

# ANNUAL REPORT 2007/2008

## Ackerson Lake Community High school

**The mission of Ackerson Lake Community High School, in partnership with the community, is to provide students an opportunity to earn a high school diploma, develop personal responsibility within a safe, structured, businesslike education environment.**

**Ackerson Lake Community High School is located at 4126 W. Brooklyn Road, Jackson Michigan. Ackerson Lake Community High School is part of Napoleon Community schools. The school provides an alternative path to a high school diploma. Students range in age from 14 to 20 years of age. The grades included in the school are 9<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup>. The professional staff consists of three full time teachers, one half time resource room teacher, and one half time counselor and two co-administrators.**

### School Improvement

- During the 2007/2008 school year the team used common planning time to work on reading, writing and long range planning for the implementation of Michigan Merit Curriculum Statistic.

### Student Achievement

- 9th grade students completed the social studies MEAP.

#### MME 2008: ACKERSON LAKE COMMUNITY EDUCATION

	Math	Reading	Science	Social Studies	Writing	EL A
Level 1: Advanced	0	0	0	0	0	0
Level 2: Proficient	0	6	2	6		4
Level 3 Partially Proficient	2	4	3	5	7	5
Level 4 Not Proficient	12	4	9	3	6	5
Met or Exceeded	N/A	6	2	6		4
Not Met	14	8	12	8	13	10
Number Included	14	14	14	14	14	14
Number tested	14	14	14	14	14	14

Note: High school scores are number of students, not percentages.

• = Fewer than 10 students included.

N/A = Not Applicable.

### Education YES! Report/ 2007-2008

- AYP No
- One marker for successful AYP is that 95% of students eligible for testing must be made.
- Ackerson's statistic was 93%

### Education YES! Report/ 2006-2007

- AYP Yes
- All eligible students' testing was complete.

### Core Curriculum

- The professional teaching staff continues to meet the alignment requirements and Michigan Merit Curriculum.

### Parent/Guardian Teacher Conferences

- 10/08/07 48% parental attendance
- 01/28/08 33% parental attendance
- 04/24/08 23% parental attendance

It is well noted that as parent/teacher conferences are scheduled through the years, the percentage of parents attending declines.

### Specialized Schools

Several Ackerson students attend the Jackson Area Career Center for additional education. Also Napoleon Alternative and Community Education administers an after school high school credit recovery program, and a high school credit recovery summer school as well as a middle school summer school program. All of these programs are tuition based.

### Parent/Community Involvement

Ackerson Lake Community High School has developed an excellent relationship with the local Lions Club which provides eye exams and glasses for students. Also the CP Federal CU provides financial literacy education to our students.

### Staff Development

The Ackerson professional staff participates in district in service trainings as well as building common planning sessions.

### Points of Pride

- Career Cruising Software
- Cutting edge technology
- Twenty six 2008 graduates

### Highly Qualified Staff

All contracted professional staff is highly qualified