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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 North Creek 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 Casey Wescott, the North Creek Principal, for assistance.

The AER is available to review electronically by visiting the following website: https://www.mischooldata.org/annual-education-report-1?Common_Locations=1-S,9725,1013,118, or you may review a copy in the main office at North Creek.

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.

North Creek Elementary is proud to acknowledge the outstanding work being accomplished as we continue to enhance our efforts with the Chelsea School District's Portrait of a Graduate. At North Creek, we recognize the importance of developing our students' skills in collaboration, critical thinking, creativity, and communication. These competencies are fostered not only through academic instruction but also by providing enriching emotional and social experiences. By partnering with parents and the community, we ensure a well-rounded approach that supports our students' growth and success.



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While the Annual Education Report encourages schools to address challenges, we prefer to frame these as areas for growth. At North Creek, we are dedicated to enhancing student engagement, health and safety, and alignment with the Portrait of a Graduate. Specifically, we are drilling down into targeted efforts in reading and the Portrait of a Graduate competencies. By focusing on these areas, we believe we will positively impact our students' achievement, including improvements in NWEA reading scores. Whether through year-over-year comparisons or steady gains, we are committed to measurable growth that reflects the strength of our initiatives.

To support our building goals, North Creek has taken several action steps designed to promote continuous improvement. To name just a few, we are currently in the process of an ELA curriculum review to ensure our instructional practices are aligned with best practices and the needs of our learners. Additionally, we have implemented Acadience, a new reading screener, to provide us with actionable data that informs instruction and intervention. We are also expanding and developing Portrait of a Graduate resources across classroom, grade, and school levels. These steps are instrumental in creating a cohesive and effective strategy for advancing our students' academic and personal development.

We remain steadfast in our commitment to creating a supportive and dynamic learning environment that prepares our students for success in school and beyond. With the continued partnership of our staff, families, and community, North Creek Elementary is poised to build on its successes and address its areas for growth with purpose and determination.



State law requires that we also report additional information:

1. PROCESS FOR ASSIGNING PUPILS TO THE SCHOOL

Students are assigned to schools in the Chelsea School District based on their grade. All Kindergarten, 1st and 2nd grade students are assigned to North Creek Elementary School.

2. THE STATUS OF THE 3-5 YEAR SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN

A copy of the school improvement plan is available at our Central Office or at the individual buildings. The North Creek Elementary School Improvement Plan is on track, meeting all established requirements for establishing goals, monitoring progress, and submission of reports.

3. A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF EACH SPECIALIZED SCHOOL

North Creek Elementary is not a specialized school.

4. IDENTIFY HOW TO ACCESS A COPY OF THE CORE CURRICULUM, A DESCRIPTION OF ITS IMPLEMENTATION, AND AN EXPLANATION OF THE VARIANCES FROM THE STATE'S MODEL

Chelsea School District Board of Education Approved curricula can be found on the district website on the [Curriculum & Instruction page](#). The Chelsea School District has an effective curriculum review and evaluation process, providing for the systematic review of all school subjects on a rotating basis over six years. The curriculum director, representative teachers from each school, and parents participate actively in the review process. Core curriculum documents provide detail on alignment with Michigan Department of Education Grade Level Content Expectations.



**5. THE AGGREGATE STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT RESULTS FOR ANY LOCAL
COMPETENCY TESTS OR NATIONALLY NORMED ACHIEVEMENT TESTS**

Kindergarten

Year	Math Fall Average	Math Winter Average	Math Spring Average	Reading Fall Average	Reading Winter Average	Reading Spring Average
22-23	146	155	163	140	150	159
23-24	146	156	162	141	151	151
National Norm	146	155.5	162.5	140.5	150.5	155

1st Grade

Year	Math Fall Average	Math Winter Average	Math Spring Average	Reading Fall Average	Reading Winter Average	Reading Spring Average
22-23	166	177	185	161	171	177
23-24	166	174	185	160	170	177
National Norm	166	175.5	185	160.5	170.5	177

2nd Grade

Year	Math Fall Average	Math Winter Average	Math Spring Average	Reading Fall Average	Reading Winter Average	Reading Spring Average
22-23	180	189	196	177	184	188
23-24	182	190	196	179	186	190
National Norm	181	189.5	196	178	185	189



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6. IDENTIFY THE NUMBER AND PERCENT OF STUDENTS REPRESENTED BY PARENTS AT PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

- 98% of North Creek Elementary School Families attended the 2022 Fall Parent-Teacher Conferences.

North Creek continues to offer a high level of education in grade levels, PE, music, art, media, math intervention, and reading intervention. This high level of achievement and learning is also in large part due to our wonderful parents and community who partner with our school to support our students.

If you would like to learn more about North Creek Elementary or the Chelsea School District, please contact us at (734)433-2203 or on the web at www.chelseaschools.org.

Sincerely,
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Principal of North Creek Elementary