



KAISER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

"Kaiser Elementary, a place where students, staff, parents and the community are working together to provide the best for all of our children."

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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 2015-16 educational progress for Kaiser Elementary School. The AER addresses the complex reporting information required by federal and state laws. The school's report contains information about student assessment, accountability, and teacher quality. If you have any questions about the AER, please contact Ms. Kelly Torpey for assistance.

The AER is available for you to review electronically by visiting the following web site [Annual Report](#), or you may review a copy in the main office at your child's school.

For the 2016-17 year, no new Priority or Focus schools were named; some Priority or Focus schools did exit their status because they met the exit criteria. New Reward schools were identified using school rankings and Beating the Odds information. A Focus school is one that has a large achievement gap between the highest and lowest achieving 30% of schools. A Priority school is one whose achievement and growth is in the lowest 5% of all schools in the state. A Reward school is one that has achieved one or more of the following distinctions: top 5% of schools on the Top-to-Bottom School Rankings, top 5% of schools making the greatest gains in achievement (improvement metric), or "Beating the Odds" by outperforming the school's predicted ranking and/or similar schools. Some schools are not identified with any of these labels. In these cases no label is given. Our school has not been identified as any of these labels.

Kaiser Elementary has undertaken several initiatives to combat the challenges we face. These initiatives include a walk to read program so that every student is instructed at their level, Direct Instruction programs to provide structure and consistency in reading instruction, afterschool programs in reading and math and the support of a Literacy Coach and Teacher Consultant. Reviewing the data in the combined report we have students who are performing below proficiency in reading and math. The above programs are in place to help these students.

For the 2015-2016 school year, Kaiser Elementary School served approximately 230 students in grades Kindergarten through Fifth Grade. Kaiser also houses a district program servicing cognitively impaired students in grades K-5. Students were assigned to Kaiser Elementary School according to their home residence. Families also had the opportunity to apply for a



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transfer to and from other schools within Roseville Community Schools. In addition, Roseville Community Schools participated in the school of choice program throughout Macomb County. Attendance at conferences was **96%** in the fall and 82% in the spring.

Kaiser has a continuous School Improvement Plan based on state and federal mandates and requirements. Staff members continue to implement strategies identified for the goal areas of reading, writing, science, and math. All staff members were involved in the planning and implementation of this plan. Data from local and state assessments were used to support changes and implement strategies. Specific building challenges are detailed in the school improvement plan.

Congratulations to the students, staff, and parents of Kaiser Elementary School for the success achieved during the 2015-2016 school year. I am looking forward to an exciting end of the school year!

Sincerely,

Principal