CHIPPEWA VALLEY SCHOOLS

Mohegan High 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 2023-2024 educational progress for Mohegan high 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 Jim Fields for assistance.

The AER is available for you to review electronically by visiting the following website https://www.mischooldata.org/annual-education-report-1?Common_Locations=1-S,6381,1017,95, or you may review a copy in the main office at your child's school.

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 was identified as a Comprehensive Support and Improvement (CSI) school.

Mohegan High School serves an all-at-risk student body. This group of students, by definition, comes with academic, attendance, social, and emotional issues that need to be addressed by our school. When we examine the Combined Report, we understand that resolving these issues is the key to improving our student achievement in all our deficiency areas. As such, we have reworked our School Improvement Plan and in partnership with the MISD have provided a more comprehensive professional development program for our staff along with requisite training. We piloted a new intervention program this year, IXL Learning,

and we believe it will help our students gain academically in ELA and Mathematics. Two years ago, we added a Behavior Interventionist and a Graduation Coach that are working with our most at-risk students in the areas of attendance, post-secondary planning, and academic success. As a staff, we have also been moving the school towards a trauma informed model of school policy to address the needs of our student body. For this year, we also added Dual Enrollment courses for our students.

State law requires that we also report additional information.

- 1. Mohegan High School services students from Chippewa Valley Schools and allows students in Macomb County to apply for enrollment. Students are placed on a wait list during the term and are enrolled on a first-come, first served basis.
- 2. In March of 2021, Chippewa Valley completed a comprehensive System Accreditation Engagement Review through Cognia, a nonprofit organization that provides quality assurance for schools, school districts, and education service providers. We have met rigorous Cognia Performance Standards and accreditation policies, demonstrated quality assurance through internal and external review, regularly analyzed student performance data, and consistently engaged in best practices in continuous improvement. The Engagement Review Team examined district and school improvement plans, reviewed data and artifacts, and interviewed stakeholders from schools and the community. The Team recommended to the Cognia Global Accreditation Commission that Chippewa Valley Schools earn the distinction of System Accreditation.
- 3. Mohegan High School exists as an intervention program for students in our district that need additional support during their high school years. Our program is designed to meet students where they are and empower them to build their academic, emotional, and social skills to achieve success in high school. Our school utilizes a later start time, smaller class sizes, and a trimester system among other strategies to help students build capacity and attain success.
- 4. In CVS, we feel we best serve all students by establishing an integrated and dynamic relationship between curriculum, instruction, assessment practices and standards. These standards and practices are based on the Michigan State Standards. More information about CVS curriculum can be found at

https://www.chippewavalleyschools.org/academics/curriculum/. You can also find more information on the Michigan State Standards by visiting https://www.michigan.gov/mde/0,4615,7-140-28753---,00.html

5. Chippewa Valley School District administers the NWEA Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) benchmark assessments to all students in Mathematics and English Language Arts in grades K-10. NWEA (MAP) assessments are computerized, adaptive assessments which measure individual student growth. They are administered two to three times throughout the school year. The resulting data allowed teachers to see the instructional ranges within their classroom and begin to target their instruction to meet specific skills their students need. For more information on our balanced assessment program please visit our district

assessment page at

https://www.chippewavalleyschools.org/downloads/edservices/assessment_plan.pdf

- 6. Parent-teacher communication is key to student success. Mohegan hosts two yearly, formal parent/teacher conferences. In the last two years we have averaged 19% parent attendance for conferences.
- 7. Mohegan does not have any college equivalent courses, but we did participate in our first dual enrollment opportunity with one student this year. Our hope is to continue and expand this opportunity for more students moving forward.

Mohegan has provided a layer of support for our district's at-risk high school youth for the past twenty years. As educators and parents, we know that all children are unique; no one school can effectively serve all students. Mohegan exists to provide a nurturing environment for students that have not been served in the traditional setting and our mission is to engage students with a curriculum that equips them with necessary skills and experiences for academic, emotional, and social success. Students come to Mohegan for a variety of reasons. We help them get their education back on track and begin to plan their future.

The staff of Mohegan are very proud of our students and enjoy working with them. Our students want to be here and are learning to strive towards excellence. We know they have a bright future and are excited about the opportunity to continue our work with them.

Sincerely,

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Supervisor
Mohegan High School



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Ronald R. Roberts
Superintendent

February 1, 2025

Dear Parents and Community Members:

We are pleased to present you with the 2024-2025 Annual Education Report (AER) which provides key information on the 2023-2024 educational progress for the Chippewa Valley School District and our schools. The AER addresses the complex reporting information required by federal and some requirements of state laws. Our staff is available to help you understand this information. Please contact the Educational Services Department at (586) 723-2020 for help if you need assistance.

The District AER is available for you to review electronically by visiting the following web site: https://tinyurl.com/CVSAER24-25 or you may review a copy in the Educational Services Department or main office at your child's school. Each school will also be communicating their own AER to parents directly.

These reports contain the following information:

Student Assessment Data

- Includes the following three assessments: M-STEP (Michigan Student Test of Educational Progress)
 MI-Access (Alternate Assessment), and College Board SAT
- Presents assessment information for English Language Arts and Mathematics for grades 3 to 8 and 11, and MI-Access science for grades 4, 7, and 11, compared to state averages for all students as well as subgroups of students.

School Accountability Data

- Includes information on schools' performance on various measures such as student proficiency and growth on state assessments, graduation, and attendance rates.
 Performance is measured on 0-100 index scales
- Reports schools identified under three federally required categories for further support:
 Comprehensive Support and Improvement, Targeted Support and Improvement, and
 Additional Targeted Support

Educator Qualification Data

- Identifies the number and percentage of inexperienced teachers, principals, and other school leaders
- Reports teachers who are teaching with emergency or provisional credentials
- Includes teachers who are not teaching in the subject or field for which they are certified

NAEP Data (National Assessment of Educational Progress)

 Provides state results of the national assessment in mathematics and reading every other year in grades 4 and 8

Civil Rights Data

Provides information on school quality, climate, and safety

Please review the table listing our schools. For the 2024-2025 school year, schools were identified based on previous years' performance using definitions and labels as required in *Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)*. A Targeted Support and Improvement (TSI) school is one that had at least one underperforming student subgroup in 2023-2024. 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 2021-2022. A Comprehensive Support and Improvement (CSI) school is one whose performance was in the lowest 5% of all schools in the state or has a graduation rate at or below 67% in 2021-2022. Some schools are not identified with any of these labels. In these cases, no status label is given.

School Name	Status Label	Key Initiatives to Accelerate Achievement
Algonquin Middle School		
Cherokee Elementary		
Cheyenne Elementary		 Multi-Tier System of Supports
Chippewa Valley High School		(MTSS)
Clinton Valley Elementary		Guaranteed and Viable
Dakota High School	TSI School	
Erie Elementary		Curriculum
Fox Elementary		Social-Emotional Learning &
Huron Elementary		Support
Iroquois Middle School		Technology to Support Learning
Miami Elementary		 Improve Literacy Achievement in
Mohawk Elementary		Grades K-12
Mohegan High School	CSI School	Leadership Coaching
Ojibwa Elementary		K-12 Mathematics
Ottawa Elementary		— N-12 Mathematics
Seneca Middle School		
Sequoyah Elementary		
Shawnee Elementary		
Wyandot Middle School		

It is my privilege to share with you the many ways Chippewa Valley continues to provide exceptional educational opportunities for all our students in Grades K-12. Our district offers a challenging curriculum aligned with state standards and benchmarks, ensuring our students are well-prepared for success for their next steps.

Literacy serves as the foundation of learning for all students, and we use data-informed decisions to shape curriculum and instruction. We are dedicated to maintaining a safe learning environment that meets the diverse needs of every student. Our commitment extends to supporting the whole child by fostering a sense of belonging, building strong relationships, and promoting academic growth. Additionally, we provide robust support for teachers, administrators, and staff to help every student achieve their full potential.

Both Chippewa Valley High School and Dakota High School stand out as leaders in education, offering over 200 courses, 38 extracurricular clubs and activities, and 24 sports programs. For students seeking a rigorous academic experience, our advanced placement courses provide an ideal foundation for college readiness. Teachers and students alike have received local, state, and national recognition for their innovative approaches and outstanding achievements in education. Additionally, our highly regarded fine arts, band, and choir programs continue to set the standard for excellence.

We are equally proud of our Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs, which connect students to real-world experiences and prepare them for a variety of career and educational pathways. These programs, led by industry-experienced teachers, offer invaluable insights into the skills and knowledge needed to thrive in today's workforce connecting classroom learning to practical applications, enhancing student readiness for the future.

Technology plays a vital role in supporting our students' education. Our district's one-to-one computer program, implemented in grades K-12, ensures every student has access to a consistent, compatible device. This initiative addresses issues of access and equity, ensuring all learners have the tools they need to succeed.

In Chippewa Valley, continuous improvement is a driving force. Our curriculum councils and school improvement teams—comprising talented educators and administrators—continuously refine teaching practices, align curriculum with state standards, and develop innovative programs. This commitment is demonstrated through initiatives like data-driven decision-making, multi-tiered systems of support, and the use of research-based materials. We are proud to maintain System Accreditation through Cognia, a nonprofit organization providing quality assurance for schools. This accreditation reflects our dedication to best practices, rigorous performance standards, and continuous improvement. Student performance data is regularly analyzed to ensure we meet and exceed expectations, and we are honored to hold this distinction through 2026.

Chippewa Valley also provides specialized services for students with academic or physical challenges, tailoring programs to meet the needs of every child in compliance with State and Federal laws. These services reflect our belief in the value and potential of every learner.

We have taken steps to provide layers of support in English Language Development for our K-12 English Learners and their families with the goal for students to reach English Proficiency and exit the program. Exiting students demonstrate that they have proficiently acquired the English Language in both social and academic settings by passing the WIDA test administered each spring.

Beyond K-12 education, our district serves students of all ages. Infants, toddlers, and preschoolers are enrolled in our early childhood programs at Little Turtle Early Childhood Center and other elementary schools. Our Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP) provides full-day, tuition-free preschool at four elementary schools, ensuring a strong foundation for our youngest learners.

The Chippewa Valley Coalition for Youth and Families exemplifies the power of partnerships among our schools, parents, and community organizations. Together, we promote healthy, safe, and drug-free lifestyles while supporting families across the district.

Chippewa Valley Schools updated its Strategic Plan during the 2023-2024 school year, engaging staff and community members in shaping the district's future. More than 3,900 responses were collected through open-ended surveys, highlighting priorities in three main areas: Curriculum and Instruction, Climate and Culture, and Technology. Teams of district staff and subject matter experts collaborated to analyze the data and set measurable goals and strategies. This Strategic Planning Guide reflects our shared vision and provides a clear path for implementing programs and initiatives to foster continuous improvement and success.

Parent and community involvement remain the cornerstone of our success. Whether through PTOs, Booster Groups, Citizens Advisory Committees, or attendance at school events, the commitment of our parents and community is unmatched. Your engagement enriches our schools and fosters a thriving educational environment for every child.

Finally, we take immense pride in our safe, well-maintained facilities and the unique personality of each school. To learn more about our district or arrange a visit, please contact our Community Relations Department at (586) 723-2240.

Thank you for your continued support of School District Name. Together, we are creating a future filled with promise and possibility for every student.

Sincerely,

Ronald Roberts

Ronald Roberts Superintendent, Chippewa Valley Schools

