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Major Supporters (Providing Significant In-Kind and Matching Fund Support):

- Allegan Area ESA
- Berrien Regional ESA
- Calhoun ISD
- Lewis-Cass ISD
- Kalamazoo RESA
- Kent ISD
- Mecosta-Osceola ISD
- Muskegon Area ISD
- Ottawa Area ISD
- St. Joseph ISD
- Van Buren ISD
- Western Michigan University:
 - College of Education and Human Development
 - Department of Educational Leadership, Research, and Technology
 - Graduate College
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Moccasin Elementary B		
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Participating Intermediate and Local School Districts - Cohort A & B

Allegan Area ESA

- Allegan Public Schools
- Fennville Public Schools
- Wayland Union Schools

Barry ISD

- Delton Kellogg Schools

Berrien RESA

- Benton Harbor Charter Academy
- Benton Harbor Area Schools
- Berrien Springs Public Schools

- Brandywine Community Schools
- Buchanan Community Schools
- Hagar Township S/D #6
- Eau Claire Public Schools
- Niles Community Schools
- Sodus Township School District #5

Calhoun ISD

- Battle Creek Public Schools
- Bellevue Community Schools
- Harper Creek Community Schools
- Homer Community Schools
- Lakeview Public Schools
- Marshall Public Schools
- Pennfield Schools
- Union City Community Schools

Ionia County ISD

- Belding Area School District
- Ionia Public Schools

Kalamazoo RESA

- Climax-Scotts Community Schools
- Comstock Public Schools
- Galesburg-Augusta Community Schools
- Kalamazoo Public Schools
- Parchment School District
- Vicksburg Community Schools

Kent ISD

- Comstock Park Public Schools
- Godfrey-Lee Public Schools
- Grand Rapids Public Schools
- Kent City Community Schools
- Lowell Area Schools
- Grandville Public Schools
- Northview Public Schools
- Wyoming Public Schools

Lewis-Cass ISD

- Dowagiac Union Schools
- Marcellus Community Schools

Mecosta-Osceola ISD

- Big Rapids Public Schools
- Crossroads Charter Academy

Montcalm Area ISD

- Greenville Public Schools
- Montabella Community Schools
- Tri County Area Schools

Muskegon Area ISD

- Fruitport Community Schools

- Holton Public Schools
- Mona Shores Public Schools
- Montague Area Public Schools
- Muskegon Heights Public Schools
- Muskegon Public Schools
- Oakridge Public Schools
- Orchard View Schools
- Reeths-Puffer Schools

Newago County RESA

- Fremont Public School District
- Grant Public Schools
- Hesperia Community Schools
- Newago Public Schools
- White Cloud Public Schools

Ottawa Area ISD

- Coopersville Area Public School District
- Grand Haven Area Public Schools
- Holland City School District
- West Ottawa Public School District

St. Joseph ISD

- Burr Oak Community Schools
- Centreville Public Schools
- Colon Community Schools
- Constantine Public Schools
- Sturgis Public Schools
- Three Rivers Community Schools
- White Pigeon Community Schools

Van Buren ISD

- Bangor Public Schools
- Bloomingdale Public School District
- Covert Public Schools
- Hartford Public Schools
- Lawrence Public Schools
- Lawton Community Schools

West Shore ESD

- Hart Public Schools
- Ludington Area Schools
- Mason County Central Schools
- Mason County Eastern Schools
- Shelby Public Schools
- Walkerville Public Schools