

Timberland Academy

School Information

Grade Configuration: K-8 (K-8 Contract)
Current Contract Term Length: 7 Years
Education Service Provider: National Heritage Academies

Location: 2574 McLaughlin Road, Muskegon, MI 49442

Board President: Dorothy Scott

Board Members:

Timothy Bunnell

Tracey Welsh

Tammisha Morris

Summary & Key School Highlights

Summary: Founded in 1998, Timberland Charter Academy educates approximately 725 students, 95% of whom are from the Muskegon / North Muskegon area. Timberland provides a high quality general program of fundamental education in core academic areas.

Highlights:

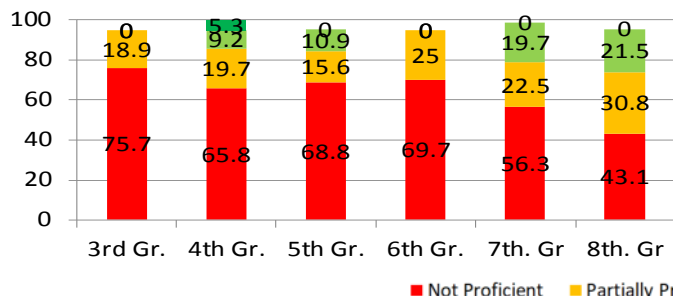
- NHA Playbook School, school now receives additional resources in math and reading
- Rated in top 60 of 2300 schools in Mackinac Center Report for making most improvement

CSO Capacity Analysis

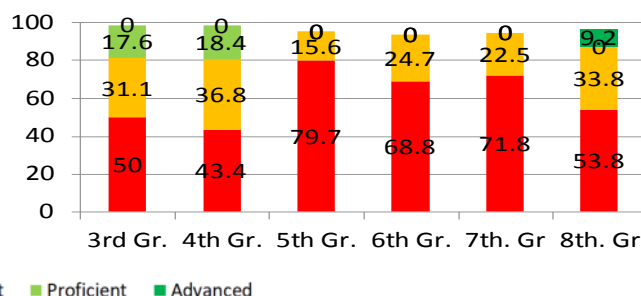
Timberland Charter Academy has demonstrated organizational soundness and fiscal stability; however, its academic results have struggled in the most recent years of its charter contract. The size of the student body increased significantly since the school began providing transportation services, and characteristics of the student population have changed. Evidence suggests that Timberland was not properly prepared for this. During the renewal visit, the CSO observed that Timberland has taken many initiatives to adapt to these changes and better meet student needs. The CSO observed increased attention from its management organization and the recent implementation of more rigid systems and procedures in the classroom that are intended to rapidly increase achievement in reading and mathematics. The CSO is confident that, with support from the CSO, Timberland can accelerate student achievement during the term of its next charter contract.

Academic Performance

2018 Spring MSTEP ELA Proficiency



2018 Spring MSTEP Math Proficiency



SAT Evidence-based Reading and Writing

NA

SAT Mathematics

NA

SAT Total Score

NA

Academic Achievement and Trend K-8 (M-STEP Proficiency)

MSTEP Proficiency difference between Timberland and statistically similar schools.

2016

2017

2018

-1%

▲ 0%

▼ -4%

Academic Achievement and Trend 9-12 (SAT Total Score)

SAT Total Score difference between Timberland and statistically similar schools.

2016

2017

2018

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

Not Applicable

Academic Growth (MSTEP SGP)

Mean Student Growth Percentile Rank difference between Timberland and statistically similar schools.

2017

ELA

Math

-1.8

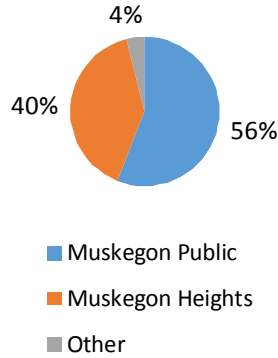
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Roster of Statistically Similar Schools

School Name	Distance
Orchard View Middle School	1.5mi
Muskegon Middle School	1.7mi
Oakview Elementary School	1.9mi
Marquette Elementary School	2.0mi
Regent Park Scholars Charter Academy	>2mi
Warrendale Charter Academy	>2mi

Students' Resident Districts



Attendance Rate

All Students 91.10%

2017-18 Compliance Reporting

Exceeds Standards
 (At least 95% of board and school documents submitted on time)

2017-18 Financial Condition (based on FY 17 audit)

Exceeds Standards
 (Audited financial statements submitted on time, unqualified opinion, and no significant deficiencies or material weaknesses)

Enrollment by grade trend

