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(Letter Sent on District's Letterhead)

District Annual Education Report (AER) Cover Letter

May 3rd, 2018

Dear Parents and Community Members:

We are pleased to present you with the Annual Education Report (AER) which provides key information on the 2016-17 educational progress for the Multicultural Academy school district. 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 Superintendent,

Dr. Naji. A. Jaber at nshalabi@macademyk8.com for help if you need assistance.

The DISTRICT AER is available for you to review electronically by visiting the following web site:

www.macademyk8.com

https://goo.gl/NtFMJt

Or you may review a copy in the 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), Presents assessment information for English language arts and mathematics for grades 3 to 8, and science for grades 4, 7 compared to state averages for all students as well as subgroups of students. The report helps users to understand achievement performance within grades and schools, and to make comparisons to district, state, and national achievement benchmarks.

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Accountability - Detail Data and Status

For ELA, 95.7 % students were tested, 16.2 % were proficient and 100 % of our students were tested in Mathematics and 7.6 % were proficient.

School Name	Proficiency Index Value	Growth Index Value	EL Progress Index Value	School Student Success Index value	General Participation Index Value	EL Participation Index Value	Overall Index Value
Multicultural Academy	17.48	32.25	10.23	74.26	99.47	94.04	33.75

Teacher Qualification Data

- We have 6 teachers who have BA degree and 4 teachers have MA degree.
- 30 % of our classes were not taught by highly qualified teachers.

NAEP Data (National Assessment of Educational Progress)

- Please view <u>www.macademyk8.com</u> and <u>https://www.mischooldata.org/AER2018/CombinedReport2.aspx#NAEP</u> for the NAEP data.
- Multicultural Academy, as a district, is improved from a Priority School to a non-labeled school. However, we will still continue to look at our students' data and we will implement effective teaching practices and use technology to continue to grow and achieve.

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MULTICULTURAL **ACADEMY**

School Name	Status Label	Key Initiative to Accelerate Achievement
Multicultural Academy	No Label	Grade level Team Teaching , Tier structured instruction, Retention of Staff

Multicultural Academy will continue to strive for academic excellence in all areas of education. Students, staff and parents will keep working effectively to achieve our authorization goals, our SIP goals and MDE goals. We believe we can do it because we have highly qualified staff, excellent parents, updated curriculum, needed resources, safe learning environment and effective leadership.

Sincerely,

Dr. Naji.A.Jaber.

Superintendent

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