

ORCHARD VIEW SCHOOLS

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Orchard View School District is located in Muskegon Township, just a few short miles east of the beautiful shoreline of Lake Michigan. The Muskegon River flows through the northern corner, making our community a desired location for families. Our dedicated and professional staff provide services to over 2,200 students enrolled in our K-12 programs. Orchard View Community Education supports individuals in the community with education, leisure classes, and community resources. Orchard View Schools believe in supporting the family as a whole. We provide an environment that promotes problem solving, critical thinking, and encouragement for all to reach their full potential. Our curriculum is progressive and is aligned with the Michigan Curriculum Frameworks and Common Core Standards.



2019-2020 STATISTICS For Orchard View Schools

ENROLLMENT:

Elementary: **949**
 Middle School: **493**
 High School: **627**
 Total:..... **2,069**

*Percentage of Graduates: **91%***

*Graduates who further their education: **62%***

*Years of Operation: **100+***

*Average Teacher Seniority: **13 years***

*Certified Teachers: **100%***

*Teachers with Masters Degrees: **62%***

*Guidance: **1.5 Social Workers, 5 Counselors, 2 Child Psychologists***

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE:

Elementary: **23**
 Middle School: **23**
 High School: **26**



INNOVATIVE & PROVEN Instructional Programs

BEFORE & BEYOND K-12:

- Adult Education, Literacy, and Parenting Program
- Business and Industry Training
- Child Care and School-age After-school Care
- Early Childhood/Early Childhood Special Education
- GED Test Center
- Preschool and Head Start
- Senior Citizen Services and Orchard View Travelers
- Summer Park Program/Cardinal Camps
- Vocational Training/Distance Learning
- Youth and Adult Enrichments

ELEMENTARY:

- All-day Kindergarten
- Art, Library, Music, and Physical Education
- Character Education
- DHS Offices
- Family Resource Room
- Inclusion for Students with Special Needs
- MYalliance System of Care
- Project-based Learning
- Response to Intervention
- Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, Math (STEAM)
- Sensory Room
- Summer Acceleration

MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL:

- One-to-one Chromebooks (MS & HS)
- Adaptive Studies for Students with Special Needs
- Advanced & Accelerated Courses
- Advanced Industrial Arts
- Advanced Placement English
- After-school Math
- Animal Training (MS)
- Band & Choral Music
- Career Preparation
- Computer Programming and Drafting
- Destination ImagiNation
- Dual Enrollment at Muskegon Community College
- Honors Classes
- Leadership Retreat & Peer-to-Peer Program
- Physical Education – Basic and Advanced
- Project-based Learning
- Reading and Writing Intervention
- Robotics (MS & HS)
- Student Assistance Program
- Summer School and Summer Work Program

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Discover. Learn. Succeed.

TECHNOLOGY

Effective and engaging software and online learning resources are an integral part of our curriculum. Each classroom is equipped for 21st century learning. Labs are continuously being upgraded to maintain state-of-the-art equipment. All teachers have access to computers for lesson planning, student record keeping, Internet, interactive learning, and email. Parents have access to Parent Grade Viewer, Cardinals Connect app and the district website.

- » Elementary buildings: one-to-one Chromebooks
- » Middle school: one-to-one Chromebooks
- » High school: one-to-one Chromebooks
- » Community Education: 300 computers
- » Libraries/Offices/Work Stations: 150 computers and iPad workstations
- » Shoreline Fiber Network and over 2,000 district Chromebooks



HEALTH & SAFETY

Aligned health curriculum through Michigan Model. We put safety first by providing:

- » Full-time police officer in partnership with Muskegon Township, ALICE trained
- » Playground safety programs
- » Truancy programs & restorative justice
- » Security systems in buildings
- » Kids' Food Basket, OVEE & Cardinal
- » Free breakfast and lunch for all
- » Student assistance programs

ATHLETICS

Football, softball, baseball, volleyball, wrestling, golf, basketball, soccer, cross country, track and field, cheerleading, bowling

SCHOOL-TO-COLLEGE AND CAREER

- » Career education (Grades K-12)
- » Career fairs
- » Dual enrollment (Grades 11-12)
- » Early College option at Muskegon Community College
- » Study trips (Grades K-12)
- » Career Tech Center (Grades 11-12)
- » Career speakers (Grades K-12)
- » MSU College Advisor on-site

FACILITIES

Orchard View has a high school, middle school, one 2nd through 5th grade elementary building, early childhood center (preschool through first grade), Head Start center, two child care centers, and a Community Education Center. All buildings qualify for the EnergyStar efficiency award.

CO-CURRICULAR Activities

ELEMENTARY

- » After-school Program (Grades Pre-K - 8)
- » Boys & Girls Club
- » Cardinals Can Walk-a-thon
- » Cub Scouts (Grades K - 5)
- » Fall, Spring, Thanksgiving Family Picnics
- » Field Trips
- » Fifth Grade Service Club
- » Foster Grandparents (K-1)
- » Girls on the Run/ Total Trek Quest®
- » Grade Level Concerts
- » KickStart to Career Readiness
- » Kids Read Now - Summer Book Program
- » LEGO Robotics
- » Monthly Family Nights
- » Parent-Teacher Organization
- » Young 5's

MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL

- » Boys & Girls Club
- » Choir
- » Concert Band, Marching Band
- » Drama
- » First Priority
- » Full Athletics Program
- » Interact Club
- » National Honor Society
- » Robotics MARS Program
- » Student Council
- » Summer Career Camp (Career Tech Center)
- » Theme Events - Snowcoming and Homecoming



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