

**NOTICE OF MEETING**

Notice is hereby given of a Board of Education Committee of the Whole meeting of School District No. 17, in the County of Douglas, which will be held at 6:00 p.m. on **Monday, August 12, 2013** at 5606 South 147th Street, Omaha, Nebraska.

Agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection at the office of the superintendent at 5606 South 147th Street, Omaha, Nebraska.

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Secretary

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August 12, 2013

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Leadership Academy

Julie Kemp

MHHS

Paul Schutte

MEA

Bob Lamborn

MWHS



*COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE  
MEETING*



August 12, 2013

MILLARD PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
BOARD COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

The Board of Education Committee of the Whole will meet on Monday, August 12, 2013 at 6:00 p.m. at the Don Stroh Administration Center, 5606 South 147th Street.

**The Public Meeting Act is posted on the Wall and Available for Public Inspection**

Public Comments on agenda items - This is the proper time for public questions and comments on agenda items only. Please make sure a request form is given to the Board Vice-President before the meeting begins.

A G E N D A

1. Millard Public Schools Assessment System
2. Millard Public Schools Activity Support Systems
3. Executive Session: Negotiations

Public Comments - This is the proper time for public questions and comments on any topic. Please make sure a request form is given to the Board Vice President before the meeting begins.

# MPS Assessment System

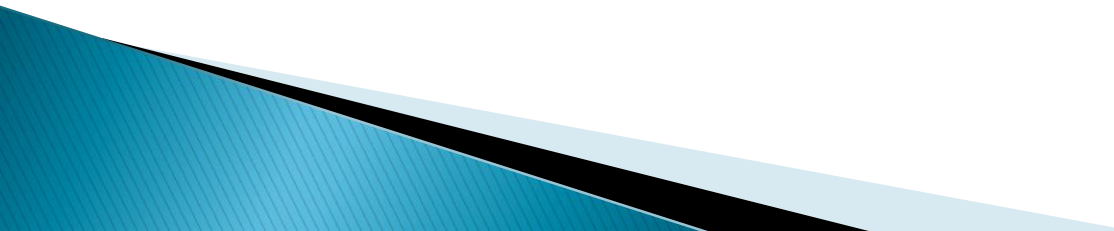
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August 12, 2013

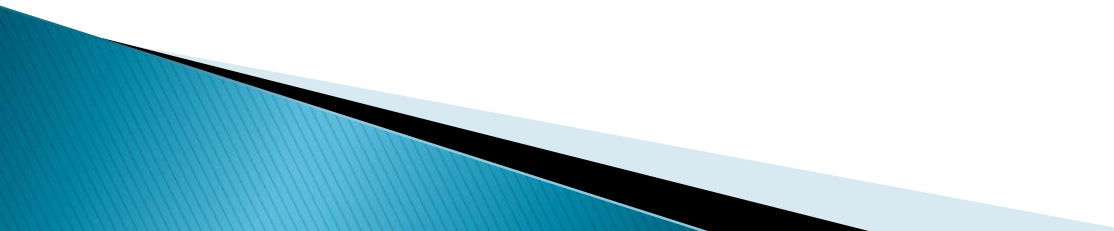
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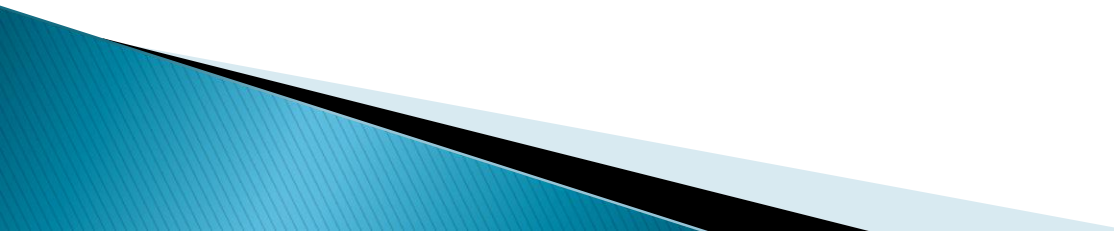


# Background

- ▶ District Strategic Plan promotes Essential Learner Outcomes (ELO) and measurement of student achievement (1993–2000)
  - ▶ MPS Board approves Millard Public Schools ELO high stakes assessment system effective with the graduating class of 2004
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# Since 2004 numerous changes have occurred at state, Federal , and local levels:

- ▶ System of New Nebraska standards in language arts (reading and writing), mathematics, and science
  - ▶ Nebraska School-based, Teacher-led, Assessment and Reporting System (STARS) replaced by The Nebraska State Assessment (NeSA) system in writing (Grades 4, 8, & 11), reading and math (Grades 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, & 11), and science (Grades 5, 8, & 11)
  - ▶ The creation of the Nebraska Performance Accountability System (NePAS) which uses NeSA student performance results and graduation rates to classify and report on all Nebraska schools
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- ▶ Emphasis on College and Career Readiness defined as the level of achievement needed to 1) enroll and succeed without remediation in credit-bearing first-year postsecondary courses and 2) meet workplace readiness demands at the same level as college readiness.
  - ▶ All students will encounter the need for post-secondary education and training.
  - ▶ Reteaching efforts support student needs as identified by ELO results replaced by proactive classroom assessments, periodic progress monitoring, and use of scientific research-based interventions (Response to Instruction and Intervention Model).
  - ▶ Superintendent directive to drop ELO assessments as NeSA implemented
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# MPS Assessment System

Intended to Continuously “Raise the Bar” of Student Achievement

Meet Strategic Parameter of “District-wide performance on standardized achievement tests will always be above state and national averages.”

Proposed Changes follow a plan of layered implementation.

**Proposed High School Changes  
to Assessment System  
and Graduation  
in keeping with  
Strategic Action Plan 2.4**

**STRATEGY:** We will develop and implement plans utilizing instructional best practices, formative and summative assessments, and student data designed to ensure that all students are college and career ready.

**SPECIFIC RESULT:** Modify the existing high stakes assessment system to measure and ensure growth toward and credentialing of college and career readiness for all students.

# Class of 2014

(current 12<sup>th</sup> graders)

- ▶ High Stakes ELO Assessments remain in place for graduation
- ▶ No changes to assessment schedule

# Class of 2015

(current 11<sup>th</sup> graders)

Existing High Stakes ELO Assessments remain in place for graduation

## Changes to assessment schedule:

- ▶ NeSA results and ratings of Below, Met, Exceeds for NeSA-R, NeSA-M, NeSA-S and NeSA-W will be added to transcript.
- ▶ Juniors will be required to take ACT on April 23, 2014. Results will be used to review College and Career Readiness.

# Class of 2016

13

(current 10<sup>th</sup> graders)

- ▶ Will continue to take PLAN
- ▶ Will take ACT in April 2015 and College/Career Ready Metrics will be applied for graduation
- ▶ NeSA results in transcript when available
- ▶ Will take MPS AWA as 10<sup>th</sup> graders and used for graduation
- ▶ 10<sup>th</sup> Grade Math ELO eliminated

# Class of 2017

(current 9<sup>th</sup> graders)

- ▶ Take EXPLORE instead of TerraNova
- ▶ 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Reading ELO eliminated



# Proposed Middle School Changes

- ▶ Replace 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Terra Nova with 8<sup>th</sup> Grade EXPLORE
- ▶ Eliminated 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Social Studies ELO assessment in July 1, 2013 Board approval of 6315.1 changes

# Proposed Elementary School Changes

- ▶ Eliminated 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Social Studies ELO assessment in accordance with proposed 6315.1 changes approved by Board on July 1, 2013.
- ▶ Research ACT Aspire Assessment System for possible Terra Nova replacement (available spring 2014)

# Graduation Requirements for Classes of 2016 and Beyond

- ▶ 230 credits and completion of Personal Learning Plan (PLP) required as currently defined in Rule 6320.1
- ▶ Meet or Exceed College and Career Ready benchmarks as defined in ACT (English 18, Mathematics 22, Reading 21, Science 24). If these metrics are not met, then the requirements for College and Career Readiness can be met by using the corresponding benchmarks or cutscores in the following:

# Graduation Requirements for Classes of 2016 and Beyond

*(continued)*

- ▶ PLAN benchmarks (English 15, Mathematics 19, Reading 17, Science 21)
- ▶ NeSA-R, W, M, S proficiency categories with a requirement of Met
- ▶ Local ELO cutscore (currently in place)
- ▶ Demonstration of Proficiency (currently in place)
- ▶ Lowered cutscores as determined and recommended by IEP team
- ▶ Alternative Assessments used for Alternative Curriculum Program (ACP) students

# Graduation Requirements for Classes of 2016 and Beyond

*(continued)*

- ▶ Use of WorkKeys Assessment as measures of College and Career Readiness with appropriate metrics in the following areas:
  - Applied Mathematics (Math)
  - Business Writing (Writing)
  - Reading for Information (Reading)
  - Applied Technology (Science)

# Attachments

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| Pages 19 – 20: | Listing of Proposed Changes by Grade Level by Year of Graduation |
| Page 21:       | Matrix of High Stakes Assessment Requirements                    |
| Pages 22 – 24: | ACT Suite Information  |
| Pages 25 – 27: | High School Calendars  |

**Proposed High School Changes to Assessment System and Graduation in keeping with Strategic Action Plan 2.4.**

**Class of 2014** (current 12<sup>th</sup> graders)

High Stakes ELO Assessments remain in place for graduation.

No Changes to Assessment schedule

**Class of 2015** (current 11<sup>th</sup> graders)

High Stakes ELO Assessments remain in place for graduation.

Changes to Assessment schedule:

- NeSA results and ratings of Below, Met, Exceeds for NeSA-R, NeSA-M, NeSA-S and NeSA-W will be added to transcript.
- Juniors will be required to take ACT on April 23, 2014. Results will be used to review College and Career Readiness.

**Class of 2016** (current 10<sup>th</sup> graders)

- Will continue to take PLAN
- Will take ACT in April 2015 and College/Career Ready Metrics will be applied for graduation
- NeSA results in transcript when available
- Will take MPS AWA as 10<sup>th</sup> graders and used for graduation
- 10<sup>th</sup> Grade Math ELO eliminated

**Class of 2017** (9<sup>th</sup> graders)

- Take EXPLORE instead of TerraNova
- 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Reading ELO eliminated

**Proposed Middle School Changes**

- Replace 6<sup>th</sup> grade Terra Nova with 8<sup>th</sup> grade EXPLORE
- Eliminate 8<sup>th</sup> grade social studies ELO assessment in accordance with proposed 6315.1 changes contained in July 1, 2013, Board recommendations.

**Proposed Elementary School Changes**

- Eliminate 4<sup>th</sup> grade social studies ELO assessment in accordance with proposed 6315.1 changes contained in July 1, 2013, Board recommendations.

### **Graduation Requirements for Classes of 2016 and Beyond**

- 230 credits required as currently defined in Rule 6320.1
- Meet or Exceed College and Career Ready benchmarks as defined in ACT (English 18, Mathematics 22, Reading 21, Science 24). If these metrics are not met, then the requirements for College and Career Readiness can be met by using the corresponding assessment benchmarks or cutscores in the following:
  - PLAN benchmarks (English 15, Mathematics 19, Reading 17, Science 21)
  - NeSA-R, W, M, S proficiency categories with a requirement of Met
  - Local ELO cutscore (currently in place)
  - Demonstration of Proficiency (currently in place)
  - Lowered cutscores as determined and recommended by IEP team
  - Alternative Assessments used for Alternative Curriculum Program (ACP) students
  - Use of WorkKeys Assessment as measures of College and Career Readiness with appropriate metrics in the following areas:
    - Applied Mathematics (Math)
    - Business Writing (Writing)
    - Reading for Information (Reading)
    - Applied Technology (Science)

### **Impact on High School Calendars**

Revised high school calendars have been submitted by North, South, and West. The result of the proposed change is to increase senior attendance by three (3) hours. Dates may be adjusted for assessments. There is no change to anticipated hour usage.



2.4 Modify the existing high stakes assessment system to measure and ensure growth toward and 23 credentialing of college and career readiness for all students.

	9 <sup>th</sup> graders	10 <sup>th</sup> graders	11 <sup>th</sup> graders	12 <sup>th</sup> graders	Notes
13-14	EXPLORE (fall)	(TerraNova09) (Reading09) <b>PLAN</b> (fall) <b>AWA10</b>	(TerraNova09) (Reading09) (AWA10) (Math10) (PLAN) <b>Science11 ELO</b> <b>SocStudy11 ELO</b> <b>ACT</b> (Spring, April 23, 2014) for procedures and program analysis <b>NeSA on transcript</b>	(Reading09) (AWA10) (Math10) (PLAN) (SocStudy11) (Science11) (NeSA)	<b>Class of 2014</b> <i>Graduation Requirements</i> Reading09 ELO AWA10 ELO Math10 ELO SocStudy11 ELO Science11 ELO  <i>Class of 2014 Transcript</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>States all <u>5</u> ELOs as currently on transcripts</li> </ul>
14-15	EXPLORE (fall)	(EXPLORE) <b>PLAN</b> (fall) <b>AWA10</b>	(TerraNova09) (Reading09) (AWA10) (PLAN) <b>ACT</b> (Spring 2015) for graduation College & Career Ready requirements <b>NeSA</b>	(TerraNova09) (Reading09) (AWA10) (Math10) (SocStudy11) (Science11) (ACT) (NeSA)	<b>Class of 2015</b> <i>Graduation Requirements</i> Reading09 ELO AWA10 ELO Math10 ELO SocStudy11 ELO Science11 ELO  <i>Class of 2015 Transcript</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>States all NeSA results as proficiency categories</li> <li>States all <u>5</u> ELOs as currently on transcripts</li> </ul>
15-16	EXPLORE (fall)	(EXPLORE) <b>PLAN</b> (fall) <b>AWA10</b>	(EXPLORE) (PLAN) <b>ACT</b> (spring) <b>NeSA</b>	(EXPLORE) (PLAN) (ACT) (NeSA)	<b>Class of 2016</b> <i>Graduation Requirements</i> College & Career Ready Benchmarks as defined by ACT and MPS AWA10 cutscore  If Benchmark is not met: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use PLAN benchmark scores</li> <li>Use NeSA proficiency category</li> <li>Use local assessment processes such as ELOs, DoP, and lowered cut score process</li> <li>Use growth model (TBD)</li> </ol> <i>Class of 2016 Transcript</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>States all NeSA results as proficiency categories</li> <li>States <u>1</u> ELO, AWA10 met/not met</li> <li>States College &amp; Career Readiness Benchmarks</li> </ul>
16-17	EXPLORE (fall)	(EXPLORE) <b>PLAN</b> (fall) <b>AWA10</b>	(EXPLORE) (PLAN) <b>ACT</b> (spring) <b>NeSA</b>	(EXPLORE) (PLAN) (ACT) (NeSA)	<b>Class of 2017</b> <i>Graduation Requirements</i> College & Career Ready Benchmarks as defined by ACT and MPS AWA10 cutscore  If Benchmark is not met: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use PLAN benchmark scores</li> <li>Use NeSA proficiency category</li> <li>Use local assessment processes such as ELOs, DoP, and lowered cut score process</li> <li>Use growth model (TBD)</li> </ol> <i>Class of 2017 Transcript</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>States all NeSA results as proficiency categories</li> <li>States <u>1</u> ELO, AWA10 met/not met</li> <li>States College &amp; Career Readiness Benchmarks</li> </ul>

## American College Test (ACT) Suite Information

June, 2013

### Background

The use of the ACT is based on research for a need of comparable level of academic achievement for college and career readiness. With additional research, ACT has determined the need to develop the College and Career Readiness System, now referred to as the ACT Suite. The ACT Suite is defined by ACT as integrated, curriculum based solutions that show measurement over time.

### ACT

- Assists in determining a student’s preparation for college level courses
- Assists colleges in developing appropriate course placement for students
- Covers four areas: English, mathematics, reading, and science reasoning
- Test time: 4 hours
  - Student information sections must be completed before the test day
  - Testing begins with the verbal instructions with no extended breaks for meals or other activities; all test sites must begin by 9:00 a.m.
  - Once testing begins with the verbal directions, rooms proceed independently
- Supervision (more stipulations than with PLAN and EXPLORE)
  - Test Supervisor and Back-up Test Supervisor
  - Room Supervisor
    - Reads directions and monitors students
    - Must include a proctor to assist with monitoring if more than 25 students in room
  - Roving Proctor
    - Suggested if using multiple rooms and floors
- ACT College Readiness Benchmark Scores
  - Median course placement scores achieved on the ACT
  - 50 percent chance that a student will earn a grade of B or better in typical first year college courses or about a 75 percent chance that a student will earn a grade of C or better in typical first year college courses

<b>Subject Test</b>	<b>Content/Skills Areas With Number of Items</b>	<b>ACT Benchmark Score</b>
English 45 minutes	Punctuation (10), Grammar and Usage (12), Sentence Structure (18), Rhetorical Skills: Strategy (12), Organization (11) & Style (12)	18
Mathematics 60 minutes	Pre-Algebra (14), Algebra (19), Geometry (23), Trigonometry (4)	22
Reading 35 minutes	Prose Fiction (10), Humanities (10), Social Studies (10), Natural Sciences (10)	21
Science 35 minutes	Biology: Data Representation (15), Chemistry: Research Summaries (18), Physics: Conflicting Viewpoints (7)	24

PLAN

- Serves as a midpoint measure of academic progress, used to analyze the relationship between instruction and academic skills
- Shares a common score scale, the scores earned on PLAN represent scores likely to be earned on ACT
- Enables students to know if they are on target to be ready for college
- Administered currently in MPS in 10<sup>th</sup> grade (typical grade level according to ACT)
- Test time: approximately 3.5 hours total administration time
  - 60-75 minutes for student information sections
    - 15 minutes included for Interest Inventory
    - can be done a day ahead to shorten test day time
  - 20-40 minutes for each of the content areas noted in table
    - Academic tests must be administered in one day
    - Calculator use on math test (four-function, scientific or graphing)
- Room Supervisor in each testing room
  - Reads directions and monitors students
  - Must include a proctor to assist with monitoring if more than 25 students in room
- PLAN Benchmark Scores

Subject Test	Content/Skills Areas With Number of Items	PLAN Benchmark Score
English 30 minutes	Punctuation (7), Grammar and Usage (9), Sentence Structure (14), Rhetorical Skills: Strategy (6), Organization (7) & Style (7)	15
Mathematics 40 minutes	Pre-Algebra (14), Algebra (8), Geometry (18)	19
Reading 20 minutes	Prose Fiction (8), Humanities (9), Social Studies (8)	17
Science 25 minutes	Biology: Data Representation (10), Chemistry: Research Summaries (14), Physics: Conflicting Viewpoints (6)	21

EXPLORE

- Serves as the entry measure of academic progress
- Provides insight into student understanding and skills and could assist with identifying areas of need for intervention
- Assists in planning ahead for students by identifying skills they may need to improve
- Can be taken in 8<sup>th</sup> and/or 9<sup>th</sup> grade
- Test time: approximately 3 hours total administration time
  - 40-50 minutes for student information sections
    - 15 minutes included for Interest Inventory
    - can be done a day ahead to shorten test day time
  - 30 minutes each of the content areas noted in table
    - Academic tests must be administered in one day
    - Calculator use on math test (four basic functions, square root function)
- Room Supervisor in each testing room
  - Reads directions and monitors students
  - Must include a proctor to assist with monitoring if more than 25 students in room

- EXPLORE Benchmark Scores

Subject Test	Content/Skills Areas With Number of Items	EXPLORE Benchmark Score	
		Grade 8	Grade 9
English 30 minutes	Punctuation (6), Grammar and Usage (8), Sentence Structure (11), Rhetorical Skills: Strategy (5), Organization (5) & Style (5)	13	14
Mathematics 30 minutes	Pre-Algebra (10), Algebra (9), Geometry (7), Statistics/Probability (4)	17	18
Reading 30 minutes	Prose Fiction (10), Humanities (10), Social Studies (10)	15	16
Science 30 minutes	Biology: Data Representation (12), Life Sciences: Research Summaries (10), Physical Sciences: Conflicting Viewpoints (6)	20	20

### WorkKeys

- Helps employers select, hire, train, develop and retain employees
- Measures skills valued by employers
- Aligned with industry competency models
- Assists in identifying strengths and weaknesses in workplace skills
- Organized by individual assessments
- Can earn a certificate, a work-related skills credential, composed of three WorkKeys assessments: Applied Mathematics, Reading for Information, and Locating Information
- Available in a transcript format as an official score report to employers

WorkKeys Assessments	WorkKeys Benchmark Score <i>Based on levels of difficulty</i>
	<i>Levels build on each other, incorporating the skills assessed at the previous level</i>
Applied Mathematics	<i>Lowest level is least complex</i> Five levels of difficulty: 3 - 7
Applied Technology	Four levels of difficulty: 3 - 6
Business Writing	Five levels of difficulty: 1 - 5
Listening for Understanding	Five levels of difficulty: 1 - 5
Locating Information	Four levels of difficulty: 3 - 6
Reading for Information	Five levels of difficulty: 3 - 7
Teamwork	Four levels of difficulty: 3 - 6
Workplace Observation	Five levels of difficulty: 1 - 5

Information obtained from:

- College and Career Readiness Solutions; ACT Catalog of Products and Services 2012/13
- ACT Website: [www.act.org](http://www.act.org)

## Millard North High School Comprehensive Calendar 2013-2014

August 2013				
M	T	W	T	F
			1	2
5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30
February 2014				
M	T	W	T	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28

September 2013				
M	T	W	T	F
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30				
March 2014				
M	T	W	T	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28
31				

October 2013				
M	T	W	T	F
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14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30	31	
April 2014				
M	T	W	T	F
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30		

November 2013				
M	T	W	T	F
				1
4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15
18	19	20	21	22
25	26	27	28	29
May 2014				
M	T	W	T	F
			1	2
5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30

December 2013				
M	T	W	T	F
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30	31			
June 2014				
M	T	W	T	F
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30				

January 2014				
M	T	W	T	F
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6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	31
July 2014				
M	T	W	T	F
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30	31	

- Aug. 1 First Day for New Teachers
- Aug. 5 Fall Orientation  
10<sup>th</sup> Grade 8-11 am  
11<sup>th</sup> Grade 1-4 pm
- Aug. 5 First Day for Veteran Teachers
- Aug. 6 9<sup>th</sup> Grade 8-11 am  
12<sup>th</sup> Grade 1-4 pm
- Aug. 8 Make-Up Day All Grades 8am-Noon
- Aug. 9 New Student ELO Testing
- Aug. 12 FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL-GRADE 9 ONLY
- Aug. 13 FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL-ALL STUDENTS
- Aug. 14 First day for 0 and 8<sup>th</sup> hour classes
- Aug. 22 MNHS Open House 6-8pm
- Sep. 2 Labor Day – NO SCHOOL
- Sep. 21 ACT at MNHS
- Oct. 10 Mock Interviews
- Oct. 12 Homecoming Dance 8-11pm
- Oct. 15 End of 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter
- Oct. 15 Parent-Teacher Conferences 4-8:00 pm
- Oct. 16 NO SCHOOL – Staff Development 8-4 pm
- Oct. 16 Parent-Teacher Conferences 4-8:00 pm
- Oct. 17 NO SCHOOL – Teacher Work Day
- Oct. 18 NO SCHOOL – Teacher Comp Day
- Oct. 19 PSAT at MNHS 8am – Noon
- Oct. 25 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Explore – 8:00-12:00 (12:00 dismissal)  
10<sup>th</sup> Grade PLAN – 8:00-12:00 (12:00 dismissal)  
11<sup>th</sup> Grade Sci/SS ELO – 8:00-12:00 (12:00 dismissal)  
12<sup>th</sup> Grade – Senior meeting/Step Out Day
- Oct. 26 ACT at MNHS
- Nov. 28-29 NO SCHOOL – Thanksgiving Break
- Dec. 14 ACT at MNHS
- Dec. 19 Final Exams periods 1, 3, 5, 7
- Dec. 20 Final Exams periods 2, 4, 6, 0/8

- Dec. 23 –Jan. 3 NO SCHOOL-WINTER BREAK
- Jan. 6 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester Begins
- Jan. 13 Middle School Visits this Week-Registration
- Jan. 20 NO SCHOOL-MLK Day –Staff Development
- Jan. 21 IB Information/Application Night 5:00 pm
- Jan. 25 Mustang Mania
- Jan. 28 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Orientation 5-7pm (Auditorium)
- Jan. 22-23 9<sup>th</sup> Grade- Report at 10:00  
10<sup>th</sup> Grade- AWA Testing 8:00-9:45am  
11<sup>th</sup> Grade- State Writing 8:00-9:45am  
12<sup>th</sup> Grade- Report at 10:00
- Jan. 30 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Orientation 5-7pm (Auditorium)
- Feb. 8 ACT at MNHS
- Feb. 11 Traditional Conference 4-8 pm
- Feb. 13 NO SCHOOL  
Mustang Time Advise. Conferences 1-8 pm
- Feb. 14 NO SCHOOL - Teacher Comp Day
- Feb. 17 NO SCHOOL - President’s Day – Teacher Work Day
- Feb. 25 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Registration Night 5-7 pm (MC)
- Feb. 27 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Registration Night 5-7 pm (MC) –  
Within district transfer students come this night
- Mar. 4 IB MYP/DP 2/4-year Plan Night 5:00pm (MC/C)
- Mar. 6 IB MYP/DP 2/4-year Plan Night 5:00pm (MC/C)
- Mar. 14 End of 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter
- Mar. 17-21 NO SCHOOL- Student Spring Break
- Mar. 25-26 11<sup>th</sup> Grade NeSA Math - Pullout
- Mar. 29 Prom @ Century Link Center 8-11pm
- Apr. 1-2 11<sup>th</sup> Grade NeSA Reading– Pullout
- Apr. 8-9 11<sup>th</sup> Grade NeSA Science– Pullout
- Apr. 12 ACT at MNHS

- Apr. 23 10<sup>th</sup> Grade ELO Math (12:00 school starts)  
11<sup>th</sup> Grade ACT (12:00 school starts)  
9<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> Grade (12:00 school starts)
- Apr. 24 Mock Interviews
- May 8 Senior Honors Night 6-7 pm (Auditorium)
- May 13-14 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Reading ELO – In English Classes
- May 23 Commencement Rehearsal @ 9:00am  
Last day for Seniors
- May 25 Commencement 1:00 pm
- May 26 NO SCHOOL-Memorial Day
- TBD Final Exams periods 1,3,5,7
- TBD Final Exams periods 0,2,4,6,8
- May 30 LAST DAY OF SCHOOL (Full Day)
- Jun. 2 Teacher Work Day
- Jun. 14 ACT at MNHS

No School for Students

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**Revised 06-26-13**

## Millard South High School Calendar 2013-2014 (as of 6.25.13)

**August 2013** 15

M	T	W	T	F
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**February 2014** 17

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**September 2013** 20

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**March 2014** 10-6

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**October 2013** 11-9

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**April 2014** 22

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**November 2013** 19

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**May 2014** 17

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**December 2013** 15

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**June 2014**

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**January 2014** 19

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**July 2014**

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- Aug. 1-5 New Teacher Induction
- Aug. 5-6 New Student Registration
- Aug. 6-7 Student Fall Orientation  
8/6 - 11<sup>th</sup> Grade 8-11:30am & 9<sup>th</sup> Grade 12:30-4pm  
8/7 - 12<sup>th</sup> Grade 8-11:30am & 10<sup>th</sup> Grade 12:30-4pm
- Aug. 5-9 All Certificated Staff - Workshops
- Aug. 9 Make-Up Orientation Day All Grades 8am-Noon
- Aug. 9 New Student ELO Testing (no AWA)
- Aug. 12 First day of school-**GRADE 9 ONLY**
- Aug. 13 First day of school-**ALL STUDENTS/Student Handbook Orientation**
- Aug. 19 Open House 6:30pm
- Aug. 28 Fall Pep Rally
- Sep. 2 **NO SCHOOL – Labor Day**
- Sept. 5 Extended PRIDE Time
- Sept. 10 Progress grades due
- Sept. 10 Senior Information Night 6:30pm
- Sept. 13 Last day to drop a class
- Sept. 14 Homecoming Dance 8-11pm
- Sept. 17 Academic Letter Awards 7pm
- Sept. 21 ACT @ Millard South
- Oct. 1 Progress grades due
- Oct. 2 PAYBAC Interviews
- Oct. 14-15 Parent Teacher Conferences 4-7:45p
- Oct. 15 End of 1<sup>st</sup> Qtr
- Oct. 16-18 **NO SCHOOL – Fall Break**
- Oct. 16 Teacher Work Day
- Oct. 17 Building Staff Development 7:30-3:45
- Oct. 18 Teacher Comp Day for Conferences
- Oct. 18 State Student Council Convention at MSHS
- Oct. 19 PSAT @ Millard South
- Oct. 22 Extended PRIDE Time

- Oct. 25 8:00am – 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Explorer  
8:00am – 10<sup>th</sup> Grade PLAN test  
8:00am – 11<sup>th</sup> Gr Science & Social Studies ELOs  
10:00am – Senior Meeting & Senior Photo  
12:00pm – School starts for all students
- Oct. 26 ACT at Millard South
- Nov. 5 College Prep/AP Night 7pm
- Nov. 7-8 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Respect Retreat
- Nov. 12 Progress Grades Due
- Nov. 28-29 **NO SCHOOL – Thanksgiving Break**
- Dec. 3 Progress Grades Due
- Dec. 4 Winter Pep Rally
- Dec. 12 Extended PRIDE Time
- Dec. 14 ACT @ Millard South
- Dec. 16-20 Finals Week/First Semester Ends  
**NO SCHOOL – Dec. 23-Jan. 3 – Winter Break**
- Jan. 6 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester Begins  
Teacher & Students return. PRIDE Time first
- Jan. 16 Vocational Career Fair 7:45-10:30am
- Jan. 20 MLK Day – No school for students – Staff Dev. (AM – District. PM – Building)
- Jan. 22-23 8:00am – 10<sup>th</sup> Gr AWA  
8:00am – 11<sup>th</sup> Gr State Writing Assessment  
10:00am – School starts for all students
- Jan. 28 Progress Grades Due
- Jan. 29-30 Extended PRIDE Time for Registration
- Feb. 7 Last day to drop a class
- Feb. 10-11 Advisement Conferences 4:00-7:45pm
- Feb. 13 **NO SCHOOL – Building Staff Development 7:30-3:45**
- Feb. 14 **NO SCHOOL – Teacher Comp Day for Conferences**
- Feb. 17 **NO SCHOOL – Teacher Work Day**
- Feb. 19 Progress Grades Due
- Feb. 26 PAYBAC Interviews

- Feb. 27 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Orientation/Activities Fair 6:30-8:30pm
- Mar. 4 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Registration 4:00-6:00pm (Central)
- Mar. 6 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Registration 4:00-6:00pm (Anderson)
- Mar. 12 Spring Pep Rally
- Mar. 14 End of 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter
- Mar. 17-21 **NO SCHOOL - Student Spring Break**
- Mar. 25-28 NESAs State Testing
- Apr. 5 Prom
- Apr. 8-11 NESAs State Testing
- Apr. 12 ACT @ Millard South
- Apr. 15 Progress Grades Due
- Apr. 15 Extended PRIDE Time & Senior Meeting
- Apr. 15-18 NESAs State Testing
- April 23 8:00am – 11<sup>th</sup> Grade ACT  
12:00pm – School starts for all students
- May 5-16 Advanced Placement Exams
- May 6 Progress Grades Due
- May 15 Honors Night/Senior Art Show 7:00pm
- May 25 Graduation 4:00pm
- May 26 Memorial Day
- May 30 Last day of school for students
- Jun. 2 Teacher Work Day
- Jun. 14 ACT @ Millard South



No School for Students  
Late Start or Early Dismissal

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Aug. 1 First Day for New Teachers  
 Aug. 2 **"Back to School" Process 8-3:00 pm**  
 Aug. 5 **"Back to School" Process 11-6:00 pm**  
 Aug. 5-9 Start Date for Veteran Staff/Fall Workshop  
 Aug. 8 Meet and Greet for New Students (6:30 pm)  
 Aug. 9 "Back to School" Make-Up Day 9-11:00 am  
 Aug. 12 **FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL – GRADE 9 ONLY**  
 Aug. 13 **FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL – ALL STUDENTS**  
 Aug. 16 "Back to School" Dance (8:00-11:00 p.m.)  
 Aug. 22 Open House (7:00 – 8:00)  
 Aug. 29 Pep Rally  
 Sept. 2 **NO SCHOOL – LABOR DAY**  
 Sept. 13 Last Day to Drop a Term 1 Class  
 Sept. 19 Mock Interviews  
 Oct. 4 Red Cross Blood Drive  
 Oct. 10 Homecoming Pep Rally  
 Oct. 12 Homecoming Dance (8:00-11:00 p.m.)  
 Oct. 15 End of the Quarter/Term 1  
 Oct. 15 Pre-Arranged Conferences – (4:30-8:00)  
 Oct. 16 Parent-Teacher Conferences (4:00-8:00)  
 College Planning Night (6:00)  
 Oct. 16 **NO SCHOOL – Teacher Work Day**  
 Oct. 17 **NO SCHOOL – Building Staff Development**  
 Oct. 18 **NO SCHOOL – Teacher Comp Day**  
 Oct. 19 PSAT Test (8am-12pm)  
 Oct. 21 Semester/Term 2 Begins  
 Oct. 25 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Explorer – (8:00-11:15)  
 10<sup>th</sup> Grade PLAN – (8:00-11:15)  
 11<sup>th</sup> Grade Sci/Soc. Studies ELO (8:00-11:15)  
 12<sup>th</sup> Grade – Senior Meeting (10:00-11:15)

Oct. 26 ACT Test @ MWHS  
 Nov. 7 Mock Interviews  
 Nov. 15 Last Day to Drop a Class for Term 2  
 Nov. 28-29 **NO SCHOOL – THANKSGIVING BREAK**  
 Dec. 6 Winter Pep Rally  
 Dec. 14 ACT Test @ MWHS  
 Dec. 20 End of Semester/Term 2  
 Dec 23-Jan3 **NO SCHOOL – WINTER BREAK**  
 Jan. 6 Semester/Term 3 Begins  
 Jan. 14 AP Information Night 7:00 pm  
 Jan. 20 **NO SCHOOL – District/Building Staff Dev.**  
 Jan. 22-23 9<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> – Report at 10:00  
 10<sup>th</sup> Grade AWA 8-10  
 11<sup>th</sup> Grade – NeSA W 8:00-9:45 am  
 Jan. 31 Last Day to Drop a Class for Semester/Term 3  
 Feb. 8 ACT Test @ MWHS  
 Feb. 11 Advisement Conferences (4:30-8 pm)  
 Feb. 12 Mock Interviews  
 Feb. 13 **NO SCHOOL – Building Staff Development/**  
**Advisement Conferences (1:00-8:00)**  
 Feb. 14 **NO SCHOOL – Teacher Comp Day**  
 Feb. 17 **NO SCHOOL – Teacher Work Day**  
 Feb. 27 Incoming 9<sup>th</sup> grade Night – Registration  
 6:00 – 6:45 pm / Activity Fair - 7:00-7:30  
 Mar. 13 AP Kickoff Night (5:00-6:30 pm)  
 Mar. 14 End of Semester/Term 3  
 Mar. 17-21 **NO SCHOOL – SPRING BREAK**  
 Mar. 24 Semester/Term 4 Begins  
 Mar 31 11<sup>th</sup> Grade State Math – 1<sup>st</sup> Group (800-9:15)  
 April 7 11<sup>th</sup> Grade State Math – 1<sup>st</sup> Group (800-9:15)

Apr. 11 Last Day to Drop a Class for Semester/Term 4  
 Apr. 12 Prom @ Century Link  
 Apr. 12 ACT Test @ MWHS  
 April 21 11<sup>th</sup> Grade State Science– 1<sup>st</sup> Group (8:00-9:15)  
 Apr. 23 11<sup>th</sup> Grade ACT (8-11 a.m.)  
 9,10,12 Grade PM classes  
 Apr. 28 11<sup>th</sup> Grade State Science– 2<sup>nd</sup> Group (8:00-9:15)  
 Apr. 30-May2 Class Recognition Ceremonies (QT)  
 May 1 Mock Interviews  
 May 5-16 AP Tests  
 May 6 Senior Honors Night – 7 pm (Auditorium)  
 May 19 Senior Banquet (Commons)  
 May 23 Commencement Rehearsal @ 12:00  
**Last Day for Seniors** (Civic Auditorium)  
 May 25 Commencement 7:00 (Civic Auditorium)  
 May 26 **NO SCHOOL – MEMORIAL DAY**  
 May 30 **LAST DAY OF SCHOOL**  
 June 2 Teacher Work Day  
 June 14 ACT Test @ MWHS

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