



*Cultivation, Personalization, Innovation -
Every Student Every Day!*

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

Wayne County Public Schools is excited to announce that high school students will utilize the Achieve Literacy and Achieve Math platforms to support individual literacy and math growth this year. The purpose of this letter is to briefly introduce you to the platforms and describe the benefits of using Achieve Literacy and Achieve Math.

Achieve Literacy

Achieve Literacy assesses a student's reading level by identifying a Lexile score. Families are encouraged to view the LevelSet tutorial ([English](#) Tutorial or [Spanish](#) Tutorial) in order to know what to expect when the Achieve Literacy LevelSet assessment is administered and how the scores will be used. After knowing the student's "just-right" reading level, the system sends each student articles at that level. Every article was written on 12 levels in English and 8 in Spanish; this differentiation allows each student to read texts across content areas and participate in class discussion. As students work at their Lexile level, they are asked multiple choice questions to monitor their reading comprehension. If students are understanding the current level article they are receiving, they will be eligible for a Lexile increase the following month. Over time, a student will receive articles that become increasingly more complex and accelerate their reading growth.

Achieve Literacy will be used during your child's English course as well as other classes. Students will be expected to complete a minimum of 14 articles during each quarter with a first- try multiple choice score of 75% or higher.

Achieve Math

Achieve Math assesses a student's math level by identifying his/her Quantile score. After knowing the "just-right" math level, a student is put on a personalized learning path and receives problem sets that target his current math ability, whether that is below, at or above grade level. Additionally, after the teacher teaches a grade-level concept, students can practice problem sets on those concepts. Over time, regular use of Achieve Math can close skill gaps, stretch students who are ready for more advanced work, and give all students practice on the concepts they are learning in class. Achieve Math will be used weekly to give students practice related to content taught by the teacher and content that targets individualized needs.

School and District Expectations

Hyperlink: [Achieve3000 Student Expectations](#)

Hyperlink: [Achieve3000 Grades](#)