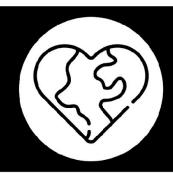
# the PYP Pulse

[March Edition]



"Life's most persistent and urgent question is, 'What are you doing for others?" -MLK, Jr.

## **PROGRAMME** news

Today more than ever there is a need for advocacy and service within the many facets of our community. We wanted to take a moment to describe the importance of action within the PYP framework.

The action component of the PYP involves service in the widest sense of the word. Student action may be taken by an individual student or by groups of students working collaboratively. It does not need to be big or elaborate. Service can begin at the most basic level: with the student, within the family, within the classroom, the hallways, and the playground. Action is a great way for students to show commitment to the attributes of the Learner Profile.

#### Here are some opportunities to take action in Midland County...

United WayMidland County Habitat for HumanityShelterhouseMidland County Humane SocietyOpen DoorSchool PTORecycling CenterMidland County Emergency Food Pantry

Senior Services of Midland County West Midland Family Center Helping Your Neighbors Salvation Army

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## LEARNING focus



SCHOOL - HOME

### connection

Read Alouds to support the Learner Profile Attribute:

#### Reflective

"We thoughtfully consider the world and our own ideas and experiences. We work to understand our strengths and weaknesses in order to support our learning and personal development."

What Do You Do with an Idea? by Kobi Yamada

> **The Bad Seed** By Jory John

Going Places by Peter Reynolds



**Izzy Gizmo** by Pip Jones