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THE GROSSE POINTE ACADEMY  
2015-2016 ANNUAL REPORT





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**T**he 2016-17 school year was a great one and I am grateful for all of the support and advocacy that I received from the entire GPA community throughout my first year as the Academy's Head of School. I enjoyed getting to know the students and witnessing their many successes both in and out of the classroom. They were wonderfully engaging and seemed genuinely happy to learn daily. I also appreciated having the opportunity to learn about the school's history, our academic and extracurricular programs, classroom instruction, and how we assess student performance.

With a focus on determining ways to strengthen the educational experience for our students, the faculty and I spent a great deal of time identifying the core skill-set that a GPA student should possess by the time they graduate. Due to the fact that we are educating our students during their most formative years, we believe that it is our responsibility to concentrate our efforts on providing them with a comprehensive liberal arts education with a focus on math and English, the skills necessary to adapt to and compete in an ever-changing world, the capacity to be intellectually curious, and the ability to exhibit the highest moral character. It is our promise that the educational foundation that the students receive here at The Grosse Pointe Academy will enhance the quality of their lives and inspire a lifelong love of learning.

We are truly grateful for and appreciative of your generous contributions to GPA. Your support will help us to continue to enhance the quality of the learning that takes place both in and out of the classroom here at the Academy.

Thank you!

Tommy Adams  
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FROM THE  
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