

MUSKEGON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

The best for every child, every day.

Muskegon Public Schools is a unique and dynamic family of institutions, dedicated to providing and promoting comprehensive educational, social and cultural opportunities that enable a diverse citizenry of all ages, interests and abilities to lead productive, enriched lives. Through a spirit of cooperation and teamwork, we are committed to developing individuals who can thrive and positively contribute to a more just and democratic society.



2006 - 2007 Statistics

Enrollment:

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| Elementary: | 2,562 |
| Middle School: | 1,070 |
| High School: | 1,803 |
| Total: | 5,435 |

Percentage of graduates: 94.8%

Graduates who further their education: 41% (est)

Years of Operation: 148

Average class size:

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| Elementary: | 21 |
| Middle School: | 26 |
| High School: | 26 |

Average Teacher Seniority: 12.7 years

Certified Teachers: 100%

Teachers with Masters Degrees: 46%

Guidance: 9 Social Workers

10 Counselors

7 Child Psychologists

Innovative & Proven Instructional Programs

Before & Beyond K-12

Adult Basic Education
 Alternative High School
 Credit Recovery
 English-as-a-Second Language/Spanish
 GED Preparation & Testing/High School Completion
 Head Start
 Preschool/Child Care
 Radio Station 106.1 FM

Elementary:

1st K/All Day Kindergarten
 21st Century Afterschool Programs
 Accelerated Reader Program & Reading First Program
 Hands-on Science Program
 Investigations Math
 Reduced Class Size K-3
 Responsive Classroom & Positive Behavior System
 Mini Economy Programs
 Science Fair
 Volunteer Tutoring Program

Middle & High School:

21st Century Afterschool Programs (MS)
 Advanced Placement Classes (HS)
 Army JROTC
 Award Winning Instrumental/Music Programs
 Career Planning
 Career Tech Center Opportunities
 Debate & Forensics
 Electronic Educational Development Plans
 French (HS) and Spanish (MS & HS)
 Freshman Seminar; Freshman Transition Program
 Freshman Success Academies
 Honors Classes at All Levels
 Math & Reading Support Classes
 MCC Dual Enrollment on MHS Campus
 Mentoring Programs
 Michigan Scholars Program
 Science (Hands on Student Programs)
 Summer Schools and Credit Recovery
 Technology Integration into Core Curriculum
 Work-Based Learning Experiences

Facilities

Eight elementary buildings, two middle schools, one high school, adult and alternative education schools and other district buildings received over \$48 million in improvements through a bond project completed in 2000.

Technology

Voice, video & data service to all classrooms
At least 2 computers per classroom
Inkjet & high speed printers in every building
Digital cameras, scanners, and CD-R writers
Mobile TV on cart
Mobile TV camera on cart
Six active data drops in all classrooms
Mounted 27" TV monitor in all classrooms
Shoreline Fiber Network

Athletics

OK Red Conference
varsity, junior varsity and freshman football
varsity, junior varsity and freshman basketball
baseball, cross country, soccer, swimming,
tennis, track, softball, golf, volleyball, and
wrestling.

Career Education

Available through the Muskegon Area
Career Tech Center (CTC)
Applied Health Technologies
Auto Body Repair
Automotive Technology
Business Service Technology/Financial Support
Commercial Art
Construction Trades
Drafting/CAD
Graphic Arts
Hospitality and Foods

Safety

Attendance Intervention Officer
Established Emergency Procedures Handbook
Including Protocols for:
Building Shelter and Evacuation Plans
Rally Points
Fire Drill Procedures
Door Security
Dealing with Severe Weather
Environmental Incidents and
Mass Disruptions

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Elementary

Afterschool Activities - Crafts, Recreation, Tutoring
Boy Scouts/Cub Scouts
Community Service Projects
5th Grade Camp/Trips
Girl Scouts/Brownies
Junior Achievement
Music, Art, Physical Education
Outdoor Classrooms
PALS Reading Program
Summer Literacy

Middle School & High School

Afterschool Activities (MS)
Band, Choir, Orchestra, Flag Corps
Close Up Program (HS)
Math Counts Competition
MCC College Career Fair
National Honor Society
Physics In the Park/Michigan Adventure
Rockets
Science Challenge
Showcase
Spanish Club
Student Leadership Council
Students Against Drunk Driving
Theater/Performances/Radio Station 106.1 FM
Yearbook/Student Newspaper



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We take great pride in our school. Please call to schedule a tour of our facilities.