PrepNet Virtual Academy



# **Grade Configuration**

K-12 (K-12 Contract)

#### **Current Contract Term Length**

5 years (2025)

#### **Education Service Provider**

National Heritage Academies

#### Location

3850 Broadmoor Ave SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49512

#### **Board President**

Kristin Beltzer

#### **Board Members**

Kendell Joseph, Alisha Meneely, Margaret Lancaster, Jami Lomonaco

## Summary

PrepNet Virtual Academy was created to provide an additional educational choice for two primary student groups with different unmet needs: those currently enrolled in a National Heritage Academies partner school who desired a virtual option, and others across Michigan who are interested in a rigorous academic program of study in a virtual setting. The academy aims to be a desirable choice for families who are looking for unique ways to meet their child's educational needs. Students experience 6-8 classroom courses each semester, allowing them to have exposure to a diverse group of educators. Students also participate in advisory groups where they are able to increase their communication skills while setting academic goals.

### Highlights

100% of the 2022 graduating class were accepted to at least one college or university.

Students had multiple opportunities to meet in person to participate in environmental science and robotics programming.

Students in grades 7-12 participated in the academy's first annual Career Day.

# CSO Capacity Analysis

PrepNet Virtual Academy has demonstrated academic, organizational, and fiscal soundness. Only in its third year of operation, the CSO has observed that PrepNet Virtual Academy continues to effectively manage significant increases in student enrollment. This has been accomplished largely due to the experience, resources, and support by the school's management partner, National Heritage Academies. The CSO has observed that the academy's academic results was favorable compared to similar schools, however, the percentage of students participating in state testing was very low. This needs to be an area of focus for the school moving forward. The CSO has confidence in PrepNet Virtual Academy's capacity to grow and improve its academic results and community reach.



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#### 2022-23 State Assessment Results

2023 M-STEP ELA	2023 M-STEP Math	2023 M-STEP All Subjects
30%	13%	20%
2023 SAT EBRW	2023 SAT Math	2023 SAT Total Score
NA	NA	NA

M-STEP proficiency on a scale of 0-100% and SAT EBRW and Math on a scale of 0-800 and SAT Total Score on a scale of 0-1600.

Education Goals: Difference between the academy and statistically similar schools on M-STEP Proficiency, SAT Total Score and Student Growth Percentile (SGP).

\*on Data: Data Suppression

2021 M-STEP	2022 M-STEP	2023 M-STEP
NA	5	-3
2021 SAT	2022 SAT	2023 SAT
NA*	65	NA
2021 ELA SGP	2022 ELA SGP*	2023 ELA SGP
2021 ELA SGP	<b>2022 ELA SGP*</b> 7.2	<b>2023 ELA SGP</b> 1.9





<sup>\*</sup>Data Disclaimers:

<sup>\*</sup>on Title: Grade levels for which growth data are available for 2021-22 are limited due to no state testing in 2019-20 and low participation in state testing in 2020-21. Elementary grades did not receive a growth score.

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# Roster of Statistically Similar Schools\*

Great Lakes Cyber Academy
ICademy Global
Insight School of Michigan
LifeTech Academy
Lighthouse Connections Academy
Michigan Connections Academy
Michigan Great Lakes Virtual Academy
Michigan International Prep School
Michigan Online School
Michigan Virtual Charter Academy
Success Virtual Learning Centers of Michigan
Uplift Michigan Academy
WAY Michigan

**Compliance Reporting Condition** 

\*List of school buildings determined once every 3 years by GVSU to be the most geographically, demographically, socioeconomically and programmatically similar to the school.

#### 2022-23 Test Participation Rate

52.0%

Schools below 95% (federal requirement) participation rate are indicated in red.

2022-23 School Index (Percentile Rank)

47.32

Schools below the 2022-23 School Index Threshold of 31.77 are indicated in red.

2022-23 School Index Support Category

Additional Targeted Support

# Exceeds Standards: At least 95% of board and school documents (combined) submitted to Epicenter on time Meets Standards: At least 85% of board and school documents (combined) submitted to Epicenter on time Does Not Meet Standards: Less than 85% board and school documents (combined) submitted to Epicenter on time Financial Condition Exceeds Standards: Submitted to Epicenter on-time, unqualified opinion, and no significant deficiencies or material weaknesses

weaknesses

Meets Standards: Submitted to Epicenter on-time, unqualified opinion, one or two significant deficiencies, and no material

Does Not Meet Standards: Late submission to Epicenter, unqualified, one or more material weaknesses or more than two significant deficiencies, OR qualified opinion





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32%

4%

# 2022-23 Student Resident Districts Student Resident Districts Legend

Gray: Others 64%

#### 2022-23 Attendance Rate

84%

2022-23 Free and Reduced Lunch

85%

Blue: Detroit Public Schools Community District 32% Orange: Grand Rapids Public Schools 4%

13%

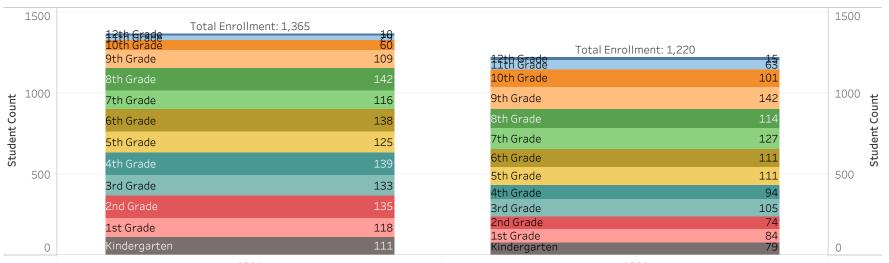
2022-23 Special Education Enrollment

2022-23 English Language Learners

3%

#### 3 Year Enrollment

64%



2021 2022



