



Cassopolis Public Schools

Cassopolis Ross Beatty High School

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School Annual Education Report (AER) Cover Letter

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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 2022-23 educational progress for Cassopolis Ross Beatty High 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 the principal, Mrs. Lindsay Gorham-Pflug for assistance.

The AER is available for you to review electronically by visiting the following web site <https://bit.ly/3b1dA0t>, or you may review a copy in the main office at your child's school.

For the 2023-24 school year, schools were identified using definitions and labels as required in the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). A Targeted Support and Improvement (TSI) school is one that has at least one underperforming student subgroup. An Additional Targeted Support (ATS) school is one that has a student subgroup performing at the same level as the lowest 5% of all schools in the state. A Comprehensive Support and Improvement (CSI) school is one whose performance is in the lowest 5% of all schools in the state or has a graduation rate at or below 67%. Some schools are not identified with any of these labels. In these cases, no label is given.

Cassopolis Ross Beatty High School has not been given one of these labels.

We believe in the continuous improvement process and are working to provide students with solid Tier 1 instruction. Focusing a multi-tiered system of support and finding ways to improve our gaps in learning and student growth in all core content areas. Focusing on these areas will help to increase our student achievement in all core areas.

State law requires that we also report additional information.

1. Cassopolis Ross Beatty High School is the only high school in the Cassopolis Public Schools district. All students are assigned to Cassopolis Ross Beatty unless they have been assigned, or choose to go, to our alternative program. Cassopolis Public Schools also offers School of Choice opportunities.

2. Cassopolis Ross Beatty High School is in year 2 of its 3-5 year school improvement plan.
3. Cassopolis Ross Beatty High School offers a wide variety of college and career programs to meet every individual student's needs. These programs include Career Technical Education Academy, Dual Enrollment, Dual Enrollment Academies, Early Middle College Program, and Math Science Center Academy.

Heritage Southwest Intermediate School District (HSISD) operates specialized programs at both Brookside Learning Center and North Pointe Center to educate most birth to 26 year-old students whose disabilities are severely mentally impaired, which qualifies them for an appropriate classroom.

Adult/Alternative Education is designed to meet the needs of the non-traditional student whose goal is to earn a high school diploma or equivalent.

4. The Cassopolis Ross Beatty High School 'Program of Study', which describes the course offerings and the State mandated curriculum, can be found on the school's website, or you may receive a copy in the school's guidance office.
5. Aggregate Student Achievement Results- Percent Proficiency

MSTEP	Science 2021-2022	Science 2022-2023	Social Studies 2021-2022	Social Studies 2022-2023
11 th Grade	25%	23.4%	21%	21.3%

SAT	ERW 2021-2022	ERW 2022-2023	Math 2021-2022	Math 2022-2023
11 th Grade	33%	31.9%	10%	17%

6. The percent of students represented by parents at Parent-Teacher Conferences:
2021-2022 School Year – 75%
2022-2023 School Year – 87%
7. Dual Enrollments and AP/IB Participation
 - a. THE NUMBER AND PERCENT OF POSTSECONDARY ENROLLMENTS (DUAL ENROLLMENT):
We had 46 out of 263 total students dual enroll- which is 17.5% of our high school enrollment.

- b. THE NUMBER OF COLLEGE EQUIVALENT COURSES OFFERED (AP/IB)
 - i. We did not offer any Advanced Placement courses in 2022-2023.
 - c. THE NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS ENROLLED IN COLLEGE EQUIVALENT COURSES (AP/IB)
 - i. We had 0 of our high school students participate in an AP course.
 - d. THE NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS RECEIVING A SCORE LEADING TO COLLEGE CREDIT
 - i. We had 0 students receive a score leading to college credit.
8. Our students at Cassopolis Ross Beatty will graduate confident, knowledgeable, and as responsible collaborators who are ready for whatever path they choose. Whether they go to college, start their own business, or enter the workforce directly after high school, our students will have a strong set of skills to help them along the way.

Sincerely,

Lindsay K. Gorham-Pflug

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