

New MEA Resolution # 3

Title: Student Attendance

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Text of proposal:

The Michigan Education Association believes that consistent student attendance in school is vital. The Association supports the ongoing efforts of schools and educators to minimize tardiness, truancy, and other attendance issues.

The Association further believes that these efforts must be culturally responsive and focused on creating and implementing systems that promote student success.

Rationale:

The Michigan Education Association's Resolutions document does not adequately address student attendance. The above language was adopted by the National Education Association at the 2025 RA.