

# MSU Take Your Child To Work Day

#MSUKidsAtWorkDay

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#	Activities Available with Drop-In Hours	
1	Munn Ice Arena- Open Skate- Description below	1:00PM – 4:00 PM
2	MSU ID Badges for Kids- ID Office- Description below	9:00AM – 3:00 PM
3	Dairy Plant- Dairy Store- Description below	11:00AM – 4:00 PM

*\* Asterisks below indicate that the activity/tour is limited to a specific number of participants per timeslot and will be offered on a first come first serve basis. Please read the description below for more details.*

#	Unit/Department Offering Activities	8:30-9:30 AM	10:00-11:00 AM		12:15 – 1:00 PM	1:30-2:30 PM	3:00-4:00 PM
4	IM East Olympics- IM Sports and Fitness		X	Lunch on Your Own	Central Certificate Ceremony at Shaw Hall with Sparty!		
5	Be a Spartan Landscaper for a Day (IPF)	X	X				
6	A Smashing Time with Nuclei at Facility for Rare Isotope Beams		X				
7	Statistics Scavenger Hunt						X
8	Explore the Breslin Center Hall of History	X	X			X	X
9	Broad Art Museum Open House		X			X	
10	What Do Librarians Do?		X				
11	Around the World- University Procurement and Logistics	X					
12	Cookie Decorating with MSU Hospitality Business		X			X	
13	Honey Bees and Other Pollinators- Entomology		X			X	X
14	Soil, it's Not Just Dirt- College of Civil Engineering					X	
15	Droning on About Drones- College of Civil Engineering						X
16	Let's Face It- College of Civil Engineering					X	X
17	Trash To Treasure- Exploring Recycling, Composting, and Upcycling						X
18	Radiology Healing Gardens Scavenger Hunt	X	X			X	X
19	Radiology for Kids	X	X			X	X
20	On the Tennis Court					X	
21	Clinical Clerkship Photo Op		X				
22	Bug House Open House					X	X
23	Create Your Own Package and Optimize the Material Used to Ship It!		X				
24	The Beauty of Chinese Calligraphy		X				
25	Around the World in 40 Minutes!					X	
26	Welcome to Guyana, the "Land of Many Waters"!						X
27	Big Astronomy and Night Skies Over Michigan					X	

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28	Clinical Skills Lab Tour- Veterinary Medicine	X	X				
29	Facility for Rare Isotope Beams Research Facility Tour*	X					
30	Teaching Greenhouse and Conservatory Tour		X			X	
31	WKAR TV and Radio Studios Tour	X	X				
32	Data Center Facilities Tour- Information Technology*	X	X				
33	Main Library Tour	X					X
34	Tour of Spartan Stadium 8th Floor					X	X
35	Department of Police and Public Safety Tour*	X	X			X	X
36	Are you Ready 2 Help?	X	X			X	X
37	The Science of Taste and Smell		X				X
38	Prepare for Your Dreams - Resumes and Mock Interviews with Career Services		X			X	
39	Career Mapping: Connecting Your Passions to Career Paths		X				
40	Tour Beaumont Tower with MSU Tower Guard and MSU Carillon					X	
41	Kid-Friendly Gaming and Esports					X	X
42	MSU College of Law Spartan Journey to Justice Tour*					X	X
43	Rest & Relaxation Station	X	X				
44	Mindful Minis with Counseling and Psychiatric Services						X
45	Worry-Less Crafting with Counseling and Psychiatric Services		X				
46	Artful Expressions with Counseling and Psychiatric Services					X	
47	Got A/V? Walking Tour *					X	
48	MSU Information Technology Scavenger Hunt *	X	X				
49	Tea for Two – Learn about Chinese Culture	X	X				
50	Why Race Car Drivers Need to be Fit *	X	X			X	X
51	Spartan KINja Warrior Obstacle Course					X	
52	Flower Planting with Landscape Services		X				

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We want to give a special thank you to all of the units/colleges on campus who have donated items for the Take Your Child to Work Day event. We would like to recognize and extend our sincerest gratitude to:

Infrastructure Planning and Facilities: Surplus and Recycling Center  
Munn Ice Arena  
Department of Entomology- Pollinators and Pollination  
College of Law  
College of Communication Arts and Sciences- WKAR

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[t2hosted.com](https://t2hosted.com)) or park in pay-by-plate lots and metered spots for \$2/hour. An interactive campus map can be found here <https://maps.msu.edu/interactive/index.php>. If you have any questions regarding parking, contact the MSU Parking Services at (517) 355-8440 or submit your question by completing the form found by clicking the link: [Qualtrics Survey | Qualtrics Experience Management](#) within their operation hours Mon-Fri 8am-4pm.

### **Central Certificate Ceremony:**

Join us for the Central Certificate Ceremony from 12:15pm-1:00pm at Shaw Hall Basement West Study Lounge. We'll be celebrating participation in MSU's 2024 Take Your Child to Work Day event with the one and only Sparty! Also enjoy an MSU Bakers' cookies and a certificate!

Shaw Hall

591 N. Shaw Lane, East Lansing, MI 48823

Closest Parking: Employee parking available in Ramp 1 or Parking Lot 41

Enter from either the rear entrance of Shaw Hall (riverside) or the front west entrance (Elevators and stairs available at front west entrance of Shaw Hall)

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## **ACTIVITIES AND TOURS**



### **1. Munn Ice Arena Open Skate Intercollegiate Athletes- Munn Ice Arena**

**Munn Ice Arena- 509 Birch Road, East Lansing, MI**

*Munn Concourse, Section G.*

**Drop-in Hours: 1:00pm – 4:00 pm**

Munn Ice Arena welcomes Take Your Child to Work Day participants to come ice skating. Skating will be available from 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm.

*\*\* Skate rental will be available at no charge. Please skate at your own risk.*

## 2. MSU ID Badges for Kids Information and Technology- ID Office

**International Center- 427 N. Shaw Lane, East Lansing, MI**

*ID Office- First Floor*

**Drop-in Hours: 9:00am – 3:00pm**

MSU IT's ID Office welcomes Take Your Child to Work Day visitors to come to our office to have an MSU badge printed. The ID Office will take a child's photo and use that photo to print a commemorative MSU ID badge as a keepsake.

## 3. Dairy Plant MSU Extension- Dairy Store

**Dairy Store- 474 S. Shaw Lane, East Lansing, MI**

**Drop-in Hours: 11:00am – 4:00pm**

The Dairy Plant will provide access to the observation deck where anyone can view ice cream and cheese making equipment. The Plant will be in production of ice cream on this day in the morning and early-afternoon. The Dairy Store will open an hour early (11am) and provide a free topping of all size scoops.

*\*\* The Dairy Plant is NOT an allergen-free production facility, though the Dairy Store does have allergen-free ice cream and sorbet options available.*

## 4. IM East Olympics Auxiliary Sports- Recreational Sports and Fitness Services

**IM East- 804 East Shaw Lane, East Lansing, MI**

*In the gym*

**10:00 - 11:00am**

In the IM East Olympics, Take Your Child to Work Day visitors will have the opportunity to shoot a round of hoops, play some pickleball, take a lap around the track, and if time is left, participants may play HORSE.

*\*\* Participants need to wear tennis shoes.*

## 5. Be a Spartan Landscaper for a Day Infrastructure Planning and Facilities- Landscape Services

**Landscape Services Building- 1060 Stadium Road, East Lansing, MI**

*Main entrance*

**8:30 - 9:30am, 10:00 - 11:00am**

Get to know what it's like to be a Spartan Landscaper. Operate large machinery, climb a tree, and take a ride in an 80-foot bucket truck.

*\*\* Closed-toed shoes only*

## 6. A Smashing Time with Nuclei Facility for Rare Isotope Beams

**FRIB- 640 S. Shaw Lane, East Lansing, MI**

*You can enter FRIB at our lobby door in the curved glass section at the NW corner of the building (right next to Chemistry).*

**10:00 - 11:00am**

Accelerate a model nucleus and smash it to create isotopes that don't exist on Earth but might be made in stars. Try several demonstrations that simulate the research done at MSU's Facility for Rare Isotope Beams, a world-class nuclear laboratory!

## 7. Statistics Scavenger Hunt College of Natural Science- Statistics and Probability

**Wells Hall- 619 Red Cedar Road, East Lansing, MI**

*C-Wing, 4th Floor, by the elevator*

**3:00 - 4:00pm**

Travel around the STT department completing activities to discover clues on where the treasure is located! Solve the final puzzle as you collect clues at each obstacle and enjoy some treats and fun once you find the treasure!

## 8. Explore the Breslin Center Hall of History Auxiliary Sports Group- Breslin Center

**Breslin Center- 534 Birch Road, East Lansing, MI**

*Gilbert Pavilion entrance*

**8:30 - 9:30am, 10:00 - 11:00am, 1:30 - 2:30pm, 3:00 - 4:00pm**

The Breslin Center invites you to join us and explore the Hall of History and dive into the history of the MSU Basketball program. Visitors can see items such as trophies, archived videos/interviews from the basketball program, and items from past Breslin events.

## 9. Broad Art Museum Open House University Arts and Collections- MSU Broad Art Museum

**Broad Art Museum- 547 E Circle Drive, East Lansing, MI**

*At the museum welcome desk on the first floor.*

**10:00 - 11:00am, 1:30 - 2:30pm**

What do you want to be when you grow up? Learn more about the many creative careers in museums at this art-filled open house designed for MSU faculty/staff families. Tour the galleries to learn more about how we support artists by curating, installing, and sharing their art with visitors of all ages. Then practice thinking like an artist by becoming one yourself at our hands-on creation stations!

 **10. What Do Librarians Do?**  
**Libraries Outreach and Engagement**

**Main Library- 366 W. Circle Drive, East Lansing, MI**

*Main Library Lobby, next to the Circulation Desk*

**10:00 - 11:00am**

MSU Libraries welcomes Take Your Child to Work Day visitors. When you think of libraries, you probably think of books. We have millions of those, and so many other exciting projects. Come and hear from a panel of librarians and other professional library employees about the important role they play as MSU's academic heart of campus.

 **11. Around the World**  
**University Procurement and Logistics**


**University Procurement and Logistics- 166 Service Road, East Lansing, MI**

*University Stores storefront*

**8:30 - 9:30am**

Take a trip around the world of University Procurement and Logistics! Pick up your passport and earn stamps for completing activities such as picking up packaged orders, loading a delivery truck, and finding hidden items in the warehouse. Snacks and prizes will be provided.

*\*\* Closed-toed shoes are required.*

 **12. Cookie Decorating with MSU Hospitality Business**  
**Eli Broad College- School of Hospitality Business**

**Eppley Center- 667 N Shaw Lane, East Lansing, MI**

*On the 4th floor*

**10:00 - 11:00am, 1:30 - 2:30pm**

The School of Hospitality Business at MSU invites Take Your Child to Work Day visitors to participate in a fun cookie-decorating activity! We look forward to exploring the world of hospitality with you.

*\*\* Cannot guarantee nut-free.*

 **13. Honey Bees and Other Pollinators**  
**Department of Entomology- Pollinators and Pollination**

**4090 N College Road, Building E, East Lansing, MI**

*(Across from the dairy farm) Free parking along the driveway. Activities will be on the front lawn, pending weather.*

**10:00 - 11:00am, 1:30 - 2:30pm, 3:00 - 4:00pm**

MSU's honey bee team welcomes visitors to learn about honey bees and other pollinators. Join us for a bee scavenger hunt and see what the inside of a honey bee hive looks like while learning how MSU contributes to helping our pollinators!

*\*\* Bees will be confined, no sting concern beyond usual outdoor risk. Activities will be moved indoors if weather is undesirable.*



#### 14. Soil, It's Not Just Dirt!

##### College of Engineering- Civil and Environmental Engineering

Engineering Building- 428 S Shaw Lane, East Lansing, MI

*Enter at the doors at the corner of Red Cedar and S Shaw Lane, Classroom 1538 for activity.*

**1:30 – 2:30pm**

Forget about boring dirt clods! Soil is like the Earth's superhero without the cape, it's the foundation for everything, including the epic skate park you shred to the stadium where your team scores the winning goal. Come join Civil and Environmental Engineering and dive into the dirt-tastic world of soil and discover how it keeps roads smooth, buildings strong, and your skin hydrated and clean! *\*\* Close-toed shoes recommended*



#### 15. Droning on About Drones

##### College of Engineering- Civil and Environmental Engineering

Engineering Building- 428 S Shaw Lane, East Lansing, MI

*Enter at the doors at the corner of Red Cedar and S Shaw Lane, Conference Room 3405 for activity.*

**3:00 – 4:00pm**

Imagine soaring through the air, getting a bird's-eye view of towering buildings, sprawling highways, and mighty bridges. No, I am not dreaming, I am piloting a drone on a mission to protect our infrastructure! Join us on an adventure where technology meets the real world i.e. you get to see the miniature 3D printed models of real-life bridges, dams, and other structures analyzed by machine learning. You might just discover your future career as a drone pilot, engineer, or both!

*\*\* Flying drone demonstration if the weather permits.*



#### 16. Let's Face It

##### College of Engineering- Civil and Environmental Engineering

Engineering Building- 428 S Shaw Lane, East Lansing, MI

*Conference Room 3546D*

**1:30 – 2:30pm, 3:00 – 4:00pm**

Get creative with MSU Civil and Environmental Engineering. We invite our young visitors and future Engineers to stop by to explore with an innovative STEM play set, a coloring sheet contest, and face painting. Our engineers design roads, buildings, bridges, environmental systems and more, that makes them artists too. Show us what you can do.

*\*\* Face painting will be done in order of arrival between 1-4.*

## 17. Trash to Treasure: Explore Recycling, Composting, and Upcycling Infrastructure and Planning Facilities- Surplus Store & Recycling Center

**Recycling Center- 468 Green Way, East Lansing, MI**

*The recycling center material recovery facility (follow signs)*

**3:00 – 4:00pm**

Follow a treasure map that starts at the recycling truck, guides you through the recycling center, and leads you outside to the vermicompost hoop house. Collect small surprises along the way to fill your upcycled treasure chest. At the end, plant a flower seed in our community pot-o-marigolds! Families are welcome to take home a sample of vermicompost or potting soil, as well. This self-paced activity invites youth to learn about the recycling process, reimagine waste, and discover the power of composting food scraps into plant food.

*\*\* Participants should wear closed-toed shoes for safety. Please note, loud noises may occur, such as truck horns and moving machinery.*

## 18. Radiology Healing Gardens Scavenger Hunt College of Osteopathic Medicine- Department of Radiology

**Radiology Building- 846 Service Road, East Lansing, MI**

*Entrance to the Radiology Healing Gardens, near Lot 100*

**8:30 – 9:30am, 10:00 – 11:00am, 1:30 – 2:30pm, 3:00 – 4:00pm**

MSU Department of Radiology welcomes Take Your Child to Work Day visitors to the hidden gem on campus in the Radiology Healing Gardens for a scavenger hunt! There's a pond, a river, waterfalls, fish, frogs, a greenhouse, and space to reflect and explore. The closest employee parking is available in Lot 100.

## 19. Radiology for Kids College of Osteopathic Medicine- Department of Radiology

**Radiology Building- 846 Service Road, East Lansing, MI**

*Radiology Building Atrium*

**8:30 – 9:30am, 10:00 – 11:00am, 1:30 – 2:30pm, 3:00 – 4:00pm**

MSU Department of Radiology welcomes Take Your Child to Work Day visitors to explore the world of Radiology with MSU medical students. Learn how an x-ray and an MRI work! The closest employee parking is available in Lot 100.



 **20. On the Tennis Court**  
**Student Life & Engagement- MSU Tennis Center**

**MSU Tennis Center- 3571 E. Mt. Hope Road, East Lansing, MI**

*In the lobby*

**1:30 – 2:30pm**

MSU Tennis Center welcomes 9-13 year old's to come and tour our building to see where the MSU Tennis Teams practice and compete. We will also bring kids down to the tennis court for some fun and actual hitting.

*\*\* Non-marking sneakers if possible, bring your racket if you have one, and be ready to move.*

 **21. Clinical Clerkship Photo Op**  
**College of Osteopathic Medicine- Clerkship**

**Fee Hall- 965 Wilson Road, East Lansing, MI**

*Suite A.332.B- Outside the office door*

**10:00 – 11:00am**

MSU Clerkship welcomes Take Your Child to Work Day visitors with fun and engaging activities focused on our medical students' clinical years. Join us for a photobooth and interactive activities learning about our medical students and their clinical training experiences.

 **22. Bug House Open House**  
**Agriculture and Natural Resources- Entomology**

**Natural Science- 288 Farm Lane, East Lansing, MI**

*Outside Room 147*

**1:30 – 2:30pm, 3:00 – 4:00pm**

The Bug House features stunning specimen displays and a menagerie of live insects and arachnids -- including beetles, tropical cockroaches, and tarantulas! Volunteers will introduce visitors to the wonderful world of insects, and they will have the opportunity to get hands on with some of our favorite residents!

*\*\* One room of the Bug House contains live insects and other arthropods, and both rooms have preserved insect specimens. Visitors are not required to touch insects.*



### **23. Create Your Own Package and Optimize the Material Used to Ship It!** **School of Packaging**

**488 Wilson Road, East Lansing, MI**

*Room 120*

**10:00 – 11:00am**

Learn about the different materials that packaging scientists use to create packages that keep your food fresh and your medicine readily available while also considering the environment. You will have a chance to touch and feel many different materials and construct your own package. Can you design a package that will not make any unnecessary waste? Parents and Children will work together to solve a puzzle.



### **24. The Beauty of Chinese Calligraphy** **International Studies and Programs- Global Youth Advancement Network**

**International Center- 427 North Shaw Lane, East Lansing, MI**

*Room 201*

**10:00 – 11:00am**

Join personnel from the Global Youth Advancement Network to explore Chinese Calligraphy! You'll learn the difference between how Chinese characters are used to represent concepts and the way we spell words in English and see how to write your name in Chinese. You'll even have a chance to try using traditional calligraphy tools to write some characters yourself!



### **25. Around the World in 40 Minutes!** **International Studies and Programs- Fulbright Program**

**International Center- 427 North Shaw Lane, East Lansing, MI**

*Room 201*

**1:30 – 2:30pm**

Meet Fulbright grantees from several continents who are finishing their year here at MSU. Learn how to say hello in Filipino, find out what Turkish students like for after-school snacks, hear from a Kichwa Salasaka presenter about her indigenous culture, and discover how kids around the world might spend their free time. These and many other activities will open your eyes to new places!



### **26. Welcome to Guyana, the “Land of Many Waters”!** **International Studies and Programs- Humphry Fellowship Program**

**International Center- 427 North Shaw Lane, East Lansing, MI**

*Room 201*

**3:00 – 4:00pm**

Tucked along the Northern coast of South America is Guyana - a small country with lots to offer! Join a presenter from Guyana on a tour through her beautiful country. Guyana boasts the world's largest single-drop waterfall by volume, one of the largest unspoiled rainforests in South America, and one of the highest levels of biodiversity in the world. You'll hear a Guyanese folk tale, explore the country and culture through photos, and have a chance to do some art.

 **27. Big Astronomy and Night Skies Over Michigan**  
**College of Natural Science- Abrams Planetarium**


**Abrams Planetarium- 755 Science Road, East Lansing, MI**

*In planetarium lobby*

**1:30 – 2:30pm**

We will show the planetarium show Big Astronomy: People, Places, Discoveries to explore different careers in helping make large astronomical discoveries happen. After we will take a look at what we can see in our night sky here in Michigan!

*\*\* No late admittance into the show.*

 **28. Clinical Skills Lab Tour**  
**College of Veterinary Medicine- Clinical Skills Lab**  
**College of Veterinary Medicine- 1131 Bogue Street, East Lansing, MI**

*Outside of CSL building*

**8:30 - 9:30am, 10:00 - 11:00am**

The Clinical Skills Lab within the College of Veterinary Medicine would like to welcome guests into our open lab space. This area is where Veterinary professionals learn and practice hands-on skills. We have multiple models to help enhance the experience.

*\*\* The CSL building is next to McPhail Equine Center*

 **29. Research Facility Tour**  
**Facility for Rare Isotope Beams**

**FRIB- 640 S. Shaw Lane, East Lansing, MI**

*You can enter FRIB at our lobby door in the curved glass section at the NW corner of our building (right next to Chemistry).*

**8:30 - 9:30am**

Explore the world-class Facility for Rare Isotope Beams (FRIB), where nuclei are smashed into a target at nearly half the speed of light! Our tour includes demonstrations, an introduction to the goals and methods of nuclear science, and a walk behind the scenes where nuclei are accelerated, smashed, and studied. The secrets we learn could help explain what happens in supernovae and the origins of elements that make up the human body.

*\*\* The tour will be limited to the first 50 people. The tour route is entirely handicap accessible and safe for those who may be pregnant or have medical implants. The route includes about 45 minutes of walking. You can learn more details at the FRIB Tours website <https://frib.msu.edu/public/tours/tour-info.html>.*

### 30. Teaching Greenhouse and Conservatory Tour College of Natural Science- Plant Biology

**Plant Biology Building- 612 Wilson Road, East Lansing, MI**

*Room 166*

**10:00 - 11:00am, 1:30 - 2:30pm**

The MSU Plant Biology Department invites you to tour our Teaching Greenhouse and Conservatory. You will see unique plants in their natural environments along with native species.

*\*\* Sneakers are recommended as the ground is uneven.*

### 31. WKAR TV and Radio Studios Tour Communication Arts and Sciences- WKAR

**Communication Arts and Sciences Building- 404 Wilson Road, East Lansing, MI**

*South Lobby Entrance*

**8:30 - 9:30am, 10:00 - 11:00am**

Visit WKAR TV and radio studios for a behind-the-scenes look at WKAR. Home to locally produced originals including Curious Crew, Off the Record with Tim Skubick, Curious About Careers, 90.5 Classical, plus Morning Edition and All Things Considered for mid-Michigan.

*\*\* Pay-by-Plate parking is available in adjacent Trowbridge Ramp #5 at 1149 Red Cedar Road.*

### 32. Data Center Facilities Tour Information Technology- Services Infrastructure Support

**212 Crescent Road, East Lansing, MI**

*At the front entrance to the building.*

**8:30 - 9:30am, 10:00 - 11:00am**

MSU Information Technology Services welcomes you to a guided tour of our world class, enterprise, data center - a near lights-out, 25,000 square foot, 2.5-megawatt facility, dedicated to housing the IT services that keep campus connected.

*\*\* Each tour will be limited to 15 individuals on a first come first serve basis. Please be advised: No photography or video is allowed in the data center.*

### 33. Main Library Tour Libraries Outreach and Engagement

**Main Library- 366 W. Circle Drive, East Lansing, MI**

*First floor lobby, next to the Circulation Desk.*

**8:30 - 9:30am, 3:00 - 4:00pm**

Explore the MSU Main Library! On this tour, you will experience old and new alike: see our digital anatomy table, gaming labs, rare books, and more! Meet and talk with professionals who lead these exciting projects.

### 34. Tour of Spartan Stadium 8<sup>th</sup> Floor Athletics

**Spartan Stadium- 325 W Shaw Lane, East Lansing, MI**

*In the tower lobby of the Spartan stadium*

**1:30 – 2:30pm; 3:00 – 4:00pm**

Athletics would like to welcome guests to tour the 8th floor of Spartan Stadium, including the press box! Get a sky-high view of the field and stadium.

*\*\* If the weather permits, please be advised the windows may be open.*

### 35. Department of Police and Public Safety Tour MSU Department of Police and Public Safety

**Police and Public Safety Building- 1120 Red Cedar Road, East Lansing, MI**

*North main public entrance*

**8:30 – 9:30am, 10:00 – 11:00am, 1:30 – 2:30pm, 3:00 – 4:00pm**

The MSU DPPS would like to welcome guests to tour our department. Stop by and meet some of our officers and canines. The tour will include a CSI and K9 demonstration and the ability to view and take photos of our police vehicles.

*\*\* Please note: For logistical reasons, tours will be capped at 10 families per tour, on a first come first serve basis and will be starting promptly at the indicated time slots. If more than 10 families arrive for a specific timeslot, the remaining attendees will be encouraged to return for a following timeslot later in the day.*

### 36. Are You Ready 2 Help? MSU Department of Police and Public Safety- Emergency Management, Fire and Life Safety

**Henry Center- 3535 Forest Road, Lansing, MI**

*Henry Center Main Lobby*

**8:30 – 9:30am, 10:00 – 11:00am, 1:30 – 2:30pm, 3:00 – 4:00pm**

MSU Department of Police and Public Safety welcomes Take Your Child to Work Day visitors to see inside our Emergency Operations Center and engage in preparedness activities.


 **37. The Science of Taste and Smell**  
**College of Agriculture & Natural Resources- Food Science & Human Nutrition**

**GM Trout Building- 469 Wilson Rd, East Lansing, MI**

*Front Lobby*

**10:00 – 11:00am, 3:00 – 4:00pm**

Join the Food Science and Human Nutrition department to learn how smell impacts taste. Participants will discover how familiar smells like garlic, lemon, vinegar and vanilla change the taste of fruit flavored candy.

 **38. Prepare for Your Dreams- Resumes and Mock Interviews with Career Services**  
**Career Services Network- Employer Engagement Center**

**Spartan Stadium- 535 Chestnut Rd, East Lansing, MI**

*Employer Engagement Center, Room 290*

**10:00 – 11:00am, 1:30 – 2:30pm**

Connect with our team to explore your future aspirations and identify your skills as you build your "resume". Take the next step and meet with one of our student team members to participate in a mock interview in one of our special MSU student interview rooms. We will have light snacks and additional independent activities that will help identify skills and explore career options for the future.

 **39. Career Mapping: Connecting Your Passions to Career Paths**  
**Student Life & Engagement- Career Services Network**

**Student Services Building- 556 E Circle Dr #237, East Lansing, MI**

*Career Exploration Center, Suite 113*

**10:00 – 11:00am**

MSU Career Services welcomes visitors to come and connect their passions, talents, and strengths to potential career paths! Join us in taking a career interest survey while enjoying some popcorn. Participants are also welcome to get a free professional headshot (we'll have professional attire available for pictures).

 **40. Tour Beaumont Tower with MSU Tower Guard and MSU Carillon**  
**University Health & Wellbeing- MSU Tower Guard & MSU Carillon**

**Beaumont Tower- 375 W Circle Drive, East Lansing, MI**

*In front of Beaumont Tower*

**1:30 – 2:30pm**

MSU Tower Guard and the MSU Carillonist invite you to see the inside of the MSU icon, Beaumont Tower. Stop by and see the four floors, hear about the history of the student organization that holds its key, and hear the beautiful bells!

*\*\* Please note: This tour includes climbing stairs within narrow stair wells, so be alert while climbing. Attendees will receive information on the history behind Beaumont Tower outside of the building, followed by a tour of the inside of Beaumont Tower, which requires climbing 4 flights of stairs and standing within a confined space.*

## 41. Kid-Friendly Gaming and Esports Including Mario Kart, Minecraft, and Fall Guys

### College of Communication Arts and Sciences- E-Sports

Communication Arts and Sciences Building- 404 Wilson Rd, East Lansing, MI

*Alienware MSU Esports Lounge, Room 182*

**1:30 – 2:30pm, 3:00 – 4:00pm**

MSU College of Communication Arts and Sciences welcomes Take Your Child to Work Day visitors with fun and engaging activities and demonstrations of how technology connects our work and our world. Join us for kid-friendly games including Mario Kart, Minecraft and Fall Guys. Everything is provided, you need only to bring yourself!

*\*\* Please note: There may be flashing lights in some game titles, if you are sensitive to this, please be aware.*

## 42. MSU College of Law Spartan Journey to Justice Tour

### College of Law- Pathway Programs

College of Law- 648 North Shaw Lane, East Lansing, MI

*Main Lobby of the College of Law*

**1:30 – 2:30pm, 3:00 – 4:00pm**

The MSU College of Law would like to summon you to engage with the MSU Law faculty, staff, and students for Take Your Child to Work Day. We will meet in the law school lobby and showcase the law library, community legal clinics, and courtroom. Will your child want to preside over the festivities from the judge's chair or serve on the jury? Come be a part of Spartan Justice.

*\*\* Please note: For logistical reasons, tours will be capped at ten families per time block*

## 43. Rest and Relaxation Station

### College of Social Science- School of Social Work

Baker Hall- 655 Auditorium Rd, East Lansing, MI

*Room 155*

**8:30 – 9:30am, 10:00 – 11:00am**

The School of Social Work welcomes kids and families visiting MSU. Come rest and recharge in our community room, 155 Baker Hall. Check us out if you need a short break. Self-paced activities and refreshments will be available in the morning.



#### 44. Mindful Minis

##### University Health and Wellbeing- Counseling and Psychiatric Services

Olin Health Center- 463 East Circle Drive, East Lansing, MI

Room 310

3:00 – 4:00pm

Mindfulness can help kids and adults develop focus, awareness, and compassion. Join us for brief mindfulness practices that can help you center yourself and notice what is going on within you and around you. These brain breaks will allow you to notice what is present for you in the moment from a nonjudgmental stance.



#### 45. Worry-Less Crafting

##### University Health and Wellbeing- Counseling and Psychiatric Services

Olin Health Center- 463 East Circle Drive, East Lansing, MI

Room 359

10:00 – 11:00pm

Engage in a craft-centered activity where kids can create their own worry doll and/or paint a grounding stone. Worry dolls can be a really good way to assist children with comfort and clarity, teaching healthy detachment, defining priorities, and practicing grounding techniques, especially when worrying too much can impact daily functioning. Fun Fact: Worry dolls have a Guatemalan cultural connection. “Once upon a time in Guatemala, the Sun God granted his daughter, princess Ixmucane, a special gift that can take away all the worries in the world. This legend inspired the making of traditional Guatemalan worry dolls”. Grounding stones may help foster mindfulness practice in a tangible way and aid with self-soothing through touch.



#### 46. Artful Expressions

##### University Health and Wellbeing- Counseling and Psychiatric Services

Olin Health Center- 463 East Circle Drive, East Lansing, MI

Room 310

1:30 – 2:30pm

Art has been used across culture and time to express the human condition. Join us for an exciting and expressive journey as we dive into the colorful world of emotions through art! In this engaging activity, kids will have the opportunity to explore and express their feelings with drawing and/or painting. Using a variety of vibrant colors and creativity, we will translate emotions into art.



#### 47. Got A/V? Walking Tour

##### MSU Information Technology

MSU IT Instructional Media Center (IMC)- 375 Wilson Road, East Lansing, MI

Meet at the MSU IT Instructional Media Center (IMC) building entrance

1:30 – 2:30pm

Join MSU AVIT for a behind-the-scenes walking tour of past and present Audio-visual systems on campus. Play a 70's Atari 2600 video game system on a 24" tube television in miraculous full color! From legacy 16mm film equipment to



cutting edge video server systems. See what it takes to install, support, and operate athletic stadiums, classrooms and conference rooms and finish with a stop at Spartan stadium's Main A/V control room to see how game day magic happens.

*\*\* Please Note: This tour has a limited capacity of 10 children plus accompanying adults, on a first-come, first-served basis.*

## 48. MSU Information Technology Scavenger Hunt MSU Information Technology

**MSU Computer Center- 450 Auditorium Drive, East Lansing, MI**

*Meet at the MSU Computer Center building entrance*

**8:30 – 9:30am, 10:00 – 11:00am**

Guests can participate in a scavenger hunt to learn about various aspects of IT and the important role it plays on MSU's campus and within our larger community.

*\*\* Please Note: Each activity timeslot is limited to 20 children plus accompanying adults, on a first-come, first-served basis.*

## 49. Tea for Two – Learn about Chinese Culture and Language College of Education- Office of International Studies in Education

**Erickson Hall- 620 Farm Lane, East Lansing, MI**

*Room 252*

**8:30 – 9:30am, 10:00 – 11:00am**

You and your child are invited to learn more about Chinese culture and language while sampling milk or green tea, spring rolls, sesame balls and dumplings. Have fun learning calligraphy, making dragon pinback buttons and lanterns, and playing Chinese yoyo and spinning top games. Appropriate for all ages.

## 50. Why Race Car Drivers Need to be Fit College of Education- Department of Kinesiology

**IM Sports Circle- 308 West Circle Drive, East Lansing, MI**

*Room 27*

**8:30 – 9:30am; 10:00 – 11:00am; 1:30 – 2:30pm; 3:00 – 4:00pm**

Visit the Spartan Motorsport Performance Lab and drive the racing simulator (set up for a kids go kart) while having your heart rate monitored to show fitness required to be a race car driver. Dr. Ferguson will then demonstrate the importance of kinesiology and sports medicine to inspire future careers and educational opportunities for your child.

*\*\* Appropriate for ages 10-14. Limited spaces (10 max.) for each lab*

## 51. Spartan KINja Warrior Obstacle Course College of Education- Department of Kinesiology

**Demonstration Hall Field, 229 Dem Hall Road, East Lansing, MI**

*Demonstration Hall Field*

**1:30pm – 2:30pm**

Fitness and physical activity challenge course in the style of American Ninja Warrior (minus the fire and water obstacles!). Children and parents/guardians of all ages, stages and abilities can run, roll or soar their way to victory in this fun, physical challenge sure to get the heart pumping and smiles shining.

*\*\* If the weather does not allow us to be outside, we will meet in the IM Circle Lower Gym (308 W Circle Dr, East Lansing, MI).*

**52. Flower Planting with Landscape Services**

**Infrastructure Planning and Facilities- Landscape Services**

**The Spartan Statue- Corner of Kalamazoo St. and Beal St.**

*Meeting at the Spartan Statue at the end of Demonstration Hall Field*

**10:00 - 11:00am**

Get to know what it's like to be a Spartan Landscaper. Come plant flowers in front of the Spartan Statue with our Landscape Services Crew and be a part of making MSU beautiful year-round!