THE GOVERNOR JOHN ENGLER
CENTER FOR
CHARTER SCHOOLS
CENTRAL MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

Educational Goal and Related Measures

Pursuant to Applicable Law and the Terms and Conditions of this Contract, including Article VI, Section 6.2, the Academy shall achieve or demonstrate measurable progress for all groups of pupils toward the achievement of the educational goal identified in this schedule. Although an increase in academic achievement for all groups of pupils as measured by assessments and other objective criteria is the most important factor in determining the Academy's progress toward the achievement of the educational goal, the Center also considers other factors. Upon request, the Academy shall provide the Center with a written report, along with supporting data, assessing the Academy's progress toward achieving this goal. In addition, the University expects the Academy will meet the State of Michigan's accreditation standards pursuant to state and federal law.

Educational Goal to be Achieved
Prepare students academically for success in college, work and life.

Measures to Assist In Determining Measurable Progress Toward Goal Achievement
To assist in determining whether the Academy is achieving measurable progress toward the achievement of this goal, the Center will annually assess the Academy's performance using the following measures.

Measure 1: Student Achievement
The academic achievement of **all students who have been at the academy for one or more years[1]** in grades 3-8 will be assessed using the following measures and targets:

Sub Indicator	Measure	Metric	Target
Against a Standard:	The percentage of students meeting or surpassing the current, spring, grade-level national norms[2] on the NWEA Growth reading and math tests administered in the spring.	Distribution (which will be in the form of percentages): Exceeds ≥ 70.0% Meets ≥ 50.0% Approaching ≥ 30.0% Does not meet < 30.0%	50%
In the event that performance against the standard falls below these required expectations, "measurable progress towards the achievement of this goal" will be defined using the following measures and targets:			
Over Time:	The percentage of students meeting or surpassing spring grade-level national norms over time (CY-AVG(PY1+PY2+PY3)).	Trend score (which will be in the form of –x to +x): Exceeds ≥ 6.0% Meets ≥ 3.0% Approaching ≥ 1.0% Does not meet < 1.0%	3.0%
Comparison Measure:	The percentage of students categorized as proficient or advanced on the most recent state assessment will surpass the school's Composite Resident District (CRD) percentage.	Portfolio Distribution (which will be in the form of –x to +x): Exceeds ≥ 10.0% Meets ≥ 5.0% Approaching ≥ 0.0% Does not meet < 0.0%	5.0%

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[1] One or more years students (also called 1+ students) are students who are enrolled in the academy on or before count day and are still enrolled at the end of a given academic year.

[2] Grade level national norms are updated periodically by NWEA following comprehensive norming studies. The Center will use the most updated national norms published by NWEA and will inform the Academy when the norms are updated and how the updated norms may impact analysis and performance reporting.

Measure 2: Student Growth

The academic growth of all students in grades 3-8 at the Academy will be assessed using the following measures and targets:

Sub Indicator	Measure	Metric	Target
Against a Standard:	The median of student growth percentiles (MGP) reflecting fall-to-spring scaled score growth on the reading and math NWEA Growth tests.	MGP: Exceeds ≥ 65th Meets ≥ 50th Approaching ≥ 45th Does not meet < 45th	Reading: 50 Math: 50
In the event that performance against the standard falls below these required expectations, "measurable progress towards the achievement of this goal" will be defined using the following measures and targets:			
Over Time:	The percentage of students making at least one year's growth over time (CY-AVG(PY1+PY2+PY3)).	Trend score (which will be in the form of –x to +x): Exceeds ≥ 6.0% Meets ≥ 3.0% Approaching ≥ 1.0% Does not meet < 1.0%	3.0%
Comparison Measure:	The mean student growth percentile reflecting growth on the two most recent state assessments will surpass the school's Composite Resident District.	Portfolio Distribution (which will be in the form of –x to +x): Exceeds ≥ 10.0% Meets ≥ 5.0% Approaching ≥ 0.0% Does not meet < 0.0%	5.0%

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Measure: Post-Secondary Readiness: Grades 9-11

The 'on-track' towards college readiness rates of all students in grades 9-11 will be assessed using the following measures and targets.

Sub Indicator	Measure	Metric	Target
Career and College Readiness (CCR) Standard	The percentage of full academic year students meeting or surpassing the current career and college readiness benchmarks on the SAT (grade 11) in Evidence-Based Reading and Writing (EBRW) and Math.	For Math & EBRW, distribution (which will be in the form of percentages): Exceeds: % CCR > state average by 20% or more Meets: School % CCR – State Average ≥ 0% ≤ 20% Approaching: School % CCR – State Average < 0% ≥ -20% Does Not Meet: School % CCR – State Average < -20%	EBRW: Current State Average* Math: Current State Average* *2022-23 EBRW 52% Math 30%
In the event that performance against the standard falls below these required expectations, "measurable progress towards the achievement of this goal" will be defined using the following measures and targets:			
Trend Over-Time	The percentage of full academic year students meeting or surpassing the current career and college readiness benchmarks on the SAT (grade 11) in EBRW and Math over time (CY-AVG(PY1+PY2+PY3)).	Trend score (which will be in the form of –x to +x): Exceeds ≥ 6.0% Meets ≥ 3.0% Approaching ≥ 1.0% Does not meet < 1.0%	3.0%
High School Growth	The percentage of students meeting or surpassing the expected growth between College Board (PSAT/SAT) assessments from spring to spring.	For Math & EBRW, distribution (which will be in the form of percentages): Exceeds ≥ 70.0% Meets ≥ 50.0% Approaching ≥ 30.0% Does not meet < 30.0%	50%
Comparative Career & College Readiness	The percentage of students meeting or surpassing the current career & college readiness benchmarks on the SAT (grade 11) will surpass the school's Composite Resident District percentage.	Portfolio Distribution (which will be in the form of –x to +x): Exceeds ≥ 10.0% Meets ≥ 5.0% Approaching ≥ 0.0% Does not meet < 0.0%	+5%
Comparative Graduation Rate	The 4-year graduation rate for students at the academy will meet or surpass the school's Composite Resident District's 4-year graduation rate.	Portfolio Distribution (which will be in the form of –x to +x): Exceeds ≥ 10.0% Meets ≥ 0.0% Does not meet < 0.0%	0%