



Public Charter SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Recent Accomplishments

In the past thirty days, we have accomplished the following on your behalf:

- We hosted a New School Leader 101 in our office on August 2nd. This was a great training where we welcomed school leaders new to our portfolio and provided them with an overview of the charter sector in SC as well as allowed each attendee to have three personal 1:1 appointments with district staff to meet their most pressing needs.
- On August 30, we hosted leaders from the four recently approved charter schools, including Jubilee Charter, Fort Mill Academy, Palmetto Excel Center, and Horry Acceleration Academy for the first session of the Charter Academy.
- Our Kick-Off for Federal Programs and Finance was hosted in our office on August 31st. This was a great day of growth and networking for our school-level coordinators. We're all set for a compliant, productive year!
- The Federal claim closeout process has been completed within record time! Check your remaining balances on the Google drive link which was emailed to school leaders.

Our Current Work

Our current work priorities are:

- We have been reviewing and analyzing assessment results that will be publicly available on September 6, 2022.
- As we kick-off the 22-23 school year, schools are busy preparing for ADEPT SCTS 4.0 educator evaluations for the year. School-level ADEPT Coordinators and Leaders are actively preparing for each educator to receive a proper evaluation this school year with built-in layers of support via coaching and growth opportunities. District staff are here to support you!
- We are processing federal claims weekly for the current fiscal year. Please continue to upload submissions in Epicenter for timely reimbursements.

A Look Ahead

Highlights of upcoming events/happenings in the next thirty days:

- You're Invited! Our 2nd Annual Kids First Conference will take place September 27th and 28th at the Columbia Convention Center. Please join us



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for two days of (free!) charter networking and rich professional development. We look forward to seeing you there! [Register](#)

- Annual report cards with ratings are slated to be released in October 2022. The SCPCSD will inform schools when we learn of the specific date.
- Annual school audits are due in Epicenter October 15, 2022.
- SC Educator staff lists are being sent to schools for review with a return deadline of September 20, 2022. Schools will need to ensure their staff list is accurate and add job duties for non-teaching position codes.