

Top 10 Ten Protocol

To realize Michigan becoming a Top 10 education state within the next 10 years, the existing structure and system of education must be challenged and reshaped. Michigan must establish an educational system that grants indelible rights for all stakeholders to succeed – a system focused more on what is best for children and their learning. This is a framework of the strategic goals necessary to move Michigan forward.

STRATEGIC GOALS

- 1 Provide every child access to an aligned, high-quality P-20 system from early childhood to post-secondary attainment – through a multi-stakeholder collaboration with business and industry, labor, and higher education—to maximize lifetime learning and success.
- 2 Implement, with strong district and building leadership, high-quality instruction in every classroom through a highly coherent, child-centered instructional model where students meet their self-determined academic and personal goals to their highest potential.
- 3 Develop, support, and sustain a high-quality, prepared, and collaborative education workforce.



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- 4 Reduce the impact of high-risk factors, including poverty, and provide equitable resources to meet the needs of all students to ensure that they have access to quality educational opportunities.
- 5 Ensure that parents/guardians are engaged and supported partners in their child's education.
- 6 Create a strong alignment and partnership with job providers, community colleges, and higher education to assure a prepared and quality future workforce, and informed and responsible citizens.
- 7 Further develop an innovative and cohesive state education agency that supports an aligned, coherent education system at all levels (state, ISD, district, and