

## Sylvan Learning of Kalamazoo

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### Overall Rating 2010: Not available

*No students served in 2009-2010*

Overall Rating in 2009: B

Overall Rating in 2008: B+

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#### Program Information:

**Program Description as Provided by Sylvan Learning of Kalamazoo:** Sylvan Learning seeks to partner with area school districts in order to help students that have been identified by the State of Michigan to develop essential reading and mathematical skills. Sylvan Learning will assess the needs of each student through an assessment to determine specific academic strengths and weaknesses. Each participant will have an individual learning plan designed around the specific needs as identified through the assessment. This program will be taught in the traditional Sylvan method, with each students' progress based on skill mastery determined by scores earned through daily work. Instructional materials are provided for the student based on each individual lesson plan. At the completion of 36 hours, students participating in either Reading or Math programs will be given a final progress assessment to determine overall growth. Each session will range from 1-4 hours and 2-5 visits 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 2009-2010:</b> N/A <b>Offers Transportation:</b> No <b>English Language Learner:</b> No <b>Students With Disabilities:</b> Yes <b>Place(s) of Service:</b> Place of Business	<b>Subject Areas:</b> English, Mathematics <b>Grades Served:</b> K-12 <b>Estimated Hours of Tutoring Per Student:</b> 36 <b>Number of Students to be Served:</b> 3 - 50 <b>Student-Teacher Ratios:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Classroom:</b> 1 teacher per 3 students <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Computer-based:</b> Not available <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Online instruction:</b> Not available
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#### 2010-2011 Service Areas:

Numerous in Allegan, Kalamazoo, St. Joseph, and Van Buren counties. Contact provider for details.

#### Performance Information:

Although approved for 2009-2010, Sylvan Learning of Kalamazoo did not provide any services. Academic achievement data is available for the prior year.

#### Academic Achievement: Impact of Provider's Services on 2009 Michigan Educational Assessment Program (MEAP) Scores

Math			English Language Arts		
Grade Level	Number of Student Scores Considered	Performance Rating	Grade Level	Number of Student Scores Considered	Performance Rating
3	9	C	3	9	C
4	11	C	4	11	C
5	7	C	5	7	C
6	8	C	6	8	C
7	0	Not available	7	0	Not available

Key: "A" – substantially above average, "B" – above average, "C" – average, "D" – below average, "E" – substantially below average, "<10" – fewer than 10 students were served for this subject/grade and results are suppressed to protect the confidentiality of students' information.

The analysis of MEAP scores is based on students served in the 2008-2009 school year.

#### How the Statistics Were Calculated:

Impact on the MEAP score is based on a hierarchical linear regression analysis focused on MEAP scores in fall 2009 for students receiving SES in the prior school year. The scaled math and reading scores of SES participants were compared to a matched control group of students not receiving SES. These nonparticipating students were drawn from the same school buildings and grades as SES participants, and matched to SES recipients on the basis of their 2008 MEAP scores, economic disadvantage status, special education status, and limited English proficiency status. The analysis controlled for the effects of students' schools and the 2008 MEAP score.

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.