2025-2026

MILAN MIDDLE SCHOOL

JULY 2025

WELCOME BACK

Dear MMS Families,

Welcome to a brand new school year! I hope you had a relaxing and enjoyable summer and are feeling refreshed and ready for the year ahead. Whether you're returning or joining our school community for the first time, we're so glad to have you with us.

Middle school is such an important and exciting time in your child's life, and our team is dedicated to making these years meaningful, supportive, and engaging. At Milan Middle School, we're focused on helping students grow both academically and personally.

Our academic programs are designed to challenge and inspire students, encouraging them to think critically and explore new ideas. Just as important, we prioritize students' social and emotional well-being—fostering kindness, confidence, and strong connections with others.

We know that a strong partnership between home and school makes a big difference. Your involvement matters, and we invite you to stay connected—whether it's attending events, checking in with your child's teachers, or reaching out when questions come up.

Here's to a year full of growth, learning, and great memories. We're excited to get started!

Best Regards,
MMS Administrators & Staff

DAILY SCHEDULE

- Doors Open 7:30 AM
- Classes Begin 7:45 AM
- Dismissal: 2:26 PM

IMPORTANT DATES

- 7/21-8/8: Online Registration
- 8/4: MMS Office opens
- 8/8: Registration Deadline
- 8/19: MMS Open House
- 8/25: FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL!
- 8/29-9/1: No School; Labor Day
- 10/10: School Pictures

CONTACT INFORMATION

Main Office Number: 734-439-5200

Guidance Office: 734-439-5209

Attendance Line: 734-439-5280

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SCHEDULES

Student schedules are available online and in person on Wednesday, August 13. Schedules can be accessed online using the PowerSchool portal or you can pick up a printed copy in the main office. Student locker assignments and combinations will also be listed on their schedule. We encourage students and families to walk the building to get familiar with their schedule and practice opening their locker!

SUPPLY LIST

The student supply list is available on the MMS website. Specific supplies are listed for each class. Paper copies will be available in the main office with student schedules.

MMS AMAZON WISH LIST

Visit the Milan Middle School Amazon Wishlist! It's easy and convenient to donate supplies for our teachers and staff.

- Click on the list of your choosing.
- Select your items.
- Make your purchase.
- Items are delivered directly to the school.

Please fill out a gift receipt so we can get the gift to the right place. Thank you!

REGISTRATION

Milan Area Schools uses an online registration system. **All students, even returning students, must register for the upcoming school year.** Families may register online from July 21 to August 8.

To register, go to https://ps.milanareaschools.org/public.

- If you have a PowerSchool account, follow the instructions on the returning students letter.
- If you do not have a PowerSchool account, enter the instructions from the PowerSchool Access letter.

If you do not have access to the Internet or need assistance, the MMS office will be open starting on August 4 from 7:00 AM-3:30 PM.

DAILY 6TH-8TH GRADE STUDENT SCHEDULE

6th Grade		7th Grade		8th Grade	
1st Hour	7:45-8:40	1st Hour	7:45-8:40	1st Hour	7:45-8:40
2nd Hour	8:44-9:38	2nd Hour	8:44-9:38	2nd Hour	8:44-9:38
3rd Hour	9:42-10:36	3rd Hour	9:42-10:36	3rd Hour	9:42-10:36
4th Hour	10:40-11:34	WIN Time	10:40-11:06	Lunch	10:36-11:02
Lunch	11:34-12:00	Lunch	11:06-11:32	WIN Time	11:06-11:32
WIN Time	12:04-12:30	4th Hour	11:36-12:30	4th Hour	11:36-12:30
5th Hour	12:34-1:28	5th Hour	12:34-1:28	5th Hour	12:34-1:28
6th Hour	1:32-2:26	6th Hour	1:32-2:26	6th Hour	1:32-2:26

DAILY 5TH GRADE STUDENT SCHEDULE

5th grade students will remain in a self-contained classroom and will not switch classes during the day. 5th grade lunch will be 12:05-12:35. Teachers will share more detailed information about their class schedules after school begins.

HANDBOOK HIGHLIGHTS

Lockers: Each student will be assigned a locker with a private combination. Students should not share this combination with other students. The locker should be kept clean and should be closed and locked at all times.

Planners: All students will be given a planner for daily use. These planners include spaces for passes out of class, homework, reminders, etc. Students will be expected to have their planners each day in every class.

Passing Time: Students have four minutes of passing time to get from one class to the next class. Students should use this time to use the restroom or stop at their lockers as needed.

Electronics/Phones: Students are encouraged not to bring electronics to school. If a student brings his/her phone, it is strongly recommended that they keep it in their locker. Cell phones and wireless headphones should not be visible during the school day. Electronic devices are easily lost, mixed up, or stolen. The school is not responsible for locating missing items.

Dress Code: Students should wear age-appropriate clothing that are appropriate for a school setting. The administration reserves the right to determine if a clothing item is or is not appropriate for school. For example, slippers, overly revealing clothing, and age-inappropriate logos and insignia should not be worn at school.

MMS PROCEDURES

Drop Off:

- Regular: Students may be dropped off at the main entrance via the North Street loop or at the side entrance on Miller Street.
- Late: If your student arrives late to school, they can ring the doorbell at the main entrance to be let into the building. They should report to either office to check in and receive a pass.

Pick Up:

- Regular: Students may be picked up at the North Street or Miller Street entrance.
- Early: If you need to pick up your student early, please ring the doorbell at the main entrance and an administrative assistant will check your ID and release your student to you. Please provide notice of early pick-up as early as possible.

Walkers:

- Students may enter the building via the North or Miller Street entrances.
- At the end of the day, students will be dismissed through the doors on North Street, Miller Street, and Marvin Street.

Use Caution: We have a significant number of students who walk, ride bikes, or skateboard to school. We will consistently stress the importance of safe walking/biking practices to students. Please exercise extra caution if you drive to MMS, particular in dark or inclement weather.

GET INVOLVED!

Coffee with the Principals: We host a "Coffee with the Principals" the fourth Friday of the month. This is an opportunity for parents to learn more about upcoming events and give feedback on things happening at school.

Parent Liaisons: The parent liaisons work closely with the principals to identify areas of opportunity. These opportunities may include coordinating field trips, dances, assemblies or helping to organize parent volunteers. More information will be communicated at the Coffee with the Principals.

Volunteer Opportunities: We love volunteers! MMS happily accepts volunteers in the lunchroom, hallways, student events, and much more. If you are interested in volunteering at MMS, please contact Brad Baden at badenb@milanareaschools.org.