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Evart High School Annual Education Report (AER) 2024-2025

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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 2023-24 educational progress for Evart High 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 Jessica Kolenda for assistance.

The AER is available for you to review electronically by visiting the following website https://www.mischooldata.org/annual-education-report-1?Common_Locations=1-D,1123,99,0, or you may review a copy in the main office at your child's school.

For the 2024-25 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 2023-24. 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, had a graduation rate at or below 67%, or failed to exit ATS status in 2021-22. Some schools are not identified with any of these labels. In these cases, no label is given.

Our school has not been given one of these labels.

Even though Evart High School has not been labeled as a school with underperforming groups, we still continue to strive to raise our SAT scores. Throughout our classrooms, various teachers are delivering SAT preparation lessons, both by their own creation (based on our past data) or by using Varsity Tutors, which is a free tutoring service that for Evart High School students.

State law requires that we also report additional information (in cases where data is reported, the two most recent years are required):

1. Evert High School is the only high school in the district, therefore all incoming freshmen are assigned to EHS.
 2. Evert High School has academic goals as part of the Michigan Integrated Continuous Improvement Program (MICIP) sponsored by the Michigan Department of Education.
 3. Evert High School partners with the Mecosta-Osceola Intermediate School District
 4. in the provision of special education services and ancillary services for students needing access to these resources. Additionally, the MOISD provides EHS juniors and seniors the opportunity to attend classes at the Mecosta-Osceola Career Technical Center in Big Rapids, Michigan.
 5. A copy of the curriculum used for any class taught at Evert High School can be viewed with prior written notice given to Jessica Kolenda, principal of Evert High School. Once permission is granted and a mutually agreed upon date is set, a visitor can view (but not reproduce, copy or take photos) of the most recent syllabus, pacing guide, exam review and exam that is on file at Evert High School for any class that is taught. Implementation of said curriculum is handled by each highly certified and accredited teacher at Evert High School. All classes, to the best of our knowledge, follow the state standards set forth by Michigan for each subject area.
 6. Evert High School uses the trio of College Board Assessments, specifically the PSAT 8/9, PSAT 10 and SAT, in order to benchmark students and to track student achievement from one year to the next. Results by individual grade level are available in the school office and can be obtained through written request; results by individual students are not public information.
 7. Throughout each school year, we offer two scheduled parent/teacher conference dates. In the 2022-2023 school year, conferences were offered face-to-face with additional attempts of phone notification for students who were not represented at parent teacher conferences; when averaged between fall and spring conferences, 29% of students were represented. In the In the 2032-2024 school year, conferences were offered face-to-face with additional attempts of phone notification for students who were not represented at parent teacher conferences; the fall conferences represented 42% of our student population.
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		2023-2024	2022-2023
1.	The number and percent of postsecondary enrollments (dual enrollment)	33/12%	44/16%
2.	The number of college equivalent courses offered (AP/IB)	0	0
3.	The number and percentage of students enrolled in college equivalent courses (AP/IB)	0	0
4.	The number and percentage of students receiving a score leading to college credit	33/12%	42/15%

Evert High School continues to grow and improve; we are on an upward trajectory for having students not only prepared for but attending post-secondary institutions. In part, we

have the Evert Promise Plus to thank, as their continued support as well as the support from Mid Michigan College have kept achieving successful post-secondary goals at the forefront of our focus. Our students are learning more each year as we strive to achieve a higher level of academic excellence than ever before. We are continuously researching innovative ways to make our lessons more intentional and more impactful for our students.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jessica Kolenda". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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