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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 2023-24 educational progress for Flat River Academy. 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 Hilary Karnatz for assistance.

The AER is available for you to review electronically by visiting the following website https://www.mischooldata.org/annual-education-report-1?Common_Locations=1-D,1188,103,0, or you may review a copy in the main office at your child's school.

For the 2024-25 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 subgroup in 2023-24. An Additional Targeted Support (ATS) school is one that had a student subgroup 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%, or failed to exit ATS status in 2021-22. Some schools are not identified with any of these labels. In these cases, no label is given.

Our school was not given one of these labels.



State law requires that we also report additional information.

1. Process for Assigning Pupils to the school:
 1. Flat River Academy is a public charter school. Flat River Academy accepts applications all year. If openings occur during the academic year, students shall be enrolled. If openings do not exist, applicants shall be placed on the official waiting list. The waiting list shall cease to exist at the beginning of the next application period.
2. The status of the School Improvement Plan:
 1. Flat River Academy continues to see higher than average student growth and achievement and is on track to meet School Improvement Plan goals.
3. A brief description of each specialized school:
 1. Flat River Academy is a charter school and is not considered a specialized

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school.

4. Access to the core curriculum, description of implementation, and variance for state's model:
 1. A copy of Flat River Academy's curriculum can be found on the school's website: <https://www.flatriveracademy.org/curriculum-1>
5. Aggregated student achievement results for NWEA MAP testing:
 1. 22-23 NWEA Growth:  22-23 NWEA growth.pdf
 2. 23-24 NWEA Growth:  23-24 NWEA growth.pdf
6. Number and percent of students represented by parents at parent-teacher conferences:
 1. Approximately 85% or 120 students.

Flat River Academy continues to focus on differentiating instruction, providing multisensory learning, and developing the whole child. Our small-school community offers an individualized approach to supporting student achievement. Flat River Academy has made strides each year with above average student growth on NWEA and continued improvement on MSTEP and PSAT.

Sincerely,

Hilary Karnatz

Flat River Academy, Principal

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