Update

Dear Blue Jay Parents,

Security

We are all aware that when you prepare your child for school that you are sending us your most prized possession. Therefore, we want you to be aware that Jackson-Milton Schools are constantly reviewing and upgrading all aspects of security which includes training, security cameras, software, new doors, Raptor system update (this is the system that checks or scans drivers licenses when someone enters the office), bollards (this is the car-stopping cement squares in front of the middle school/high school main doors in the front and back), intercom communication system, bolo barricade sticks for each classroom, security meetings with local police and the Mahoning County Sheriff's Office, along with local fire departments, as well as some other first responders.

Our staff goes through training every year to refresh them on how to determine different types of threats whether it is in the classroom, on the campus, or if something happens outside of school hours. Our staff and students are also mandated by the state to go through several drills every year to make sure everyone knows their role during an incident to ensure everyone's safety. These drills include medical, natural disasters, lockdown in place, and evacuation. Each drill is different and dependent on different circumstances.

While we cannot give specific details about our safety plans, we want to assure you are aware that your child's safety and well-being is our top priority every day they come to our campus.



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