

# Midway Independent School District

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## **Subject: Recognitions**

MISD Board of Trustees: February 2026

Agenda Item – 5A-F

### **Background Information**

#### Recognitions:

#### **A. February Recognition Days**

Black History Month  
Career and Technical Education Month  
February 2 Texas Military Heroes Day  
February 2-6 National School Counseling Week  
February 16 Presidents Day  
February 19 State of Texas Anniversary Day\*

#### **B. All State Band**

**Emmanuel Maxey**, senior, was selected as a 2026 TMEA All-State Band musician, earning 1st Chair Piccolo in the Philharmonic Orchestra. This distinction represents the highest level of achievement for Texas high school band students and reflects exceptional musicianship and dedication. The Midway High School Band is led by Pam Hyatt.

#### **C. All State Choir**

The following students were named **2026 TMEA All-State Choir members**, an honor earned through a rigorous audition process involving thousands of students statewide:

- **Millie Cherry**, senior – 2nd Chair Soprano 2, All-State Mixed Choir
- **Jack Davis**, sophomore – 3rd Chair Bass 1, All-State Tenor-Bass Choir
- **Cady Eggleston**, senior – 1st Chair Alto 1, All-State Mixed Choir
- **Bailey Fornwalt**, sophomore – 5th Chair Alto 2, All-State Treble Choir
- **Mark Hall**, senior – 1st Chair Bass 2, All-State Mixed Choir
- **Ashlyn LaStrape**, junior – 4th Chair Soprano 1, All-State Treble Choir
- **LeAngel Rodriguez**, senior – 4th Chair Tenor 2, All-State Tenor-Bass Choir
- **Elizabeth Trauth**, junior – 5th Chair Soprano 2, All-State Treble Choir
- **Anthony Zavala**, junior – 4th Chair Bass 2, All-State Tenor-Bass Choir

These recognitions reflect outstanding vocal talent, discipline, and musical excellence. The Midway High School Choir is led by Caleb Overstreet.

#### **D. All State Orchestra**

**Glenn Eshelman**, junior, was named a **2026 TMEA All-State Orchestra musician**, earning **16th Chair Violin in the Symphony Orchestra**. Selection to an All-State orchestra represents one of the highest honors a Texas student musician can achieve. Midway High School Orchestra is led by Terrence Guerrero.

#### **E. Region 12 Counselor of the Year**

**Lindsey Ostrom**, school counselor at Chapel Park Elementary School, was named the **2026 Region 12 Elementary Counselor of the Year** by Education Service Center Region 12. Selected from 19 nominees across the region, Ostrom is recognized for her strong advocacy for students and her commitment to whole-child support. She has served as a

school counselor for nine years, including seven years in Midway ISD.

#### **F. Educational Results Partnership Honor Roll**

Midway ISD was named a 2025 ERP Honor Roll District, marking the second consecutive year the district has earned this distinction. Only 84 school districts statewide received Honor Roll recognition.

In addition, six Midway ISD campuses were named to the 2025 Texas Honor Roll—up from three campuses last year:

- **Midway High School** (Star)
- **Hewitt Elementary** (Star)
- **Spring Valley Elementary** (Star)
- **South Bosque Elementary** (Scholar)
- **Park Hill Elementary** (Star)
- **Chapel Park Elementary** (Star)

The ERP Honor Roll recognizes schools and districts for consistent academic achievement, student growth over time, and success in closing achievement gaps, using multiple years of STAAR data.

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