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Dysart schools receive new state profile grades

DYSART SCHOOLS — The Arizona Department of Education has released its new state rating system, A-F Accountability Profiles, for all public schools throughout the state for 2011. Dysart schools, and district, received the letter grades as a part of the state of Arizona's new measure to grade schools throughout the state.

In the inaugural year of A-F Accountability Profiles, six Dysart schools received a state grade of "A", 11 Dysart schools received a state grade of "B" and seven schools received a state grade of "C". Additionally, the state has also provided school districts with a grade. The Dysart School District received a grade of "B" from the Arizona Department of Education.

In addition to the new A-F Accountability Profiles, the state department has also released AZ Learns Legacy Labels for all schools. The old legacy system is being phased out and will be completely replaced by the A-F profiles beginning in 2013. Through the old AZ Learns system, five Dysart schools are labeled as Excelling, four Dysart schools as Highly Performing, 12 Dysart schools as Performing Plus and three Dysart schools as Performing.

Dysart schools continue to demonstrate positive and continued growth in student achievement. To view individual school profiles and legacy labels, please visit www.dysart.org/profiles.