

Holly Area Schools Excellence in Action!

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Dear Parents and Community Members:

We are pleased to present you with the Annual Education Report (AER), which provides key information on the 2021-2022 educational progress for Rose Pioneer Elementary School. The AER addresses the complex reporting information required by federal and state laws. The school's report contains information about student assessment, accountability, and teacher quality. If you have any questions about the AER, please contact Rose Pioneer Principal Michael Beattie for assistance at 248.328.3800.

The AER is available for you to review electronically by visiting the <u>Mi School Data site</u> for <u>Rose Pioneer Elementary</u> or you may review a copy in the Rose Pioneer main office.

For the 2021-22 school year, schools were identified based on previous years' performance using definitions and labels as required in the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). A Targeted Support and Improvement (TSI) school is one that had at least one underperforming student subgroup in 2021-22. An Additional Targeted Support (ATS) school is one that had a student subgroup performing at the same level as the lowest 5% of all schools in the state in 2021-22. A Comprehensive Support and Improvement (CSI) school is one whose performance was in the lowest 5% of all schools in the state or below 67% in 2021-22. Some schools are not identified with any of these labels. Rose Pioneer Elementary School has not been given one of these labels.

Key Initiatives

Our instructional staff meets frequently in grade level configurations with administrators and coaches to review student achievement data that helps us better understand the strengths and challenges of our learners. Teacher and administrator professional development has helped us to improve through research-based small group guided reading instruction, enhanced student achievement data analysis and instructional action planning. State law requires that we also report the following additional information:

Process for Assigning Pupils to the School

Holly Area Schools students are assigned to neighborhood schools through a process established at our Central Administration Office. In addition, Holly Area Schools accepts School of Choice students, as openings are available. Families interested in enrollment or school of choice options can contact the Holly Area Schools Pupil Personnel Office at 248.328.3100.

School Improvement Status

Rose Pioneer Elementary achieved our most recent AdvancEd Systems Accreditation from the North Central Association in February 2017. We are engaged in a continuous improvement cycle centered on data driven student achievement objectives; these include increasing student achievement in the areas of reading comprehension, mathematical reasoning and fluency. If you are interested, you can view our <u>Aggregate</u> <u>Student Achievement Results</u>.

Accessing the Core Curriculum

The Rose Pioneer professional learning community is committed to aligning instruction to the State Academic Standards. These standards can be accessed on the Michigan Department of Education (MDE) website at www.michigan.gov/mde.

Holly Area Schools' core curricula are in the process of becoming fully aligned with the State of Michigan standards in all subject areas. Our teachers, with the support of the Office of Curriculum and Instruction, review and update each curriculum, which is maintained electronically using the Atlas Rubicon platform. A copy of the <u>curriculum</u> is available online or by contacting the Department of Curriculum, Instruction, and Technology.

Parent-Teacher Conferences

Parent involvement is foundational to our success at Rose Pioneer. We are fortunate to have successful Parent-Teacher Conferences twice a year with a 95% participation rate.

We hope this annual education report highlights some of the characteristics that make Rose Pioneer and Holly Area Schools an excellent educational choice. As a Leader In Me school, we are proud to provide a respectful, responsible, safe learning environment taught by expert teachers. Please visit our website, Facebook and/or Twitter page for regular updates, or visit our school for a tour and more information on how to join our outstanding learning community.

Sincerely,

Michael J. Beattie Principal, Rose Pioneer Elementary