

MILLARD MUSTANG EXPRESS



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A Word from our Principal

Dear Millard Families,

Can you believe it's November? As the saying goes, "time flies when you're having fun!" Our students and staff have been busy working and concluding the first trimester of the school year. Students will be receiving their report cards during conference week via the parent portal. Teachers have reached out to families to schedule a conference with parents and guardians during the Week of November 14th. Parents can attend in person or via Zoom. It is important that you meet with your child's teacher to discuss any concerns or ask any questions that you may have. If you would like to meet with our PE or science teachers, please contact them directly to schedule an appointment.

The month of November invites us to reflect on the things that we are thankful for. In the spirit of gratefulness, I want to share some of the reasons that I am thankful. I am thankful for our students because they remind me of the joy of learning, building relationships, and creating dreams. I am thankful for our amazing teachers and staff and for their dedication to our students. Lastly, I am thankful for our wonderful Millard Elementary School community and for their continued support and the sharing of their gifts and talents with all of us. We Are Millard!

In Partnership,

Dr. Jorge D. Gonzalez
Interim Principal

November

Nov. 6, Sunday

Daylight Savings Ends

Nov. 8, Tuesday

Picture Re-take Day

Nov. 11, Friday

Veteran's Day—No school

Nov. 14-18, Monday-Friday

Parent Teacher Conferences

Minimum day schedule all week for grades 1-5

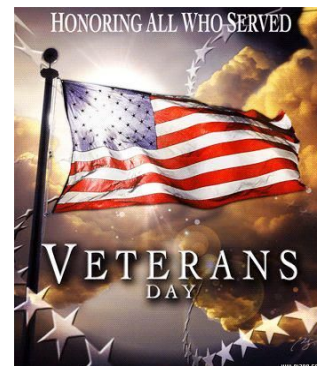
Nov. 21-25

NO SCHOOL - Thanksgiving Break

Nov. 28, Monday

School Site Council Meeting via Zoom

No SCHOOL
Friday, NOVEMBER 11TH





Parent/Teacher Conferences in November

Parent/Teacher Conferences with your child's teacher will be held via Zoom or in person from Monday November 14 – Friday November 18. These are the days set aside for designated parent/teacher meetings during the year. To accommodate parent/teacher conferences, Millard will be on a minimum day schedule the week of November 14-18.

Classroom teachers are currently arranging conference times with parents. Please make every effort to attend your child's conference via Zoom or in person. Additionally, if you would like a conference with a school specialist, such as your child's Physical Education or Science Specialist, please reach out directly to him/her via email to request a conference. Millard staff contacts are available on our [Millard Website](#).



School Site Council/ELAC Meeting

Our next SSC and ELAC meeting will be on Monday, November 28th. We are looking for parents of English learner students to join the SSC. We still have one more opening for a parent representative. If you are interested, please contact Dr. Gonzalez.



Attendance line

Daily school attendance is extremely important to assure your child's maximum progress in school. If your child is absent, please call the school office at 657-0344, then **press 7**. This will connect you to our Absence Reporter where you can leave a message. Be aware that only illness, doctor/dentist appointments and bereavement are considered as excused absences. As required by Board Policy 5113, all absences must be verified by the office staff by either a telephone call or letter/doctor excuse. During distance learning, attendance is very important. Automatic calls are sent to students that are absent and parents must call the office or email the attendance clerk at tkaczmarek@fusdk12.net to indicate the reason for their absence.



Is that your coat?

As the weather gets cooler, we ask that you write your child's name and room number in their coats and winter gear.



Health Reminder

If your child is ill, please have them stay home to recover before returning to school.

Please contact the school office at 510-657-0344 and press 7 to report an absence.



Lost and Found

Our lost and found container is full. If your child lost an item, we ask that you stop by the lost and found and collect it. All items left in the lost and found bin will be donated to charity during winter break.



Home Lunch Containers

We ask that students do not bring glass containers to school as they may break and cause injury.



Pet Reminder

We love our pets at Millard Elementary. We ask that if you bring your pet on campus that you clean up after them. We want to ensure that our students have a clean environment for learning and having fun. Thank you for your support.



Staff Parking Lot

There is no parking in any of the staff parking lots. All vehicles parked in the handicap spots must have a handicap placard.