



BRECKENRIDGE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

2025-2026 DISTRICT ANNUAL REPORT COVER LETTER

Wade Slavik, Superintendent

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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 2024-25 educational progress for Breckenridge Community 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 Wade Slavik, Superintendent, for help if you need assistance.

The DISTRICT AER is available for you to review electronically by visiting the following web site <https://bit.ly/49tNeTc>, 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:

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

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 5, 8, and 11, compared to state averages for all students as well as subgroups of students

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

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

Civil Rights Data

- Provides information on school quality, climate and safety

Please review the table below listing our schools. For the 2025-26 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 group in 2024-25. An Additional Targeted Support (ATS) school is one that had at least one student group 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%, failed to exit CSI status in 2024-25, or failed to exit ATS status in 2021-22. Some schools are not identified with any of these labels. In these cases, no status label is given.

School Name	Status Label	Key Initiative to Accelerate Achievement
Breckenridge Elementary	No Label	
Breckenridge High School	No Label	

Breckenridge Community Schools continues to excel in academics, driven by a dedicated team of highly qualified educators. Situated in the rural landscapes of Gratiot County, our small district takes pride in fostering a personalized approach to education, ensuring that every student is known, supported, and nurtured to achieve their fullest potential.

Guided by our mission to educate, support, and inspire all students to achieve personal excellence and lifelong success, Breckenridge Community Schools remains committed to the goals outlined in our five-year strategic plan (2022-2027). Our focus on continuous growth and improvement reflects the vision and input of our stakeholders.

As a one-to-one district, we harness technology to enrich instruction, ensuring that students are equipped with the tools and skills necessary for the future. Our commitment extends beyond academics, emphasizing the development of compassionate, productive individuals ready to contribute as responsible citizens and lifelong learners.

In the past year, Breckenridge Community Schools has continued to expand opportunities across academics, arts, athletics, and extracurricular activities, reinforcing our commitment to a holistic educational experience.

The district thrives within a supportive community framework, strengthened by partnerships and the unwavering support of our families and local organizations. This collaborative spirit fosters a learning environment where students feel safe, valued, and encouraged to pursue their passions.

The success stories of Breckenridge alumni continue to reflect the strength of the education provided here. Whether our graduates pursue careers locally or explore opportunities beyond our community, Breckenridge Community Schools lays a solid foundation for their future success.

As we reflect on the past year and look ahead, we are grateful for the ongoing partnership with our community, staff, and families. Together, we will continue to provide exceptional educational experiences that empower our students and shape a brighter future.

Educationally yours,



Wade Slavik, BCS Superintendent

District Points of Pride

- Communication via Breckenridge Community Schools Mobile App/Apptegy Rooms
- 1 to 1 student to device technology
- Competitive and Award Winning Athletics and Academic programs
- Huskie Pups Learning Center- GSRP Preschool and Daycare
- Small, rural district where students are known by name
- Highly Qualified Instructional Staff
- Secondary Electives- Physical Education/BFS/weightlifting, Computer Based Math/Esports, Drama, Ag courses/FFA, STEM, Spanish, Art, Band, Choir, Journalism/Yearbook, Computer Programming, Co-op, GIRESD CTE programs
- After School program PK-5
- Student Organizations/Programs- Student Council, NHS, PAWS student mentoring program, Wall of Wonderful Work, PBIS
- Low Staff to Student Ratio
- Additional Student Supports like Title I Literacy Instruction and Interventions, Community and Family Engagement Events, After School Tutoring, Behavior Interventionalists, Gratiot Integrated Health School Based Therapist, and Social Workers
- Recent facilities updates