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District Annual Education Report (AER) Cover Letter

February 7, 2023

Dear Parents and Community Members:

We are pleased to present you with the Annual Education Report (AER) which provides key information on the 2020-21 educational progress for the Verona Mills 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 Verona Mills School for assistance.

The AER is available for you to review electronically by visiting the following web site https://bit.ly/3tVSA4f or you may review a copy in the main office at your child's school.

For the 2020-21 school year, schools were identified using definitions and labels as required in the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). A Targeted Support and Improvement (TSI) school is one that has at least one underperforming student subgroup in 2021-22. An Additional Targeted Support (ATS) school is one that has 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 is in the lowest 5% of all schools in the state or has 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 not identified as a Reward, Focus, or Priority School.

State law requires that we also report additional information:

1. PROCESS FOR ASSIGNING PUPILS TO THE SCHOOL

In district pupils are enrolled automatically. Schools-of-choice openings, if any, are posted each year in May and January. Students are taken through the schools-of-choice program until positions are filled or the deadlines have passed.

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

We are in the second year of our three to five-year school improvement plan. The plan will expire in 2026.

3. A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF EACH SPECIALIZED SCHOOL

There are no specialized schools in the district.

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 is available from the Michigan Department of Education (http://www.michigan.gov/mde/0,4615,7-140-28753-64839-65510---,00.html), from Verona Mills School, or from the Huron Intermediate School District (www.huronisd.org). Verona Mills School follows the Michigan Common Core State Standards in all subject areas that are taught at the school.

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

Due to confidentiality concerns, this information cannot be reported in this format because of the limited number of available scores. Individual student scores are available to parents upon request and are sent home once tests are administered.



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

26 students of 26 students, representing 100%, were represented by parents at parent teacher conferences in 2021/2022.

The faculty and board are proud of the effort the children have shown when taking the state mandated tests.

Sincerely,

Amy Schweitzer