



Haslett Middle School

Newsletter

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A Note from Our Principal!



School year 20-21 has officially begun and we are off to an amazing start! Our first several days of classes had almost perfect attendance. A special thank you to our students, parents, and staff for the efforts given to support HMS online learning. Your positive feedback and comments are greatly appreciated. We also appreciate all the students and parents who joined us for our grade level Virtual Open Houses this past Tuesday. We have no doubt this is going to be a great year!

Helpful Online Learning Links



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Please click the links below for helpful information about Student Online Learning:

[HMS Website](#)

[Online Learning Schedule](#)

[Google Classroom Video Tutorial](#)

[Student Success Tips](#)

Team Open Houses



Below are the links to access the Open House slideshow for each team. If your student is wondering which team they are on, please use this [LINK](#) to access the Viking Time team list:

[Team 61](#)

[Team 71](#)

[Team 81](#)

[Team 62](#)

[Team 72](#)

[Team 82](#)



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New Student Virtual Lunch



Attention students who are new to Haslett Schools! Join our school counselor, Mrs. Rybicki, for a New Student Virtual Lunch! Mrs. Rybicki will be hosting a Zoom meeting for all middle school students who are new to Haslett Public Schools. She is going to provide information, answer questions and play some quick virtual games. It's a great opportunity to meet other new students and a staff member who can help! Check your emails for more information.

Student Information



The online Student Information Verification window opened Monday, August 3, 2020 and closes on **Friday, September 11, 2020.**

Please log into your Skyward Family Access account and update your child's information online before the window closes.

We will not be sending home Student Information or Emergency/Health forms. It is recommended that you complete this process using a computer rather than using the Skyward app on a mobile device.

A video tutorial on how to complete the Student Information Verification process is available at: <http://haslett.k12.mi.us/verify>

If you do not remember your Family Access login information, click "Forgot Login/Password?" on the Skyward Family Access login screen. If you do not have a Skyward Family Access account, please complete the online form: <https://www.haslett.k12.mi.us/parents#FamAccessForm>

Skyward Grades



Your child's grades will be posted in Skyward. Both parents and students can regularly check grades to monitor student's progress. If you do not already have Family Access to Skyward, please go to the HPS website under the "For Parents" section to request a Skyward Family Access Login.

How are explore classes graded? All exploratory classes will be graded using an (S) satisfactory and an (U) unsatisfactory. The exception to this is 7th and 8th grade choir, French 1, and Spanish 1. These classes will receive a grade.



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Cross Country



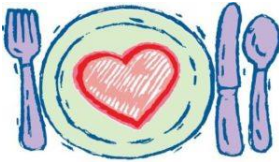
If you are interested in running cross country and haven't done the online survey yet, please contact:

Coach McGuire mcguirm@haslett.k12.mi.us or

Coach Bush bushjp@haslett.k12.mi.us.

Practices will start after Labor Day and more details are to come!

School Meals



School meals are available to enrolled students starting **August 31st**. Meals will need to be preordered through the link provided below. You can also visit the Food Service Department page on the district webpage for the preorder form and more information.

Meals will be distributed on **Mondays from 11am to 1pm at the front drive of Haslett High School**. Students do not need to be present to pick up the meals. The person picking up the meals will need to provide the name of the student(s) so the meals can be properly counted.

Breakfast and lunch are free with an approved free or reduced meal application. A full pay lunch is \$3.00 for grades K-5 and \$3.20 for grades 6-12. A full paid breakfast is \$2.00. If you have not completed a new application for this school year, please apply at www.lunchapp.com. If you received a letter stating you are approved for meal assistance for this school year, you do not need to complete the application.

If you have questions, please email us at: hassenlm@haslett.k12.mi.us

Yearbooks and Planners



Unfortunately, there was a delay due to COVID-19 and our planners and yearbooks have not yet arrived. As soon as they come in, we will let you know and make plans for distribution. If your student was in 8th grade last year, their yearbooks will be given to the high school for distribution.

Student Council



We will still be having student council this year! If you are interested in running for Student Council, follow this link to apply: <https://forms.gle/FUWqEQdHUY3c5FAx9>

Applications are due by **Monday, September 14th**. Mrs. Cummings will be in contact with candidates about how to digitally 'campaign' this year, with the final vote happening digitally on **Wednesday, September 23rd**. Email Adviser Mrs. Cummings at cumminmm@haslett.k12.mi.us if you have any questions!