your child and every JSE student! If you have any questions, now or throughout the year, please contact the PTO @ johnsevierpto@gmail.com

Sign up to receive the latest news and volunteer opportunities via email!

To make a donation: Send in check or cash with this form to your child's teacher or donate electronically thru PayPal - paypal.me/JSEPTO or scan the QR code below.

**** The class who has the most PTO sign-ups will receive a prize! ****

\$10.00	\$15.00	\$25	Other:
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Name(s): _____


Email: _____

Phone number: _____

Child's Name	Teacher	Grade
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_____	_____	_____
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Upcoming Color Days And Menus

Monday September 7	Tuesday September 8	Wednesday September 9	Thursday September 10	Friday September 11
No School	Purple	Silver	Red	Orange
	Sausage, Biscuit, Gravy Chicken Nuggets, Roll, Rice, Broccoli OR Turkey & Cheese Sandwich	<u>Poptart</u> , Yogurt Steak & Gravy, Roll, Mashed Potatoes, Peas OR PB & Jelly <u>Uncrustable</u>	Donuts Chicken Patty, Bun, Seasoned Potatoes Wedges, Mixed Vegetables, Let/Tom/Pickle OR Ham & Cheese Sandwich	Chicken Biscuit Wild Mikes Cheesy Bites, Marinara Sauce, Green Beans OR PB & Jelly <u>Uncrustable</u>
After School Activities (Students must be enrolled in the activity to attend.)				

Upcoming Events

September 7	No School - Labor Day
October 5 - 9	No School - Fall Break
October 12	No School - Intervention and Enrichment
October 13	No School - Professional Development



John Sevier Elementary School

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Brandee Easterly, Principal
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School Start Time: 7:50 a.m.
School Dismissal: 2:50 p.m.

Ways to Help Your School:

