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**MEMORANDUM**

TO: Local and Intermediate School District Superintendents and  
Public School Academy Directors

FROM: Sally Vaughn, Ph.D. *Sally*  
Deputy Superintendent/Chief Academic Officer

SUBJECT: Lemonade Day

Lemonade Day is June 8, 2013. This is a free, annual, community-wide, educational initiative designed to teach children how to start, own, and operate their own business. The program may have a lasting impact on our state's future by inspiring children to be the next generation of business owners and leaders and giving them hope for a brighter future.

School districts can participate in any of the following ways:

- offer Lemonade Day as an extracurricular program for students to participate in on a volunteer basis
- promote Lemonade Day to parent and student clubs/organizations
- share Lemonade Day information with all parents via newsletters or other communication channels to encourage students to participate on their own

For more information, please visit: <http://detroit.lemonadeday.org>. Schools interested in participating can contact Emily Paraskevin at [lemonadedaydetroit@gmail.com](mailto:lemonadedaydetroit@gmail.com) or (586) 219-4014.

cc: Michigan Education Alliance

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