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# Schools of Choice

Gratiot-Isabella 105/105c Schools of Choice Program – 2022-2023

## Overview of Participating Districts

All public school districts in Gratiot and Isabella counties provide a high quality education and a strong core academic curriculum for students. Students have opportunities for academic achievement as well as co-curricular learning options. Students can participate in clubs, athletics and enrichment programs. A brief description of location and size of each participating district is highlighted below.

### Alma Public Schools - Unlimited

**Stacey Criner, Supt. – 989-463-3111; Fax: 989-466-2943**

The Alma Public Schools are located in the north-western section of Gratiot County. Approximately 1,949 students are enrolled in Alma Schools. Three elementary schools, one middle school, and one high school are operated by the district.

### Ashley Community Schools - Unlimited

**Traci Gavenda, Supt. – 989-847-4000; Fax: 989-847-3500**

Ashley Community Schools are located in south-eastern Gratiot County. There are approximately 243 students represented in this district. One elementary school and one junior/senior high school are operated in Ashley.

### Beal City Public Schools – Limited *see website for available seats*

**William Chilman, Supt. - 989-644-3901; Fax: 989-644-5847**

<https://www.bealcitieschools.net>

The Beal City Public Schools are located in the northern section of Isabella County. The population represented here is approximately 662 students. One elementary school and one junior/senior high school are in operation.

### Breckenridge Community Schools - Unlimited

**Wade Slavik, Supt. - 989-842-3182; Fax: 989-842-5761**

Breckenridge Community Schools are located in the northeastern section of Gratiot County. Approximately 592 students are enrolled in this district. One elementary school, one middle school, and one high school are operated by this district.

### Fulton Schools - Unlimited

**Tom Torok, Supt. – 989-236-7300; Fax: 989-236-7660**

The Fulton Schools are located in the southern part of Gratiot County. There are approximately 583 students currently enrolled. One elementary, one middle school, and one high school are operated in this district.

### Ithaca Public Schools - Unlimited

**Steven Netzley, Supt. - 989-875-3700; Fax: 989-875-4538**

Ithaca Public Schools are located in the central part of Gratiot County. Approximately 1,037 students are enrolled. Two elementary schools and one junior/senior high school are operated in this district.

### Mt. Pleasant Public Schools – Limited *see website for available seats*

**Jennifer Verleger, Supt. – 989-775-2301; Fax: 989-775-2309**

<https://www.mtpleasantschools.net>

Mt. Pleasant Public Schools are located in central Isabella County. There are approximately 3,503 students represented in this district. Five elementary schools, one intermediate school, and two high schools are in operation.

### St. Louis Public Schools - Unlimited

**Jennifer McKittrick, Supt. - 989-681-2545; Fax: 989-681-5894**

St. Louis Public Schools are located in northern Gratiot County. Approximately 965 students are enrolled in the schools. Two elementary schools, one middle, and one high school are operated by St. Louis.

### Shepherd Public Schools – Limited *see website for available seats*

**Terry Starr, Supt. – 989-828-5520; Fax: 989-828-5679**

<https://www.shepherdschools.net>

The Shepherd Public Schools are located in southern Isabella County. There are approximately 1,734 students represented in this district. Two elementary, one middle, and two high schools are operated by this district.

## All Applications Must Be Submitted to:

Schools of Choice – Gratiot-Isabella RESD

1131 East Center Street • PO Box 310 • Ithaca, MI 48847-0310

### Unlimited Application Deadline Dates

- Alma Public Schools
- Ashley Community Schools
- Breckenridge Community Schools\*\*
- Fulton Schools
- Ithaca Public Schools\*\*
- St. Louis Public Schools\*\*

### Early Application Deadline - August 5, 2022

Notification of acceptance will be mailed on August 12, 2022 for applications received at GI-RESD by 4:00 p.m. on August 5, 2022.

### Final Application Deadline – August 26, 2022 / Sept. 1, 2022\*\*

Notification of acceptance will be mailed on August 29, 2022 / Sept. 6, 2022\*\* for applications received at GI-RESD by 4:00 p.m. on August 26, 2022 / Sept. 1, 2022\*\*

**Applications WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED after 4:00 p.m. on August 26, 2022 / Sept. 1, 2022\*\***

### Limited Application & Deadline Dates

**Beal City Public Schools, Mt. Pleasant Public Schools, Shepherd Public Schools**

Building and grade level openings posted on each limited district school websites.

### Application Window is – May 9, 2022 thru June 9, 2022

Notification of acceptance will be mailed by June 23, 2022 for applications received at GI-RESD by 4:00 p.m. on June 9, 2022.

### Second Window for any unfilled seats – Aug. 15 thru 26, 2022

Notification of acceptance will be mailed on August 29, 2022 for applications received at GI-RESD by 4:00 p.m. on August 26, 2022.

**Applications WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED after 4:00 p.m. on August 26, 2022**

**Receive Application or Additional Information:** Contact the Gratiot-Isabella RESD at 989-875-5101, ext. 2337.