

## "Ace it!" Sylvan Learning: Dearborn, Lincoln Park, Livonia, N. Canton

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**Overall Rating: Not available**

*Too few surveys were returned to estimate an overall grade*

Overall Rating in 2008: Not available

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### Program Information:

#### Program Description as Provided by "Ace it!" Sylvan Learning: Dearborn, Lincoln Park, Livonia, N. Canton:

"Ace it!" is a program designed by Sylvan Learning, Inc. to serve No Child Left Behind students. It is delivered in convenient locations (schools and community centers). The Reading and Math programs are highly structured, systematic and allow the student excellent growth. Our teachers are highly trained and love teaching. We meet with parents regularly and conference with classroom teachers to achieve maximum student growth. Our instruction is a minimum of one hour. Our class size is a maximum of 8 students with every teacher. Average sessions are 2-6 per week.

*The program description was created by the provider and has not been edited by the Michigan Department of Education.*

<b>Number of Students Served in 2008-2009:</b> 19	<b>Subject Areas:</b> English, Mathematics
<b>Offers Transportation:</b> No	<b>Grades Served:</b> K-12
<b>English Language Learner:</b> No	<b>Estimated Hours of Tutoring Per Student:</b> 30
<b>Students With Disabilities:</b> Yes	<b>Number of Students to be Served:</b> 8 - 600
<b>Place(s) of Service:</b> Community Center, Some Schools as Selected by the District(s)	<b>Student-Teacher Ratios:</b>
	■ <b>Classroom:</b> 1 teacher per 5 students
	■ <b>Computer-based:</b> Not available
	■ <b>Online instruction:</b> Not available

### 2009-2010 Service Areas:

Numerous in Wayne County. Contact provider for details.

### Summary Consumer Satisfaction and Academic Achievement Information:

#### Consumer Satisfaction

Type of Rater	Number* of People Completing a Survey	Satisfaction Rating	This Provider's Rating	Statewide Average
Parents	2	Percent of parents who were satisfied with this tutor	50%	81%
	2	Average overall letter grade from parents	B-	B+
Teachers	1	Constructed letter grade from teachers for effects on classroom performance	E	C
	1	Percent of teachers who agreed this tutor positively impacted students' learning	0%	34%

\*For many tutors, the number of surveys completed is very low. Readers should consider the number of responses when drawing conclusions about any provider.

**Academic Achievement:** There are limited or no data available on the basis of which to assess this provider's impact on academic achievement.

### How the Statistics Were Calculated:

Consumer satisfaction data is from a mail survey of parents and an online survey of teachers concerning students receiving supplemental education services in the 2008-2009 school year.

- Parent satisfaction statistics are based on responses to the question, "Overall, are you satisfied with this tutor?" Parents could respond "yes," "no," or "not sure."
- Parent letter grades are based on averaged responses to the question, "What overall grade would you give your child's tutor?" with response options of "A - Excellent," "B - Good," "C - Average," "D - Poor," or "E - Failing."
- The teacher letter grade for effects on classroom performance is from responses to seven questions about students' classroom performance. An average across all items (excluding items with no response) was

calculated for each provider and the top 20% of scores were coded as "A," the next 20% were coded as "B," and so on through "E."

- The rating of teachers' perceptions of provider impact on student learning is based on responses to the agree-disagree question, "This tutor is positively impacting this student's learning." Responses of "agree" or "strongly agree" are considered.

The overall grade is a weighted average of the consumer satisfaction and academic achievement data. Additional information is available upon request from the Michigan Department of Education.