## **WEEKLY UPDATE**

**NOVEMBER 19, 2021** 



# **GOOD NEWS**

- + READ: 'Teacher of the Year' announced at every school. Click here to learn more.
- + PICTURES: Brookwood Forest 5th graders enjoyed a few days learning at Camp McDowell and spending time as a grade away from school. Click here for pictures.
- + RECAP: MBHS wrestling made history by holding the first ever high school outdoor wrestling match in the state of Alabama on Tuesday night in Spartan Stadium. Click here for details.
- + AWARD: MBJH 9th grade counselor, Casey Lancaster was selected as the 2021 ACLA Outstanding Member of the Year. Read more about the award by clicking here.



Mountain Brook Elementary 5th graders took some time to enjoy the fall weather and colors around the school

### MBS Parents,

We hope you had a great week! As Thanksgiving approaches, our students are busy taking tests, finishing assignments and continuing to learn and grow. We hope everyone finds time to rest and enjoy moments with family and friends over next week's Thanksgiving break.

Around our district, our reported positive COVID case numbers remain very low but we persist in our commitment to the health and safety of everyone in our school buildings. We ask you to please continue to practice health and safety measures at home while we continue to do so in our schools. With the emergence of flu season, it is more important than ever to seek your family physician should your child feel unwell or exhibit any type of new symptoms.

We won't provide a weekly update next week due to the short week. Thanks and have a great weekend!



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#### **GENERAL SAFETY REMINDERS**

- + Use the MBS Symptom Tracker to help make decisions regarding school attendance should your child feel unwell
- + If your child is exhibiting ANY COVID-19 symptoms, they should not attend school
- + Maintain personal hygiene and distance (when possible)

#### **SYMPTOMS:**

- Shortness of breath Cough
- Muscle/body aches - Headache
- New loss of taste/smell - Sore throat
- Congestion/runny nose - Fever or chills'
  - Nausea, vomiting, or diarrhea
    - Fatigue

#### **NOTIFICATION:**

- + School nurses should be made aware of any possible symptoms and/or positive cases
- + Please see our 2021-22 <u>Reopening</u> <u>Plan</u> for more information regarding screening, testing, school exclusion, and