Microsoft Imagine Academy in Michigan – The Definition of Success

What is Microsoft Imagine Academy

- Career Ready, Industry recognized Computer Software Skills and Certification Program
- Computer Science Certificated Program aligned to CSAP exam
- Computational Thinking Skills development using Minecraft
- Provides Curriculum, Support and project management assistance
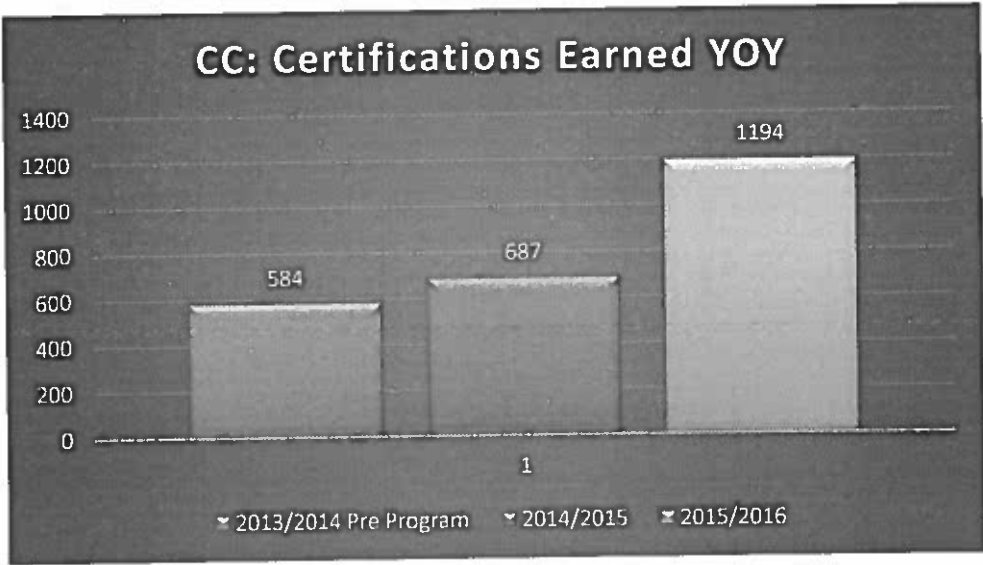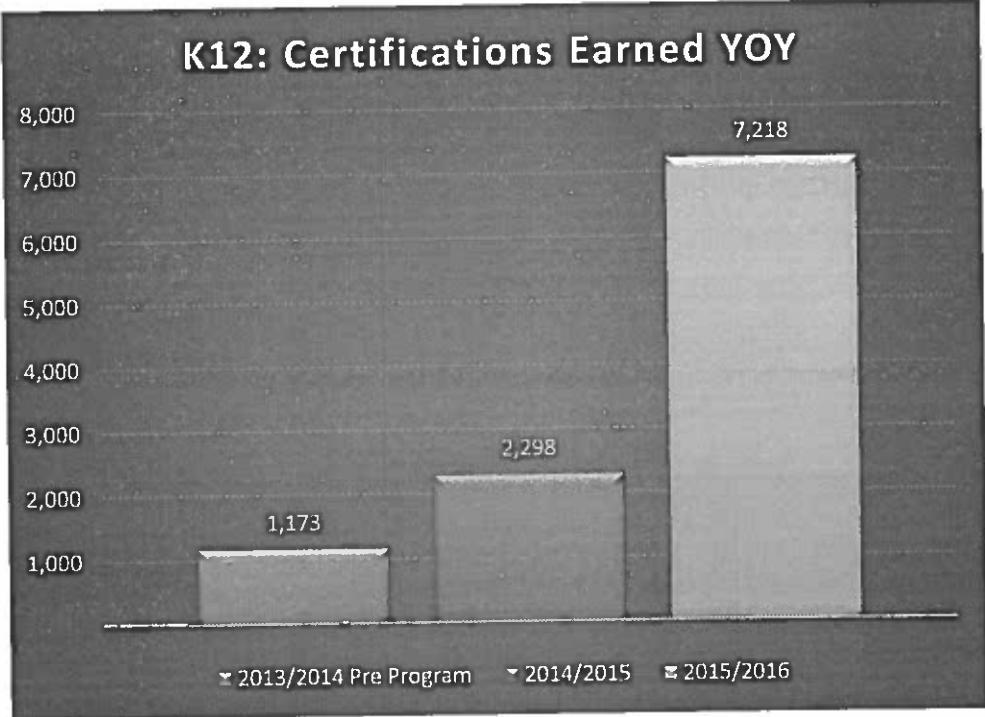- Turnkey solution for Schools and States to drive student outcomes and economic development

Microsoft Imagine Academy performance – What Success Looks like in Education

Michigan Data	2014*	2015	2016	Year over Year Growth	Growth since 2014
Certifications Earned	1173	2298	7218	214%	515%
Schools Participating	73	200	218	9%	199%

Goals of the Program as Defined by MDE

Schools Testing — Goal 60%, Actaul 64%

Certifications Earned — Goal 6400, Actual 7218

Master Certifications — Goal 25, Actual 69

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Successful Results by any measure

K12: Certifications Earned YOY

Year	Certifications
2013/2014 Pre Program	1,173
2014/2015	2,298
2015/2016	7,218

CC: Certifications Earned YOY

Year	Certifications
2013/2014 Pre Program	584
2014/2015	687
2015/2016	1194

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Key Data Points:

- Program is showing phenomenal success – needs to continue
- Including Computer Science Skills that aligns to the CSAP exam and code.org program at no additional cost
- Including Minecraft for early grade level Computer Science Skills
- Including Middle Schools to participate
- Public Private Partnership on Training Teachers on classroom delivery of Computer Science

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