



## Points of Pride Collection for Upcoming Michigan School Accountability Scorecards

To provide schools the opportunity to display **optional** information in the public Michigan School Accountability Scorecards, the Division of Accountability (DAS), and the Center for Educational Performance and Information (CEPI) have created a “Points of Pride” (PoP) optional data submission in the Educational Entity Master (EEM). Principals (or other school leaders) have the opportunity to submit optional “Points of Pride” about their schools that will be included in the school’s 2013-14 Accountability Scorecard. This is your opportunity to highlight information about your school that would not otherwise be represented on your school’s 2013-14 Accountability Scorecard.

Those who choose to participate should complete the “Points of Pride Optional Worksheet” attached and also available at [http://www.michigan.gov/documents/mde/PoP\\_Worksheet\\_417044\\_7.pdf](http://www.michigan.gov/documents/mde/PoP_Worksheet_417044_7.pdf). If you do choose to submit PoP, submit the completed worksheet to the authorized EEM user for your school with enough time for data entry into the EEM prior to the May 30 deadline. Your EEM authorized user will then input this information via EEM; the data will be displayed on the Accountability Scorecard link at [www.mischooldata.org](http://www.mischooldata.org) with the 2013-14 school year scorecards when they become available to the public in August. The worksheet linked above contains instructions for participation.

If you choose not to submit Points of Pride at this time, the PoP section of your school’s 2013-14 Accountability Scorecard will remain blank.

If you have questions about Points of Pride, please contact the Office of Evaluation, Strategic Research and Accountability at 877-560-8378 or email [MDE-Accountability@Michigan.gov](mailto:MDE-Accountability@Michigan.gov).

For support with the EEM application, please contact CEPI customer support at [CEPI@michigan.gov](mailto:CEPI@michigan.gov) or 517-335-0505.

## OPTIONAL Points of Pride Worksheet

The Points of Pride (PoP) feature in the Educational Entity Master (EEM) provides an opportunity for a principal (or other school leader) to include information to be displayed on its Michigan School Accountability Scorecard in the MISchoolData website at [www.mischooldata.org](http://www.mischooldata.org); the optional information provided here is not related to assessment, accountability scorecard, or accreditation requirements, but rather other areas where a school may be excelling, demonstrating excellence, or providing opportunities for students. This is information not collected elsewhere and is **purely optional** for schools to enter into the EEM.

Below are the **optional**, pre-defined Points of Pride that you may wish to indicate for display on your School Accountability Card. These PoPs were defined based on input from schools in the past. You may include as many or as few as you would like. Use this worksheet to mark any desired Point of Pride by placing a "✓" in the "Include?" column next to it. Then, indicate the answer choice that best fits your school in the third column. Your school's website, as listed in the EEM, will automatically be included on the School Report Card.

There is also an **option** for your school to include custom Points of Pride of its own that are not on the pre-defined list. Write these PoP in the space provided. Please include punctuation as the PoP entered here will appear on screen as a paragraph; hard returns are not recognized. PoP entered may be edited to meet MDE style conventions. If you would like to revise or refine the information already on MISchoolData, you will need to recomplete the form below.

After completion of this worksheet, **send it to your school or district's EEM Authorized User**. This individual will use the information you provide on this worksheet to enter your school's PoP selections into the EEM between **May 1 and May 31 at 11:59 p.m.**

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Point of Pride</b>	<b>Include?</b>	<b>Definition</b>	<b>Circle the answer(s) that best fits your school</b>
College preparatory courses		Indicate yes if the school offers college preparatory courses and/or curriculum that may include international baccalaureate, advanced placement, pre-AP, dual enrollment, etc.	YES
Annual school-wide reading program		Indicate yes if there is a defined reading program available for participation by all students.	YES

<b>Point of Pride</b>	<b>Include?</b>	<b>Definition</b>	<b>Circle the answer(s) that best fits your school</b>
Student mentorship program		Indicate yes if there is a student mentorship program to assist students. Program pairs a student with an adult or older or more experienced student for help with personal development, study habits, etc.	YES
Number of National Board for Professional Teaching Standards (NBPTS) certified teachers		Indicate the number of teachers with NBPTS certification.	1-5    6-10    11-15 16 or more
Number of community outreach programs/events		Indicate the number of programs designed to get students involved in the community to better themselves and the community itself.	1-5    6-10    11-15 16 or more
Percentage of parent participation in parent-teacher conferences and/or Parent Teacher Organization (PTO)		Indicate the average percentage of parents who attended parent-teacher conferences and PTO meetings and/or functions.	1-20%    21-40% 41-60%    61% or greater
Percentage of students on the Honor Roll		Indicate the average percentage of students on the Honor Roll, which is typically considered to be students with 3.0 average or better on a 4.0 scale.	1-20%    21-40% 41-60%    61% or greater
School or district-developed common assessments implemented		Indicate the subject areas where common assessments have been developed and implemented during the school year.	Reading            Writing Mathematics Social Studies/History Science Physical Education Technology Fine Arts            Other

Point of Pride	Include?	Definition	Circle the answer(s) that best fits your school
World languages offered		Indicate the world languages offered as courses of study and/or before- or after-school programs.	Spanish      Chinese Arabic        Latin Italian        French Hebrew        Japanese German        Ancient Greek American Sign Language      Other

**Additional Points of Pride**

Add your own Points of Pride if there is additional information you would like displayed on the School Accountability Scorecard Card website that was not captured in the pre-defined list. Write in the information in paragraph form with punctuation (hard returns and line breaks are not recognized by the system) EXACTLY as you would like it entered into the EEM by your designated school staff member. Be sure to check for correct spelling, grammar, and punctuation because these Points of Pride will be displayed as they are entered, and will be edited only to meet MDE style conventions. Note: There is a maximum of 400 characters in this field.