

Meeting

Introductions

Ryan Badour – Assistant Principal

Jennifer Brown – Counselor

Christi Jean – Administrative Assistant

Jason Long – Counselor

Curt Moses – Principal

Rachel Tallon – MCAN College Advisor

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS Class of 2025

English – 4 Credits – English 9, English 10, English 11, and English 12

Math – 4 Credits – Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II, and Math/Math Related Class

Senior Year

Science – 3 Credits – Biology, Chemistry, and Physics OR Biology, Physical Sciences, and 3rd Science credit (Science class or CTE)

Social Studies – 3 Credits – World History, US History, Government, and Economics

Visual, Performing, or Applied Arts (VPAA) – 1 Credit

World Language – 2 Credits (or 1 World Language credit and additional VPAA credit)

Health - .5 Credit

Physical Education - .5 Credit

On-Line Experience – Integrated

21 CREDITS REQUIRED TO GRADUATE

Planning for Your Future

- Junior Year: 4 Core Classes -- English 11, Government, Economics, Science, and Math (Algebra 2 or Trig/Pre Calculus)
- Have you taken PE, Health, and a credit of Visual, Performing and Applied Arts?
- Have you completed your World Language requirement?
- Are all of your 9th and 10th grade core class requirements met?
- Many opportunities for BC elective courses that match your career interest
- Job shadowing opportunities

Job Shadowing Opportunities

- Complete the online application
- Students research their career using Xello
- Job Shadowing placements are arranged by Midland County ESA
- o This is a school-related program − school-related absence

BE Class Opportunities

- Advanced Sciences and Math Physiology and AP Biology, Trig/Pre Calc
- OFine Arts General, Intermediate, Advanced Art, Varsity Band, and Cadet Band
- Industrial Technology-Woodworking, Welding, Construction Tech, Intro to Engineering I, and Engineering II
- OBusiness -Computer I and II, Web Design I and II
- OFamily and Consumer Science-Educational Careers, Child Development, and Foods and Nutrition
- World Language Spanish I-IV
- OPE/Health PE 2 , Low-Impact PE
- English Elective AP English Literature and Comp, Journalism
- Social Studies Electives –Sociology, Psychology, and Current Issues

Personal Eurriculum

- Opportunity provided by the State of Michigan to alter the Michigan Merit Curriculum and Bullock Creek graduation requirements
- Requested by Parent
- O Questions? See Counseling

Valedictorian, Salutatorian & Academic Honors

- 1 Valedictorian and 1 Salutatorian per graduating class
- In the event that there are ties based on GPA (formula of GPA combined with state approved assessment-SAT) will be used
- Latin Honor System
 - Summa Cum Laude 3.99 and Above
 - Magna Cum Laude 3.8 3.98
 - **■** Cum Laude 3.50 3.79
- Formula determines Graduation Speakers, TV-5 Best and Brightest, and TVC All Academic Honors

College Advisor

- Rachel Tallon, MCAN College Advisor
- College Application Month
- College Cash Campaign FAFSA
- Decision Day
- Individual Meetings with Students/Parents

FINANCIAL AID

- ► FAFSA Free Application for Federal Student Aid
- Opens up October 1, 2023 (for Seniors)
- Deadline to apply is March 1, 2024



SCHOLARSHIPS

- Awarded to students (typically seniors) based on academics, athletics, financial need, volunteerism, color of your hair
- Apply early and to as many as possible...watch deadlines
- Midland Area Community Foundation, Bullock Creek Website, Scholarship Website, Parents Places of Employment
- Scholarship Scams

Off-Campus Programs

- Career & Technical Education (CTE)
- Dual Enrollment
- Work-Based Learning/Co-op (Senior Year Only)
- O REQUIREMENTS:
 - O Application and Permission Slip
 - Minimum 2.0 GPA and good attendance
 - Prerequisites may be needed
 - Criteria for dual enrollment

GRADING: With the exception of Co-op, off campus programs earn a letter grade on transcript and are factored into GPA

Midland County CTE Programs

- ODon Johnson, Midland County ESA
- Classes offered at Midland Public Schools, Coleman High School, Meridian High School, GMCA, and Delta
- Based on availability and meeting scheduling needs

CTE at BCHS

- Construction Trades
- **Educational Careers**
- Woodworking

Applications required for all of these programs

AGRISCIENCE

- Careers in agriculture, natural resources, animal science, plant science, agribusiness, and leadership
- Focus on projects in lab, greenhouse, and animal barn
- Potential to earn college credit
- Offered at Coleman Community
 Schools



AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGY

- Automobile care, maintenance, and critical elements of safety
- O NATEF National Skills
 - O Electrical, suspension and steering
 - **Engine** performance
 - Brakes
 - college credits at Delta
 - Midland Public Schools Dow High



BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

- Learn more about human resources, entrepreneurship, marketing, advertising, and management
- Midland Public Schools - Dow High School



COSMETOLOGY



- Cosmetology classes offered through Bay Arenac Career Center and Bayshire Beauty Academy in Bay City
- Two-year program that starts in August 2023
- Work towards earning 1500 required hours to take certification exams

CULINARY ARTS

- Hands on experience where students learn in a commercial kitchen
- Students learn about nutrition, safety in preparing food as well as catering events
- Offered at Coleman High School

GREATER MICHIGAN CONSTRUCTION ACADEMY



- Careers in carpentry, electrical, welding, and HVAC (heating, ventilation and air conditioning)
- Hands on learning
- Earn credentials from
 National Center for
 Construction Education and
 Research (NCCER) and
 possibly college credit

HEALTH CARE TECHNOLOGY

- Career interest in the healthcare field such as nurse, doctor, x-ray technician, sonographer, dentist, etc.
- Potential to earn college credit
 at Delta
- Midland Public Schools –Midland High School



Dual Enrollment

- Opportunity to earn college credit while still in high school
- Criteria for eligibility...uses PSAT, ACT, SAT, or Accuplacer Scores along with grades and attendance
- Classes offered at Delta, SVSU, CMU, Northwood, Davenport, and Mid-Michigan Community College, and beyond
- Tuition covered up to \$725/class
- Transportation responsibility of student
- Failing a class, dropping a class, or being dropped from a class requires reimbursement to BC for tuition and fees
- Dual enrollment classes earn a letter grade on transcript and are factored into GPA, unless otherwise declared
- Starting college transcript. No more than 10 college courses.

Bullock Creek Early College Program

- Program that allows you to earn both high school and college credit (different from dual enrollment opportunity)
- All college classes must be taken through Delta
- Defer your diploma for one year and take a 5th year of high school (all 5th year classes at Delta)
- Opportunity to earn up to 60 college credits at the end of your 5th year
- Application process and requirements for admittance will be covered at Parent and Student Informational Meeting – following this meeting

Next Steps

- January 30 Met with Class of 2025 students
 - Watch for Green Schedule Request Sheet that needs to be signed by parent/guardian
- February 9 Signed Request Sheets due to Counseling Center
- February 9 All Off-Campus Applications and Permission Slips and Online Applications Due
- February 15 Early College Application Due
- March 1- Journalism Application due

QUESTIONS?

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