

**MIC3 Rhode Island State
2020-2021 End-of-Year Report**

State Council Members

- Rosemarie K. Kraeger, MIC3 Commissioner and Superintendent, Middletown Public Schools
- Pamela Martin, School Liaison Officer, Naval Station Newport, United States Navy (Military Family Education Liaison)
- CAPT James McIver, USN, Commanding Officer, Naval Station Newport (Military Representative)
- Andy Andrade, Commissioner Support, RI Department of Elementary and Secondary Education
- Phil Auger, Superintendent, North Kingstown School Department
- Maj Gloria Berlanga, RIANG, Counter Drug Program, Coventry Air National Guard Station
- Senator Lou Dipalma, RI State Senate
- Abby Dunn, Child Opportunity Zone Coordinator, Middletown Public Schools
- Colleen Jermain, Superintendent, Newport Public Schools
- Christopher Maher, Superintendent, Providence School Department
- Thomas Kenworthy, Superintendent, Portsmouth School Department
- Matthew Thadeio, Student and Family Engagement Specialist, Pell Elementary School
- Angelica Infante-Green, Commissioner of Education, Rhode Island Department of Elementary and Secondary Education

Meeting Dates

The council met on September 30, 2020.

Secondary Point of Contact

TBD

Past Year Highlights

- Our schools celebrated the month of the military child in April 2022 by holding special events, recognitions for military children and families. The state legislature signed a [House proclamation](#) proclaiming April 2021 as month of the military child in the state. Despite the pandemic, in the Middletown school district we recognized military connected students for their service.
- Military families primarily attend the Middletown and Portsmouth school districts. Due to the pandemic, it was a challenge to hold in person training, however we continue to inform personnel and parents on the Compact rules and regulations. Our school liaison officer, Pamela Martin, informs and assists military families transitioning in and out of Rhode Island. She works with schools to resolve cases and issues as they arise.
- Although we are a small state, we are well connected and continually communicate with our state military leaders to ensure we support schools and families.

Sincerely yours,
Rosemarie Kraeger
MIC3 Rhode Island Commissioner