



# Potterville Public Schools

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Timothy J. Donahue, Ed.S., Superintendent

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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 2013-2014 educational progress for Potterville Elementary. 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 me at 514-645-2525 or [dufreskr@pps.k12.mi.us](mailto:dufreskr@pps.k12.mi.us) for assistance.

The AER is available for you to review electronically by visiting the following [www.pps.k12.mi.us](http://www.pps.k12.mi.us) or you may review a copy in our main office in the elementary building.

The state has identified some schools with the status of Reward, Focus or Priority. A Reward school is one that is outperforming other schools in achievement, growth, or is performing better than other schools with a similar student population. A Focus school is one that has a large achievement gap in 30% of its student achievement scores. A Priority school is one whose achievement and growth is in the lowest 5% of all schools in the state.

Our school has been working hard to follow the MTSS framework for increasing student achievement. This work includes are efforts to provide quality instruction for all students, interventions as needed, and a focus on PBIS throughout our building. We are also proud of the efforts to provide students with one to one technology access for all students, as a result of our district bond project approved by our community in 2012.

State law requires that we also report additional information.

1. Potterville Public Schools has a centralized enrollment process that assigns students to a grade level and school based on residency boundaries established by the district. Individual student records are reviewed for appropriate grade level placement.
2. Our improvement plan is current and we are now established as a School Wide Title 1 school. Our staff and parents have input into the plan and work together to complete the plan.

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3. Our curriculum guide is available on our school web site page, and copies of curriculum materials can be reviewed in our school office. The elementary school curriculum encompasses Michigan grade level content expectations and Common Core standards.
4. Copies of the grade level curriculum can be reviewed here in the office.
5. Our attendance at parent-teacher conferences remains very high, at nearly 98%.

I thank you for your support of Potterville Elementary School. We are pleased with our progress while continually working toward greater levels of achievement and opportunities for the young men and women of this community.

Sincerely,

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Elementary School Principal

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