



# School District of the City of Iron Mountain

## East 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 2021-22 educational progress for East 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 Principal Amy Galvan for assistance.

The AER is available for you to review electronically by visiting the following website [Annual Education Reports 2022-2023](#), or you may review a copy in the main office at your child's school.

For the 2021-22 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 2021-22. 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 or had a graduation rate at or below 67% in 2021-22. Some schools are not identified with any of these labels. In these cases, no label is given.

Our school was identified as a '**HAS NOT BEEN GIVEN ONE OF THESE LABELS**' status.

Key challenges for East Elementary are lower performance in comparison to the state average for 5th and 6th graders in the area of mathematics for the 2021-2022 school year.

The key initiatives that East Elementary is focusing on are with the intent to improve overall student performance in both the ELA and Mathematics areas. Those initiatives are as follows;

- Multi-Tiered System of Supports (Academically)
- PBIS incentive program to motivate student engagement
- Interventionist
- After School Homework hour
- Staff Professional Development

State law requires that we also report additional information.

- 1. PROCESS FOR ASSIGNING PUPILS TO THE SCHOOL-** All students who are in grades 5-6 who live in the City of Iron Mountain will attend Iron Mountain East Elementary School unless the School of Choice option is selected.
- 2. THE STATUS OF THE 3-5 YEAR SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN-**Iron Mountain School District and East Elementary are in compliance with the Michigan guidelines for school

improvement. In 2022-2023, Iron Mountain East Elementary School continues to implement the School Improvement Plan, which is reviewed and updated annually.

- 3. A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF EACH SPECIALIZED SCHOOL-** East Elementary offers in-person classroom instruction. Iron Mountain Public schools offers an Online Partnership program that allows for an online instructional program for families that are seeking a virtual format for their East Elementary student.
- 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-** A copy of the core curriculum can be obtained from the Iron Mountain East Elementary school office. The core curriculum follows the Michigan guidelines and is followed in its entirety. There are no variances from the state's model.
- 5. THE AGGREGATE STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT RESULTS FOR ANY LOCAL COMPETENCY TESTS OR NATIONALLY NORMED ACHIEVEMENT TESTS-**The previous two years of M-STEP results can be viewed in our AER combined report.
- 6. IDENTIFY THE NUMBER AND PERCENT OF STUDENTS REPRESENTED BY PARENTS AT PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Adjusted %</b>
2021-2022	Fall	54%
2022-2023	Fall	61%

It is important to note that East Elementary has had many areas of excellence in the past two years and they continue to grow in their academic strengths. As a school we are very proud of the amazing strides that all East Elementary students and families have made in order to promote success in the classroom. The dedication and hard work of each classroom teacher, specialist, and support staff, and with the support of the families, the students will continue to thrive. If you are interested in learning more about our school, visit <https://www.imschools.org/east-elementary.html> or contact the office at 906-779-2610.

Sincerely,

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Respectfully,

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