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To Whom It May Concern:

This letter serves to confirm that all of Highland Park High School's students are required to successfully complete a full year of Fine or Performing Arts prior to graduation. We have full Orchestra, Band, and Choir programs and we offered 18 visual art course sections with 9 each semester during the 2014 – 15 and 2015 – 16 school years. These included Ceramics, Sculpture, Drawing, Painting, Printmaking, Public Art, and Digital Photography. Our State Report Card Narrative for the 2014-15 school year did not include data on our enrollments in music and visual arts as it has done in previous years, so please accept the data from our 2013-14 school report card narrative as indicative of our program which continues to flourish in our school of 500 students currently enrolled. It was reported in 2013-14 that 59.5% of our student body was enrolled in a Music or Visual Arts course which was more than 10% higher than the state average.

If you need any more information, please contact me at the email above.

Sincerely,
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Cc: Mrs. Irene Marx, Sustainability Coordinator