



Center for Educational Performance & Information

Number of School Districts and Schools

Number of ISD, LEA and PSA Districts as of September 26, 2007	
Type of School District	Number
Intermediate School District (ISD)	57
Local Education Agency (LEA)	552
Public School Academy (PSA)	229
Total Districts	838

Number of Educational Entities in ISDs, LEAs and PSAs By Grade or Setting as of September 26, 2007			
Educational Entity Type	ISD	LEA	PSA
Elementary School (Grades*)	1	1,772	55
Junior/Middle School (Grades*)	2	500	11
High School (Grades*)	6	601	44
Grade Combinations:			
Elementary through Junior/Middle School (Grades)	0	178	106
Elementary through High School (Grades)	11	53	46
Junior/Middle School through High School (Grades)	12	114	17
Instructional Ancillary Entities	178	366	0
Non-Instructional Ancillary Entities	7	184	0
Central Administration	57	552	229

*Elementary, Junior/Middle, and High Schools were identified by using the grades and settings reported by the district as being offered in the school. Typically, elementary grades ranged from kindergarten to six, Junior/Middle School grades from seven to eight and High School grades from nine to twelve. Settings serve a specific group of students with unique instructional needs.



Number of Facilities Identified by Districts as Ancillary

Ancillary* (Support) Facilities within ISDs, LEAs and PSAs as of September 26, 2007	
Educational Entity Type	Number
Intermediate School District (ISD)	195
Local Education Agency (LEA)	544
Public School Academy (PSA)	0
Total (Instructional and Non-instructional)	739

Types of Ancillary Facilities in ISDs, and LEAs as of September 26, 2007		
Instructional Ancillary Facility	ISD	LEA
Elementary, Middle, and High School Grades	20	46
Pre-Kindergarten Only	35	72
Alternative Education Only	5	77
Special Education Only	91	25
Adult Education Only	2	57
Career and Technical Education Only	29	16
State of Michigan Facility	2	1
Combinations of Above Programs	4	66
Non-Instructional Ancillary	7	184

*Districts have indicated that these entities are to be considered as ancillary facilities and that they are used to support the school district and the schools within the district. These ancillary facilities may have grades and/or educational settings for specialized instruction.



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Educational Entity Openings by School Year							
		School Year					
		02-03	03-04	04-05	05-06	06-07	07-08
ISD	Schools	2	0	0	1	0	1
	Instructional Ancillary	9	6	29	4	4	6
	Non-Instructional Ancillary	0	1	1	1	0	0
LEA	Schools	40	56	30	31	42	21
	Instructional Ancillary	18	16	27	29	17	7
	Non-Instructional Ancillary	8	8	16	32	6	33
PSA	Schools	17	20	27	21	10	5
	Instructional Ancillary	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Non-Instructional Ancillary	0	0	0	0	0	0

Educational Entity Closings by School Year							
		School Year					
		02-03	03-04	04-05	05-06	06-07	07-08
ISD	Schools	0	1	0	0	1	0
	Instructional Ancillary	16	1	1	3	0	0
	Non-Instructional Ancillary	0	0	0	0	0	0
LEA	Schools	107	42	80	66	80	2
	Instructional Ancillary	12	10	13	27	11	2
	Non-Instructional Ancillary	15	5	18	9	0	0
PSA	Schools	5	9	8	1	6	0
	Instructional Ancillary	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Non-Instructional Ancillary	0	0	0	0	0	0

General Definitions

Intermediate school districts, local education agencies, and public school academies are all educational entities established by Michigan public law. Their primary mission is the teaching and learning of academic and vocational-technical skills and knowledge.

Intermediate School Districts (ISDs) provide various administrative services and cooperative, coordinated educational services among many school districts in the name of economy and efficiency.

Local Education Agency (LEA) is a public school operating in accordance with statutes, regulations, and policies of the Michigan Department of Education. An LEA has a set geographical boundary and may include any grade configuration along with educational settings (e.g., alternative education, special education, career and technical education).

Public School Academy (PSA), also referred to as a **Charter School**, is a state-supported public school without geographical boundaries. A public school academy may include any grade up to grade 12, including kindergarten and early childhood education, or any configuration of those grades as specified in its contract.

Legal Definitions in the Revised School Code

ISD: MCL 380.4(4) "Intermediate school district" means a corporate body established under part 7. Part 7 can be found at:
[http://www.legislature.mi.gov/\(S\(zl4t4245btkh1ie3xaog2by5\)\)/documents/mcl/pdf/mcl-451-1976-1-7.pdf](http://www.legislature.mi.gov/(S(zl4t4245btkh1ie3xaog2by5))/documents/mcl/pdf/mcl-451-1976-1-7.pdf)

LEA: MCL 380.5(6)

(6) "Public school" means a public elementary or secondary educational entity or agency that is established under this act, has as its primary mission the teaching and learning of academic and vocational-technical skills and knowledge, and is operated by a school district, local act school district, special act school district, intermediate school district, public school academy corporation, strict discipline academy corporation, urban high school academy corporation, or by the department or state board. Public school also includes a laboratory school or other elementary or secondary school that is controlled and operated by a state public university described in section 4, 5, or 6 of article VIII of the state constitution of 1963.

MCL 380.6(1)

(1) "School district" or "local school district" means a general powers school district organized under this act, regardless of previous classification, or a school district of the first class.

PSA: MCL 380.5(7)

(7) "Public school academy" means a public school academy established under part 6a and, except as used in part 6a, also includes an urban high school academy established under part 6c and a strict discipline academy established under sections 1311b to 1311l.