

# *Caroline Education Community International Public School Academy*

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*Welcome to Caroline Education Community International PSA!*

## **A MESSAGE FROM THE CHANCELLOR & DIRECTOR, BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

Dear Parents:

Since the reorganization of Caroline Education Community International PSA in 2004, we have been dedicated to providing excellence in educational experiences.

On behalf of the Education Services Administration Officials are committed to ensure the academic school year will continue in the tradition of academic excellence upon which we have been founded and shall continue to be successful.

The CECI PSA faculty is highly qualified and is dedicated to providing the best educational experience to our students.

The CECI PSA Parent-Student Handbook intends to inform you about our school's policies, standards and expectations. It is imperative that you review the content and acknowledge a full commitment to following the rules and regulations outlined in the handbook.

Again welcome to the academic school year. With our collaborative efforts, this year will continue a rich legacy and shall prove to be no less than outstanding for our students.

*Josie Kimball*

JOSIE KIMBALL, CHANCELLOR  
DIRECTOR, BOARD OF TRUSTEES; CECI PSA

## REFERENCES:

HYPERLINK: Caroline Education Community International PSA: MI State I.D. #: 788756

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## Our School's History

Caroline Education Community International PSA is a preparatory academy dedicated to educational excellence. Historically, its predecessor educational institution has provided elementary and secondary academic programs that severed the academic needs of citizens throughout the state of Michigan.

The legacy of CECI PSA's predecessor is routed in its founding in early 1909 - 1910, pursuant to Congressional Laws authorized to advance the Civil Rights of a population. Organized as a forward initiative of the Lutheran - Episcopalian Synod for the distinct purpose of serving the academic needs of underserved children traditionally denied access to educational opportunities. As well, serving children deemed academically underprepared and primarily unprepared.



CECI PSA is passionate about academic excellence, intellectual discovery, creative inquiry, and educational equity. CECI PSA presently distinguishes itself as an active center of innovation, creative work and civic involvement. The CECI PSA is dedicated to development of lifelong-learners. CECI PSA's academic focus embraces college preparatory curriculum that qualified faculty supports to promote intellectual and independent and creative thinking skills in our students.

~Emma Pearson 1896 ~

CECI PSA provides a safe, secure environment that promotes the physical, emotional, and cognitive development of each student through culturally and developmentally appropriate practices. Our commitment to individualized growth is reflected in our small class size, where learning takes place in an environment that fosters mutual respect and shared responsibility that complement core values and practices.

### Remediation and Retention

CECI PSA offers a more supportive educational setting for students encountering some difficulty in realizing their full academic potential. Endeavoring to overcome such challenges, CECI PSA has initiated a broad range of effective remedial programs for students that are offered to complement core educational programs for children served; Grades Pre-K - 8th; Enrichment; and as a compliment, "Dual High School" academic program offerings that serve youth; Grades 9th - 12th.

CECI PSA has established developmental centers, reading laboratories, and expanded tutorial, and counseling services to accommodate the special needs of educationally disadvantaged students. S.T.E.A.M is s primary component that complements core values of the curricula CECI PSA sponsors.



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A COLLEGIATE PREPARATORY ACADEMY

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("CECI PSA")



Consistent with its Mission, CECI PSA provides quality education academic programs pursuant to its authority sanctioned by the Civil Rights Act 1964, and the Higher Education Act 1965, Amended.

CECI PSA advocates the creation of community learning centers within geographical locations throughout the state of Michigan and characterized as "Promised Communities". CECI PSA's academic educational programs offered in the "Promised Communities" have been designed to benefit children deemed disadvantaged, low income, financial indigent, at-risk, and or categorized as underserved, unserved, academically underprepared, and academically unprepared.

Essentially, CECI PSA provides academic enrichment opportunities for students who attend high-poverty and low-performing schools during non-school hours for children. As well, during school hours to benefit youth; grades 9 - 12.

Benefactors on behalf of CECI PSA sponsors the establishment, and administration of these academic enriched learning centers throughout the state of Michigan are strategically located; Flint, Grand Rapids, Benton Harbor, Royal Oak Twp., Highland Park, Hamtramck, Detroit, Pontiac, Inkster, and all other communities wherein the School Districts have been dissolved since 2013-2014.. The CECI PSA educational components established are known as Public Computer Centers of Learning ("PCC's").

**S.T.E.A.M. Program**

S.T.E.A.M. Program; Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, Athletics, Sciences Program offerings are designed to help students of both genders meet state and local student standards in core academic subjects including reading and math, a broad array of enrichment activities that can complement their regular academic programs; and literacy and other educational and human services to the families of participating children.

**Career Pathways**

A Career Pathways pilot program advocates development and implementation of cross-systems Career Pathways Strategic Plan. This program supports CECI PSA's Strategic Plan, "Postsecondary Education"; Dual Enrichment Academics, Career and Technical Education, and Adult Education:

The program is designed to increase preparedness to enable access into college, quality, and completion by improving higher education and lifelong learning opportunities for youth and adults".

As well as, achievement of goals to "retrofit America for a global economy" In alliance with affiliated institutions, the academic program supports ongoing efforts to improve academic performance and prepare CECI PSA students for both college and professional careers in demand.

We aspire to challenge our students, through the support and guidance of their teachers and parents, to become self-directed thinkers who take greater responsibility for their own learning. The goal is to educate students to integrate partnerships with other academic disciplines by empowering them to use their minds more creatively.



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The academic focus of CECI PSA is a strong academic program emphasizing language arts, computation and mathematical reasoning. We provide a meticulous science and history/social studies program that is supported through technology. We have an enriched curriculum that the arts enhances, meets and exceeds the State Standards for learning.



Quality Academic and Enrichment Programs shall be implemented, and administered pursuant to the availability of equitable resources. CECI PSA Education Service Administration (ESA) is in progressive pursuit of accessing equitable resources for which it is qualified and entitled that include the following federal grant programs.

- ESEA: Title III, Title III, et al.
- Discretionary or project grants
- \* Formula or block grants
- \* Demonstration grants
- \* American Recovery Reinvestment Act

CECI PSA After school program provide homework assistance, instruction and enrichment activities for students registered in its educational program. A Snack and Supper | Dinner is served to children; 3:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. EST.



## Education Environment

- ❖ Students are challenged to meet high expectations
- ❖ Parents are required to be involved in their child's environment
- ❖ Teachers are credentialed consistent with regulatory requirements, and corporate education policies
- ❖ Community partners with staff and parents to create a safe and nurturing environment at the highest quality
- ❖ Everyone values self-worth, compassion, respect, service and responsibility

In accordance with Federal Law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights regulations and policies, this institution is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, and reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity. (Not all prohibited bases apply to all programs.)



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## **Professional Development**

CECI PSA will construct and implement an appropriate curriculum to promote youth development, behavior management, mentoring, developmental milestones, accreditation, parental and community involvement, and extending academic learning opportunities.

The CECI PSA staff will be constructively involved in planning, organizing, managing, and sustaining the program.

Effective professional development seminars will ensure leadership development, improving program outcomes, building relationships with community partners, effective communication, program evaluation, and data-collection procedures.

I. The Math & Science Institute operates as a competitive preparatory instrument to provide engaging fun-filled readiness exercises for students planning to engage in regional and national Mathematics & Science competitions.

II. Performing Arts will be offered for discipline and training in dance, constructive positive rap, singing, instrumental performance, poetry, and uniform stepping. Guest artists will periodically perform and tutor during select after school sessions.

III. Athletics will be offered in select sports including Hollywood Golf PGA Institute, basketball and soccer. This program will stress physical fitness, sportsmanship, team contribution, and Discipline, and compliments S.T.E.A.M..

IV. The Tutorial Services, with emphasis on reading and mathematics, will offer creative insights into problem solving, reading across the curriculum and math as a second language.

V. Math Olympics exemplifies S.T.E.A.M. as instructional modalities used to take competitive group mathematics to the next level. Exciting games like Steal the Integer, Multiplication Rap, Math Facts Relay, Giant Mystery Squares, and Two-Step Equation Scavenger Hunt will drive the students toward math excellence while providing them with physical exercise and great fun.

VI. MALE S.T.E.M. Program targeting young males ages to ensure “best in the class” disposition.

CECI PSA students, faculty, staff, and alumni proudly embrace the institutions commitment to social justice and community engagement. CECI PSA educational institution has contributed to the economic, cultural and civic fabric of the community served.

How to Apply



## *Contact Admissions & Apply*

Dedicated and qualified staff are available to assist you;  
Monday - Friday 7:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. EST  
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The CECI PSA goal is to create an educational environment that reflects diversity within the communities served.

Children registered, enrolled, and attending CECI PSA master critical life skills necessary for success in the 21st Century.

Self-motivation and competency encouraged, the CECI PSA provides a curriculum that complements goals of the educational communities served; literacy education, skills programs to enhance the learning of students, and enrichment program offerings.

As well, aggressive academic support for those student who have fallen behind in the traditional public school system, standards based on curriculums which are measurable and accountable.

CECI PSA does not discriminate on the basis of characteristics such as disability, gender identity, gender expression, nationality, race or ethnicity, religion, sexual orientation, or any other characteristics that are contained in the definition of hate crimes.

Our School is nonsectarian in its programs, admission policies, and all other operations, and will comply with no-base tuition requirements consistent with regulatory requirements that govern.

The cornerstone of CECI PSA as a school of “academic excellence” is empowerment of its students through innovative academic program offerings in collaboration with institutional partners, and parents involvement.

CECI PSA prepare students to succeed Kindergarten through high school, college, life’s journey, and unto perpetuity.



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