

## SchoolMessenger SMS Text Messaging

The Morgan County School District uses a messaging service called *SchoolMessenger*. This service allows the RISD schools to contact and communicate with family members of Morgan County School District and its school students through voice, text, and email messaging.

The district is excited to announce the launch of a new service that will enhance communication by allowing us to deliver important information to you via SMS text messaging. This service is not intended to replace our existing means of communication—rather it will enhance them.

The district will only use the service to provide information that is timely and relevant.

In order to participate in the new service you must indicate your willingness to receive text messages to your phone(s). The process is simple and only takes a few seconds to complete.

We encourage parent and guardians to take advantage of the text messaging service. This page outlines the interactive functions available through *SchoolMessenger*'s SMS texting service. You can expect to receive approximately 3 messages a month, depending on your school and your student's activities.



You can participate in Morgan County schools' *SchoolMessenger* service by texting **YES** or **OPTIN** or **SUBSCRIBE** to short code **68453** now. And make sure your child's school has your cell phone number on file.

## Examples of messages you might receive if you opt in:

"School's delayed due to inclement weather www.morgank12.org for more info" "Don't forget Kindergarten enrollment! www.morgank12.org for more info" ETC...

You must repeat the opt-in process for any cell phones you wish to include.

To un-register, send a "n" to the same number, 68453.

\$\$\$ Please note, although the district does not charge you for this service, it does not pay for text or phone message charges that may be incurred by you for sending or receiving text messages or receiving phone calls. Check with your wireless carrier for possible charges. \$\$\$

## **FAQ - Frequently Asked Questions**

What if I don't have a cell phone?

No problem, we won't send text messages!

What if I don't ever want text messages from the school?

Don't register your phone.