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RE: DESE Annual Performance Report (APR)

Earlier this week, the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) released the latest APR scores for school districts across the state. We would like to take this opportunity to share with you some of the components of these reports, and what they mean for our students and district.

### **What is APR?**

Missouri's DESE has an accountability model for school districts called the Missouri School Improvement Program (MSIP). To score districts on their performance and improvement, DESE uses an Annual Performance Report (APR). Some of the areas upon which districts are scored include Student Achievement, Student Attendance, College and Career Readiness, and Graduation Rate.

### **Report Summary**

This is the third year DESE is using the sixth and latest version of its accountability model, MSIP 6. The Ava R-I School District received a score of 78% for the 2023-24 school year.

### **Celebrations**

- Above the State Average in all eight tested academic areas as measured by MAP Performance Index (MPI)
- Above the State Average in Percentage of Continuous Improvement Points Earned, at 96.6%
- High Graduation Rate

### **What does the district do with this data?**

As a district, we are continuously monitoring and assessing student progress towards identified learning targets, as well as working to identify and address other factors impacting student success. We are already seeing tremendous improvement in student attendance this year, and are working hard to help them achieve similar academic gains. We will continue to strive to provide the educational experience our students deserve.

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