



# Haslett Public Schools

## Haslett Happenings Around the District

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### College & Career Awareness

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October is College and Career Awareness Month for the state of Michigan. As a proud partner with the Michigan College Access Network (MCAN), Haslett students have the opportunity to participate in a variety of college and career awareness activities this month.

**District-wide College and Career Awareness Day (Tuesday, October 24)** All HPS staff and students are invited to wear a college/career/military branch shirt to school and to have intentional conversations with one another about these topics. The conversations will be developmentally appropriate for each grade level.

HHS Students have several opportunities to broaden their knowledge about colleges and careers.

**Grades 9-12** Students are encouraged to wear their favorite college/career/military branch shirt to school on Tuesday, October 24.

**Grade 10** Students met with representatives from the Wilson Talent Center on October 17 to learn more about technical training programs.

**Grade 11** Students participated in the PSAT/NMSQT on October 11.

**Grade 12** College and Career Representatives will visit, with the opportunity for on-site admissions with the following colleges:

- Saginaw Valley State University (October 23)
- Eastern Michigan University (October 25)
- Lansing Community College (October 26)

A list of the representatives who are visiting HHS can be found on the [College and Career Event Registration Sheet](#). Every Friday in October, seniors can receive extra help with their college applications in the Viking Room during their lunch hour.

Students whose post-secondary plans include college are encouraged to complete at least one college application in October. Our building goal is for 80 percent of our seniors to complete an application. Many Michigan colleges are waiving their application fee this month to help with this initiative. Click on [Michigan College Month Fee Waivers](#) for additional information.

### HMS Career Exploration Kickoff

In Viking Time, students will engage in a variety of activities related to college and career exploration through the use of Xello and group conversations. Students are encouraged to wear their favorite college/career/military branch shirt or to dress like a career professional on Tuesday, October 24.

**Haslett Elementary Schools** Elementary students will have grade-appropriate conversations regarding college or careers in their classroom on Tuesday, October 24.

## Upcoming Calendar Events

### October 20

Football vs. Jackson

### October 21

Holidays in Haslett Band Craft Show  
Haslett High School (9 AM - 3 PM)

### October 23

Board of Education Meeting (7 PM)

### October 24

Fall Festival of Bands (7 PM - HS Gym)

### October 25

HS Choir Concert (8 PM - PAC)

### October 26

Ralya Grade 3 Concert (6:30 PM)

### October 27

End of Term 1

### October 31

High School Halloween Band (12 noon)  
Murphy Halloween Parade (1:40 PM)  
Ralya Halloween Parade (2:15 PM)

### November 1

Murphy Picture Retake Day  
Band Boosters (6 PM - HS Media Center)

### November 2

National Honor Society Induction  
(7 PM - PAC)

### November 3

MS Student of the Month (7:40 AM)  
Ralya/WECC Picture Retake Day

### November 7

MS Conferences (3-5 PM and 5:30-7 PM)  
(In-person)  
MS Parent Common Council (5 PM)

### November 8

MS Conferences (3-5 PM and 5:30-7 PM)  
(Zoom)  
Choir Boosters (7 PM - Viking Room)

### November 13

Murphy/Ralya Santa's First Responders  
Coin Drive  
Board of Education Meeting (7 PM)



Members of the Haslett High School Football Team visited Murphy, Ralya, and WECC for Homecoming.