Hemmeter Elementary School

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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 2014-15 educational progress for Hemmeter 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 Hemmeter Elementary School at 989,797,1832 for assistance.

The AER is available for you to review electronically by visiting the following web site http://www.stcs.org, or you may review a copy in the main office at your child's school.

On the following pages you will find information regarding:

- A description of our school
- Student enrollment and assignment to our building(s)
- The core curriculum
- The status of our school improvement plan
- 2014-15 Student achievement data
- Parent-Teacher conference statistics

The staff at Hemmeter Elementary School is very proud of our exceptional program for gifted and talented students. It is our goal to prepare students to be responsible, well informed citizens that have the skills necessary to compete in a global society. Through a plan for continuous school improvement, the implementation of the Common Core State Standards, and a focus on data-driven best practice instruction, we are confident that the students at Hemmeter Elementary School will continue to excel. Congratulations are in order for our school's tremendous staff, students, and families that we serve. Please do not hesitate to contact the Hemmeter office if you have any questions or require more information.

Respectfully,

James Bailey Principal Hemmeter Elementary School

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A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF OUR SCHOOL

Hemmeter Elementary School houses the district's elementary talent development program. Students are accepted on the basis of ability and achievement scores.

PROCESS FOR ASSIGNING PUPILS TO THE SCHOOL

School attendance boundaries are set by the Board of Education. All students meeting the academic testing requirements of this school are enrolled to attend. Out-of-district students apply through Schools of Choice.

CORE CURRICULUM

A copy of the core curriculum may be obtained from the curriculum office at the Saginaw Township Community Schools Administration Center. The core curriculum is fully implemented and completely aligned with the state's model. The district's curriculum is fully aligned with the Common Core State Standards.

THE STATUS OF THE 3-5 YEAR SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN

The 2015-2016 Hemmeter Elementary School Improvement Plan was completed through a full comprehensive needs assessment. The Hemmeter School Improvement team, comprised of teachers, administration, and parents, meets regularly during the school year and collects data from multiple assessment sources. The School Improvement Team disaggregates the data, determines areas of need, and works collaboratively to develop best practice strategies to address the areas of need. All goals are specific, measurable, realistic, and time bound. Indicators of progress are determined through assessment data analysis to determine the effects of instructional strategies.

Within this plan, we make it clear that Hemmeter is in the active process of seeking continuous academic improvement for all of our students. An electronic copy of the school improvement plan can be found at the following web address:

http://saginaw.cyberschool.com/view/8566.pdf

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AGGREGATE STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT RESULTS

Hemmeter student achievement results can be viewed by clicking on the following report:

Annual Report Data: Hemmeter Elementary

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

Hemmeter has an exceptionally high rate of attendance at parent-teacher conferences with a rate of over 95% attendance.

COLLEGE ENROLLMENT

<High Schools Only>