MIDLAND FLEX
LEARNING CENTER

October 21, 2026

Your weekly updates and info from MFLC

Office/Classroom Hours and Attendance

Office Hours: M-F, 7:00am-3:30pm

Classroom Hours: M-F, 7:40am-2:25pm
Lunch Break: 11am-11:30am

- On in-person days, students will arrive by their set times.
- Teaching staff are available during classroom hours to assist with assignments and tests either in-person or through a Google Meet.
- Staff may not respond to emails outside of these times.

Attendance: If your student is unable to attend on a planned in-person day, please send an email to midlandflex@midlandps.org or call the office at 989-923-3930. Please do not use Synergy to report absences. We do not have an attendance office to monitor those submissions.

Weekly Updates/Reminders from Ms. Eaton

- We are HALFWAY through the semester! 🎉 Semester ends December 18th!
- Schedule a midterm conference with me and keep watching your email to reply to required weekly mentor check ins.
- Reminder if you're not meeting your daily / weekly goals (100+ activities / week) then you need to be in the lab working daily. Everyone should have a **schedule** for assigned lab days.
- Email or message me on Securly if you want any retakes, checks, or bypasses.
    - Bypasses are so you can work ahead during off-hours.
    - Tests need to be done in the lab or in a Google Meet.
    - Test checks: 1 % check (<40%) and 1 accuracy check per test.
    - Retakes are limited before reteaching or resetting instruction

Keeping Students Safer on the Go



Every school day, MPS buses transport students through our community.

The Sinking Fund Millage Proposal would allow the district to replace aging school buses over time to maintain a safe, reliable fleet without using general fund dollars intended for classroom needs.

Want to learn more?

- Visit our MPS Sinking Fund page for more details.

- Attend our next Community Info Sessions:
  - October 20, 12 p.m. virtual via the Zoom platform
  - October 28, 12 p.m. at the Greater Midland Community Center

- Meet with Superintendent Penny Miller-Nelson one-on-one during the next Out of Office Hours: October 23, 7:30-9 a.m. at Live Oak on Ashman.

Senior Updates

- October is College Application in Michigan which means some schools waive their application fee. You can view the list here to see which ones are waived and if there is a waiver code to include in your application. Reach out to Mrs. Kirkman if you need help.
- Midland Area Community Foundation scholarship applications open soon! We will post the link as soon as it is available.
- FAFSA is open! Reach out to our district FAFSA Coordinator, Ms. Cass, for any assistance you need with completing this.
- College Visits at Midland High - List of dates/times that various schools will be at Midland High. Let me know if you would like to attend one at MHS. If you would rather attend one at DHS, let me know and I will get their schedule as well.

Upcoming Events

November 3, 2026	No School - Election Day
November 25, 2026	½ Day of Instruction
November 26-27, 2026	No School - Thanksgiving Break
December 18, 2026	½ Day of Instruction
December 21-31, 2026	No School - Winter Break
January 1, 2026	No School - New Years Day
January 4, 2026	Instruction Resumes - Start of Semester 2

MFLC Staff Contact Information

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