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OFS Mission
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Giving something extra puts students on top!
Mission Statement

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Program Overview

State Programs
Section 31a – At-Risk Pupils
Section 41 – Bilingual Program

Federal Programs
• **Title I, Part A**, Improving Basic Programs
• **Title I, Part C**, Education of Migratory Children
• **Title I, Part D**, Prevention & Intervention for Delinquent Children/Youth
• **Title II, Part A**, Teacher and Principal Training and Recruiting
• **Title II, Part D**, Enhancing Education Through Technology
• **Title III**, Language Acquisition Program (LAP) Sub Grant
• **Title V, Part A** Innovative Programs
• **Title VI, Part B**, Subpart 2 Rural and Low-Income School Program
• **Title X, Part C** McKinney-Vento Homeless Education Assistance Improvements Act of 2001
Role of Office of Field Services

- Technical Assistance
- Application Approval
- Compliance Monitoring
Number of Children in Poverty
1976 - 2010

IN MILLIONS

WHITE
4.8
3.8

BLACK
4.3
4.5
5.0

HISPANIC
1.4
3.9

PEW HISPANIC CENTER
HOW ARE MICHIGAN HISPANIC STUDENTS PERFORMING?

HTTPS://WWW.MISCHOOLDATA.ORG/

- STATEWIDE

- CESAR CHAVEZ, G.R.

- NORTH GODWIN ELEMENTARY
Successful Schools

- Demand that all students enroll in highly demanding courses
- Curriculum - aligned, communicated and monitored
- Instruction - well planned and effectively delivered
- Assessments – provide daily feedback and guiding instruction
Successful Schools

• Have excellent leaders
• Highly focused on teaching & learning
• Shared leadership for continuous improvement
• Establish a culture & climate for learning
• Manage resources effectively
• Select the best staff and support continuous development
• Define & recruit staff with the skills to accelerate student achievement
• Monitor effectiveness
• Create culture of shared learning and best practices
• Support everyone with professional development and teamwork
Successful Schools

• Engage parents & the community effectively
• Meaningfully collaborate
• Communicate by listening & providing information
• Focus on learning
• Remove barriers
• Use data to guide instruction
• Frequently review objective data on each student’s strengths & limits
• Periodically verify learning against objective external sources
• Change instruction based on analysis of data
• Develop & implement continuous improvement plans

Successful Schools
PARENTAL ENGAGEMENT
KNOWLEDGE IS POWER!

**Parent Engagement Toolkit**

- Stay or get involved at the local level
- Talk to your state and federal legislators
- Help us educate and recruit the support of parents
State and Federal Updates

**State-**
Common Core State Standards

**Federal-**
Reauthorization
Flexibility Waiver
Questions?

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