



August 23, 2024

Families & Community:

Every summer's end sneaks up on the Fleenor family—this one was no different! I hope you had a wonderful summer break and are still enjoying summer—it is not over! **We are ready to welcome back students on Monday, August 26. The first day of school will be a ½ day for all students.** A reminder of full-day and half-day instructional hours:

	<u>Full Day Instructional Hours</u>	<u>Half Day Instructional Hours</u>
High School (9-12) & Middle School (6-8)	7:40 am – 2:35 pm	7:40 am – 11:00 am
Later Elementary (3-5) & Early Elementary (K-2)	8:50 am – 3:55 pm	8:50 am – 12:15 pm
Early Childhood Education Center (Y5)	8:40 am – 3:45 pm	8:40 am – 12:05 pm

One last note: an update on the **School Construction Bond** will be sent shortly. As you know, the community passed a \$110 Million Bond this past May. [Check out this link](#) if you'd like to refresh up on the projects. Thank you!

The district has had a productive week with our professional development around school culture, relationship building, and equipping staff to better support students and provide tools for authentic classroom engagement.

We wish you a wonderful and successful school year!

Together with Mattawan Pride,

Randy Fleenor, Superintendent

Important Dates

- August 26—students first day, ½ day for all students; staff professional development
- August 30 –September 2—no school, recess
- September 18—½ day
- October 10—½ day
- October 31—½ day
- November 1—no school
- November 25-29—no school, recess
- December 23–January 7—no school, recess

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