



## 2025 Michigan Regional **Braille Challenge**

### **Braille Challenge offers many options for participation!**

Students who are Blind/Low Vision (BLV) and read braille are invited to participate online or in person in the Michigan Regional Braille Challenge 2025. Braille Challenge is an academic competition unlike any other; this contest is designed to motivate students to emphasize their study of braille, while rewarding their success with fun-filled, but challenging, events. Qualifying students will be invited to compete in the Braille Challenge Finals, hosted by Braille Institute.

This event is hosted by MDE-LIO in collaboration with Kent Intermediate School District (ISD) and Macomb ISD.

#### **Audience:**

This event is for students in Michigan who are in grades 1-12 and read braille.

#### **Can't attend Braille Challenge in person or online?**

Contact Sara Cruchelow at [cruchelows@michigan.gov](mailto:cruchelows@michigan.gov) or 517-480-2333 to take the challenge with your teacher for the visually impaired anytime during the competition window.

Contestants who are registered by December 23, 2024, will receive an event t-shirt.

#### **Kent ISD:**



#### **Location:**

Kent Career Technical Center (KCTC)  
1655 E. Beltline Ave. NE  
Grand Rapids, MI 49525

**When:** January 25, 2025, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

**Sign Up:** [bit.ly/Braille2025Kent](https://bit.ly/Braille2025Kent)

**Deadline:** January 8, 2025

#### **Macomb ISD:**



#### **Location:**

Macomb ISD  
44001 Garfield Rd.  
Clinton Township, MI 48038

**When:** February 22, 2025, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

**Sign Up:** [bit.ly/Braille2025Macomb](https://bit.ly/Braille2025Macomb)

**Deadline:** February 5, 2025

#### **Virtual:**



**When:** February 22, 2025, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

**Sign Up:** [bit.ly/Braille2025Virtual](https://bit.ly/Braille2025Virtual)

**Deadline:** February 5, 2025