



Public Charter SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Recent Accomplishments

In the past thirty days, we have accomplished:

- The Charter Act allows schools to staff up to 25% non-certified staff members. Quarter 1 certified staffing percentages and rosters were shared with school leaders. We continue to monitor certified staffing percentages quarterly through the 135th day. Feel free to reach out to Emalee Baker for support.
- Eight district staff members, including 2 who presented, traveled to Minnesota recently to attend NACSACon 2022. This was a great four days of growth and networking with charter authorizers from across the country!
- We hosted the New Charter Schools Academy (for Year 0 Schools) on Oct. 18th and the Core Team (to review charter accountability) on October 19, 2022.
- Report cards were issued on Oct. 17th; the District was actively engaged and advocating to the Department to review and correct inaccurate data; revised Report Cards were issued on Oct. 27th.

Our Current Work

Our current work priorities are:

- Letters of Intent (LOIs) for new schools are being submitted by November 1st; we will hold our Pre-Applicant Training on Nov. 15th for.
- Please join us for the Leaders' Summit on November 17th. School leaders are welcome to register to attend via this link: <https://sccharter.org/event/2022-leadership-summit/>
- Our Consolidated Monitoring Site Visit is scheduled for November 1st. SCDE staff will join us at the office and at school sites to review compliance in the following federal programs: Title I, Title II, Title III, and Title IV.

A Look Ahead

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

- Our office will be closed the following dates in November. Please make note.
 - November 8th: Election Day
 - November 11th: Veterans Day
 - November 24th and 25th: Thanksgiving Holiday



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- National School Choice Week 2023 is January 22-28, 2023. My SC Education is excited to be going back to Columbia on January 25, 2023, for our Statehouse rally. Please take a look at [this short video](https://youtu.be/2hZeTwLhk10) (<https://youtu.be/2hZeTwLhk10>) and, if you are ready to join the fun, follow the link for more information and to register your group: <https://forms.gle/N8tb5uBCT4zqvTGc8>