Welcome to the 1-hour DeLand Middle Parent Presentation of School Option 1, Face to Face. We will be with you shortly. Tonight we will walk you through our school reopening plan and then take some questions. You may type your questions in the Q/A box throughout the event.

Reopening Plan Discussion,
August 24, 2020 - 5:30p
During the presentation, you will be able to ask questions using the Q/A section, please wait until I reach that section of the presentation...

- The next slide will list the areas we are covering tonight.

If you happen to lose connection, please find the link on our website and log back into the presentation, cell phones often lose the meeting if you are answering texts, email, or Facebook.

- Questions will be answered in the Q/A portion of the Teams meetings.

- This meeting will be recorded and uploaded to our website and other social media platforms as soon as possible.
TOPICS THAT WE WILL COVER TONIGHT - IT'S A LOT!!!

- Introduction - Administration
- Grade Houses, Important Staff
- DeLand Middle Enrollment
- Policy 503, Face Covering
- Reopening Plan - Arrival
- Reopening Plan - Class Transitions
- Reopening Plan - Lunch
- Reopening Plan - Classroom
- Reopening Plan - Main Office
- Reopening Plan - Media Center
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- Reopening Plan - Communication
- Reopening Plan - Student Protocols
- Reopening Plan - Dismissal
- School Info. - Social Media
- School Info. - Supplies
- School Info. - Student Schedules
- School Info. - Wireless Communication
- School Info. - Dress Code
- School Info. - 6th Grade Orientation
- Additional Questions
DELAND MIDDLE SCHOOL

• Administration
  • John R. DeVito - Principal - ext. 23012
  • Brian Goddard - Assistant Principal, 6th grade and Exceptional Student Education - ext. 23010
  • Kemisha Rainge - Assistant Principal, 7th grade - ext. 23006
  • Ryan Mahaney - Assistant Principal, 8th grade - ext. 23008
  • Angela Arico-Jones - Dean of Student Relations - ext. 23036
DELAND MIDDLE SCHOOL - GRADE HOUSES

6th Grade House
- Mrs. Barbara Lantrip - Secretary, ext. 23039
- Mr. Edward Weston - School Counselor, ext. 23034

7th Grade House
- Mrs. Rosemarie Vega - Secretary, ext. 23032
- Mr. Joe Mercier - School Counselor, ext. 23297

8th Grade House
- Ms. Samantha Taylor - Secretary, ext. 23030
- Mrs. Natasha Horne - School Counselor, ext. 23041
DELAND MIDDLE SCHOOL - IMPORTANT STAFF

- Principal's Secretary -
  - Mrs. Veronica Fisher - ext. 23014
- Registrar -
  - Mrs. Rebecca Davis - ext. 23044
- Attendance/Bookkeeper -
  - Ms. Carol Sellery - 23043

- Clinic -
  - Ms. Theresa Thomas - ext. 23298
- Media Center -
  - Mrs. Lori Beans - ext. 23296
- School Way Café -
  - Mrs. Gina Kriete - ext. 23299
6th Grade - 317
- In-Person: 214
- Volusia Live: 103

7th Grade - 320
- In-Person: 196
- Volusia Live: 123

8th Grade - 311
- In-Person: 190
- Volusia Live: 121
COVID-19 FAST FACTS

• Maintaining social distancing
• Wash your hands often and use good hand washing skills.
• Staying home when sick or been exposed to the virus.
• Wear a mask when in close contact or unable to maintain social distancing.
POLICY 503 – FACE COVERINGS

• Pursuant to the authority of the School Board under Article IX, section 4 of the Florida Constitution, face coverings must be worn by all students, employees, visitors, vendors or any other persons, while in or on school board property where social distancing guidelines from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention ("CDC") cannot be maintained. This includes, but is not limited to, school buses, class changes, cafeteria lines, in confined quarters, or any other places where social distancing guidelines cannot be followed.

• FACE COVERING TYPES
  • Cloth Face Coverings: Cloth face coverings are acceptable for compliance with this policy provided that the face covering covers both the nose and mouth of the person and fits snugly against the sides of the person’s face with no gaps.
  • Commercially Produced Masks: Commercially produced surgical masks or respirators are acceptable for compliance with this policy but are not mandated.
  • Face Shields: Face shields may be worn as a substitute for cloth face coverings. If face shields are used without a mask, they should wrap around the sides of the wearer’s face and extend below the chin. Disposable face shields should only be worn for single use. Reusable face shields should be cleaned and disinfected after each use.
POLICY 503 – FACE COVERINGS, EXCEPTIONS

- Medical Certifications: A face covering shall not be required for persons who present school officials with a certification from a health care provider that the person has a medical, physical, or psychological contraindication that prevents the person from being able to safely wear a face covering.

- General Exceptions: A face covering will not be required for any person inside or outside of any school district facility or school district building while maintaining appropriate social distancing including:
  - in strenuous physical activity; the school district official supervising the activity that the student is engaged in authorizes the student to remove her/his face covering during that activity; outside of any school district building or vehicle, so long as the person is able to maintain social distancing guidelines; inside or outside a school district facility while such person is eating; a face covering will not be required for such person to receive health care, or to undergo health care treatment, or if a person is experiencing acute trouble breathing, is unconscious, or incapacitated, or is unable to remove the mask without assistance; children in kindergarten and below will be educated, encouraged and expected to wear a face covering, but failure to wear a face covering will not prohibit such student’s attendance if he/she is unable to wear a face covering at all times; students participating in extracurricular activities, such as athletics or marching band, where the wearing of a face covering is not practicable or may create a health risk, will not be required to wear face coverings during the activity but must still follow any and all safety procedures in place for the activity. The district will follow all FHSAA guidance for athletic activities.
• The wearing of a mask is a health issue. Compliance will be dealt with as a health issue, not as a disciplinary issue. A Student’s willful refusal to comply with the terms of this policy will be addressed consistent with the Student Code of Conduct.

• **First Offense** - Warning, provide mask, contact parent. If student refuses, parent must pick up student.

• **Second Offense** - Provide mask and contact parent.

• **Refusal and Second Offense** - Send student home/Volusia Live for 5 days/Re-entry meeting required upon return.

• **Third Offense** - Enroll student in Volusia Live where masks are not required.
Reopening Plan - Arrival

- Main gate opens at 6:30a for families participating in Before the Bell
- Front Office opens at 8:45a
- Campus Supervision arrives at 8:30a to monitor parent loop and to inspect the campus for student and staff safety.
- Gate between building 200 and 300 opens at 9:00a
- E. New Hampshire Ave. walk gate opens at 9:00a
- Gym (holding area for 6th and 7th grade students) opens at 9:00a
- Cafeteria (holding area for 8th grade students and for students eating breakfast) opens at 9:00a
REOPENING PLAN - ARRIVAL

• Once on campus, students will wear masks when in close contact or unable to maintain social distancing.

• Temperature Scanning Locations
  • Students will have their temperature scanned as they enter campus when the gates open at 9:00a.
    • Gymnasium
    • Building 200/300 gate
    • E. New Hampshire Ave. walk gate
    • Bus Loop
REOPENING PLAN - ARRIVAL

• Temperature Procedures
  • Students with normal temperature will be allowed to go to designated area.
  • Students with temperatures at or above 100.4 will remain at the temperature scanning station and wait 5 minutes to have their temperature re-scanned.
  • If temperature is within normal, they will be sent to their designated holding area.
  • If it is still elevated, student will be escorted to the clinic to be evaluated by the school nurse.
  • If temperature is still elevated, the school nurse will evaluate the student and contact district health services coordinator, parents will be notified to come pick up their student.
  • Student will remain with the school nurse until parent is able to check student out.
Reopening Plan - Arrival

- Waiting Areas
  - Students will wear masks when in close contact or unable to maintain social distancing.
  - Students sit in designated areas to help maintain proper social distance to the greatest extent possible.
  - Once a student enters the gymnasium or the cafeteria, they remain until the ringing of the 9:22a bell.
  - In the event of inclement weather, 8th grade students will be moved to the Media Center.
  - 6th and 7th grade students will wait in the Gymnasium
  - 8th grade students will wait in the Cafeteria and/or patio
REOPENING PLAN - ARRIVAL

• Breakfast
  • Students will line up outside the cafeteria in designated area maintaining proper social distance.
  • Students will enter serving line to pick up breakfast. When they exit the line, they will sit in designated area sitting from the farthest point to the nearest point.
  • Students may remove mask while eating. Once they have finished eating, students will wear masks when in close contact or unable to maintain social distancing.

• Meetings
  • All parent conferences will be conducted using MS Teams or Zoom
Reopening Plan – Class Transition

- Students will wear masks when in close contact or unable to maintain social distancing.
- Hallways have been marked with a center line. Students are to walk to the right of the center line. Paw prints on the ground will indicate the direction students should be walking.
- Students should walk in a single file line to help maintain proper social distancing.
- Students must walk and talk, there is not stopping in the hallways during class transition.
- Lockers will be spaced out to the greatest extent possible to help students maintain social distancing.
- Students should go to their lockers before PE and Lunch to secure personal belongings.
- Water fountains are available for students to fill up water bottles and/or cups ONLY.
REOPENING PLAN - LUNCH

• Students will wear masks when in close contact or unable to maintain social distancing.

• We will have 3, 36-minute lunches with 16 minutes between to clean and sanitize.

• Students will sit in designated spaces maintaining social distance to the greatest extent possible.

• Students enter the cafeteria from both sides of the building.

• Students who bring their lunch will enter the auditorium doors and proceed to seating area filling in seats from the farthest point to the nearest.
REOPENING PLAN - LUNCH

- Students who purchase a school lunch will enter through the cafeteria doors, go through the serving line, and proceed to seating area filling in seats from the farthest point to the nearest.

- In order to maintain proper social distancing while waiting outside, students will stand on the paw prints along the outside wall(s).

- Students will use markings on the floor to maintain proper distancing as they move through the serving line.

- Students will be dismissed by rows at the conclusion of lunch.
REOPENING PLAN - LUNCH

Inside Cafeteria - 234
Outside Patio - 45

Largest Lunch - 214
• Students will wear masks when in close contact or unable to maintain social distancing.

• Excess furniture has been removed from classrooms to allow for social distancing to occur at the greatest extent possible.

• Hand sanitizer will be available in each classroom for students to use as they enter the classroom.

• Seating charts will be utilized in each classroom.

• When small group instruction takes place, students should wear masks as well as work with the same students throughout the school year.

• Sanitation of classroom will occur the last two minutes of the class period.

• Plexiglass shields will be installed on desks and tables.
REOPENING PLAN – CLASSROOM

• Supplies – In order to help students with classroom supplies, DeLand Middle has adopted a general supply list for students. Students who participate in specialized programs such as STEM or various electives may require additional supplies.
  • Plastic zipper clam shell pouch to hold supplies, small hand sanitizer for personal use, markers, pencils, colored pencils, pens, erasers, small pencil sharpener, index cards, high lighter, dry erase marker, spiral notebook, composition notebook for ELA classes
  • Other item to consider - reusable water bottle
Masks will be worn when in close contact or unable to maintain social distancing.

Chairs will be removed from the main office waiting area.

Only 3 people will be allowed in the main office at a time.

New student registration will take place electronically.

Substitutes will log in through Raptor and then go to the Principal's Secretary.

Paw Print stickers have been used to identify places where families should be in order to maintain social distancing.

There will be paw prints outside the main office for families waiting to enter.
REOPENING PLAN – MEDIA CENTER

• Students will wear masks when in close contact or unable to maintain social distancing.
• Occupancy will be limited to ensure social distancing.
• Tables will be sanitized after use from classes throughout the day.
• Seating charts will be utilized when used by classes.
• Books that are returned will remain not be shelved for 3–5 days after their return.
• Students will wear masks when in close contact or unable to maintain social distancing.

• If a student’s temperature is at or above 100.4 after being scanned as they entered campus, they will be brought to the clinic to be evaluated by the school nurse.

• Clinic will be divided into a well and sick area.

• Grade houses will support the clinic by handling minor issues students may have throughout the day.
People with COVID-19 have had a wide range of symptoms reported - ranging from mild symptoms to severe illness. Symptoms may appear 2-14 days after exposure to the virus. People with these symptoms may have COVID-19:

- Fever or chills
- Cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Fatigue
- Muscle or body aches
- Headache
- New loss of taste or smell
- Sore throat
- Congestion or runny nose
- Nausea or vomiting
- Diarrhea
REOPENING PLAN - COMMUNICATION

• All communication will come from principal, or designee.

• Please makes sure all contact information is correct.
  • When your emergency card come home make sure everything in it is correct.
  • If changes are needed, please update information.
  • Sign and return the card.

• Volusia County District Website, Reopening Road Map
  • https://www.vcsedu.org/reopening-roadmap
## REOPENING PLAN – STUDENT PROTOCOLS

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<td>Updates as Necessary</td>
<td>Not at Risk: Quarantine Not Necessary</td>
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| Student has symptoms consistent with COVID 19 | 1. Isolate student 2. Notify Administration 3. Contact Parent for Pickup 4. Follow Environmental Procedures 5. Follow Communication Procedures 6. Notify district contact | Remove any student or staff that have been in the same area as the student and sanitize area before returning | Students: Send letter to parents of primary contact(s) upon confirmation Teachers: Emailed upon confirmation | Quarantine and participate in distance learning (if possible) until a negative test is received | Student can return upon receipt of a negative test or upon completion of a 14-day quarantine and no symptoms |

| Student reports a household member has tested positive for COVID 19 | 1. Isolate student 2. Notify administration 3. Confirm report with parent/guardian and have student picked up 4. Follow Environmental Procedures 5. Follow Communication Procedures 6. Notify district contact | Students: None Teachers: Emailed upon confirmation |  |

| Student reports they have tested positive for COVID 19 but has no symptoms |  |  | Students: Send letter to parents of primary contact(s) upon confirmation Teachers: Emailed upon confirmation |  |  |
REOPENING PLAN - DISMISSAL

• Staggered dismissal will be used.
• At 4:09p, students whose bus is on campus will be released to board their bus.
  • Students riding school bus will wear a mask.
  • Students will report to their bus when their bus is announced via the PA system.
• At 4:12p, all other bus riders will be released to the cafeteria.
  • Students waiting for their bus will wear a mask when proper social distancing cannot be maintained.
  • Students will sit in designated spaces as they do for breakfast and lunch at a table designated for their bus.
• At 4:15p, all walkers and car riders will be released.
  • Students waiting for their parent to pick them up will wear a mask if social distancing is not possible.
  • Students waiting in the parent loop will remain socially distant to the greatest extent possible.
School Info - Social Media

DeLand Middle Terriers
Summer Office Hours: 9:00a-4:00p, Monday-Thursday; Registration by appointment, call 386-822-5678.

DeLand Middle Terriers
@DeLandMiddle Follows you
Official Twitter page of DeLand Middle School. Follow along for all of the latest and greatest information. #terripride
DeLand, FL myvolusiaschools.org/school/DeLand/... Joined August 2015
40 Following 344 Followers

DeLand Middle
DeLand Middle School's official Instagram page. Follow us and stay up to date on the latest and greatest from the Terriers. #terripride
myvolusiaschools.org/school/DeLand/Pages/default.aspx
Followed by delandmiddle2018, unistrans411, bboschhistory +16 more

DeLand Middle
1400 S Aquarius Ave, DeLand, FL 32724
(386) 822-5678
(386) 625-0057
Website
School Info. - Supplies

• Hand Sanitizer, Plastic Storage Pouch, Markers, Pencils, Pens, Colored Pencils, Pens, Pink Erasers, Small Sharpener, Index Cards, Highlighters, Dry Eraser Markers, Spiral Notebook, Composition Notebook for ELA classes, Reusable Water Bottle

• Students lockers will go on sale Tuesday for $5.
  • Lockers are a great way to keep valuables secured when you go to lunch and gym.
  • Lockers will be issued the 2nd week of school.
SCHOOL INFO. – STUDENT SCHEDULES

• Schedules should be uploaded to Focus (Gradebook) on Wednesday, August 26
  • Classes are still being balanced to ensure the safest classroom environment for your students.
  • If you would like request a change to your child’s schedule, please email their school counselor to request the change.
  • School Counselor information,
    • 6th grade - Mr. Garret Weston, egweston@volusia.k12.fl.us
    • 7th grade - Mr. Joe Mercier, jemercie@volusia.k12.fl.us
    • 8th grade - Mrs. Natasha Horne, NRHORNE@volusia.k12.fl.us
  • We will begin schedule changes as soon as we ensure that all students have a complete schedule with all of the necessary courses to successfully complete middle school, and we have balance classes (Live and Brick and Mortar).
Bus route information is now available in the Transportation Parent Portal on our district website:

- [https://www.vcsedu.org/student-transportation/bus-route-information](https://www.vcsedu.org/student-transportation/bus-route-information)
The possession of wireless communication devices such as cellular phones, MP3 Players, iPods, video games, iPad, tablets etc. are not a violation of the Code of Student Conduct.

However, having these devices on campus is a privilege.

The following rules must be followed regarding the possession, use, and display of wireless communication devices:

- Students may not have their cell phones visible or in use once they arrive on campus until dismissal. No use of cell phones in the classrooms, hallways, restrooms or at lunch.
- Students who need to call home can do so from their grade level office phone. Parents may call in and ask for the grade level office if they need to leave a message for their child or if they need to speak to their child.
- Students must ensure that the telephone capabilities of their devices are turned off during the instructional day (i.e. ringer off, silent mode, cameras, videos etc.)
• Students shall avoid classroom disruptions by not displaying, using, or activating the data access portion of their wireless device during the instructional day unless instructed to do so by the teacher and/or authorized school personnel under the Bring Your Own Technology (BYOT) initiative. This includes during class, in the Media Center, P.E. and any other instructional/structured activities (unless authorized by the teacher).

• Use of cell phones that disrupts or interferes with the safety of our students being transported by bus is also a violation of the Code of Student Conduct.

• Use of cell phones to commit a crime is against the Code of Student Conduct and appropriate consequences will be handled accordingly.

• The school/district is not responsible if a student’s wireless communication or any electronic device is lost or stolen.

• Any student using a cell phone or any electronic device for malicious intent or to video acts violating the Code of Conduct will be disciplined.
DeLand Middle School students will follow the Volusia County Uniform Policy which was updated on July 22, 2019.

The basic uniform clothing for students in grades K-12 6-8 shall consist of a long or short-sleeved: white, gray or black collared, knit polo-style shirt or white, gray or black collared oxford style button down shirt; and gray, navy blue, black or khaki (tan) pair of long pants, shorts, capris, skirt, skort or jumper gray, navy blue, or black denim long pants are also acceptable. A small logo is acceptable.

In addition to the basic uniform, a principal may designate up to two additional school colors for the collared shirt. Colored trim, stripes or decorations will not be allowed. A small logo is acceptable.

- DeLand Middle School also allows BLUE or PURPLE colored shirts to be worn.

Pants, shorts, capris, skirts, skorts, and jumpers must be a solid color with no stripes, decorations or embroidery. A small logo is acceptable.

Shoes/footwear - Middle school shoes/footwear shall be closed toe and heel, so as to protect the entire foot.

Friday, or the last day of the week (based on school calendar) is designated as TERRIER PRIDE Day. Students are able to wear their Terrier Pride shirts, any DeLand Middle School spirit shirt, or shirt representing their local team (Little League, Pop Warner, etc.). Additionally, students and staff may wear a shirt that supports the brave men and women who serve our community (EMS, Police, Fire Rescue) or country (Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, Coast Guard).
SCHOOL INFO. - 6TH GRADE ORIENTATION

• DeLand Middle School will host a self-guided 6th grade Orientation on Thursday (August 27), Friday (August 28), and Saturday (August 29).

• Due to COVID guidelines, we must limit the number of participants and are asking that one parent/guardian accompany their child.

• Families will sign up for a 60-minute tour of the campus via Sign Up Genius.
  • You will be able to walk the hallways, locate classes, and learn about updated safety protocols for the 2020-2021 school year.
  • Unfortunately face to face meetings with teachers and/or entering the campus is not allowed at this time.
  • You will need your child’s schedule, a map, a compass... Just kidding... All you need is their schedule and a cell phone (you will be scanning QR codes).
6th Grade Orientation

- Time slots for orientation,
  - August 27 - 4:30p, 6:00p, 7:30p
  - August 28 - 4:30p, 6:00p, 7:30p
  - August 29 - 8:30a, 10:00a, 11:30a, 1:00p, 2:30p, 4:00p
- Sign Up Genius link...
  - https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4CA8A823AAF9C07-6thgrade
QUESTIONS