



Bradford Public School Academy

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- Bradford's enrollment increased from 240 to 1100 in four years of operation
- New \$13 million, high tech facility constructed in 2006 to support school mission
- Bradford Academy met the federal No Child Left Behind adequate yearly progress (AYP) for the 2nd year in a row!
- Improving MEAP scores in Math, Science, Social Studies, and English Language Arts
- Highly Qualified and 100% state certified teaching staff
- Average daily attendance of 93%
- Supportive and active PTO
- Bradford received US Department of Education National Charter School Grant
- Character Education and Life Skills completely integrated into every subject and based on Core Virtues.
- Bradford Clubhouse – high-quality after school program offering tutoring, enrichment, mentoring and recreation
- NASA Goldstone Apple Valley Radio Telescope Project participation
- Friends of Rouge Watershed Project sponsored by BASF
- Music classes feature Orff and Drum instruction as well Rhythm Instruments and Band Instruments.
- \$9,500 robotics grant awarded in 2006
- Michigan Healthy Schools grant awarded in 2006 to implement Coordinated School Health Program
- Bradford faculty developed cutting-edge instructional links between language arts and fine arts and presented findings at National Charter School conference
- Wayne State University, Center for Urban Studies conducts annual school evaluation of students, parents, and teachers
- 94% of parents surveyed would recommend Bradford Academy to other parents
- Apple Computers grant to provides 4th through 8th grade students with wireless laptop computers
- Professional Development supported by Wayne State University, College of Education
- Reading Across America program involved 75 dads and grandfathers reading with students
- Bradford Academy 7th grade student wins State Spelling Bee
- Fine Arts Night performances with Romine Group Schools
- Field Day for students
- "Lights On After-School" participation
- Communication Arts Curriculum implemented. Gerry Oglan, assistant dean, WSU College of Education wrote the curriculum and provides professional development for Bradford faculty
- Science Enrichment courses offered as encore class



- Urban Farming partnership provides service-learning program in nutrition and

gardening