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How to Access Your District's Data



QUIZ

- How many school districts are in Michigan?
 - A. 400 – 600
 - B. 600 – 800
 - C. 800 – 1000
 - D. 1000 +

Fun Fact: In 2015-16 there were 13,584 districts in the United States

*According to the National Center for Education Statistics

Who does OSRFA work for?

- All 800+ public school districts in Michigan
 - Best practices and support
 - Trend and data analysis
- School districts with **potential fiscal stress**
 - Identify schools trending toward deficit
 - Provide assistance to avoid incurring fiscal stress
- School districts with **fund balance deficits**
 - Develop and monitor deficit elimination plan
 - Partner with school district to resolve deficit
- School districts with **financial emergencies**
 - Develop and monitor long-term financial plan
 - Act to resolve financial emergency



Our goal: provide value to Michigan schools:

- Identify financial challenges
 - Trend analysis
 - Peer comparison
 - Early warning
- Connect schools to resources
 - Training and partnerships
 - Best practices
 - Technical support



OSRFA as a resource: data

- In your folders:
 - 1 page financial report for your district
 - Peer comparison tool sample
 - State Aid Status Report
- Please contact us with any data questions or requests!



What data does Treasury look at?

- Current Budgets
- Audited Financial Data
 - Revenue, Expenditure, Fund Balance
- Enrollment
 - School of Choice Data
- Staffing Data
- Peer Comparisons



Where do I find this data?

- Current Budgets
 - District Transparency Page
- Audited Financial Data
 - MDE Office of Audits
 - [LINK TO AUDIT SITE](#)
- All Raw Data Files
 - Including Finances, Enrollment, Staffing, Assessment
 - MI School Data
 - <https://www.mischooldata.org/>



Additional Useful Data

- MDE Bulletin 1014 – Statewide Comparison
 - [LINK TO BULLETIN 1014](#)
- Grant Auditor Report
 - [LINK TO GRANT AUDITOR REPORT](#)
- State Aid Status Report
 - [LINK TO STATE AID STATUS REPORTS](#)
- Treasury Data Tools



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