

Charter & Contract School Renewals

January 2020



Renewal Process Overview

The Board is being asked to vote on renewal recommendations for existing charter and contract operators with contracts that expire June 30, 2020.

Process Overview

School Renewal Process:

- Annual process to evaluate school contractual performance based on expiration of school agreements.
- Public hearing held on January 9th, 2020.

Outcomes

- More than five-year renewal with conditions
- Full five-year renewal with conditions
- Shorter-term renewal with conditions



School Renewal Process

2019-2020 Renewal Cohort

9 traditional charter operators with 10 campuses, 2 options charter operators with 21 campuses, one contract school, and one options contract school, have agreement terms ending June 30, 2020:

School/Campus	2019 Level Rating	2018 Level Rating	2 Yr Avg	3 Yr Avg	SY20 Grades	SY20 Enrollment	Community	Proposed Term and Conditions
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Replicating Charter Schools

North Lawndale College Prep	Level 2+	Level 2+	3.0	3.0	9-12		North Lawndale	3 Years w/Conditions
NLCP - Collins								
	Level 2	Level 2+	3.0	2.9	9-12			
NLCP - Christiana								

Single Site Charter Schools

Academy for Global Citizenship	Level 2+	Level 1	3.4	3.7	K-8	467	Brighton Park	6 Years w/ Conditions
Catalyst – Circle Rock	Level 2+	Level 2+	2.9	3	K-8	521	Austin	5 Years w/ Conditions
Erie Elementary	Level 1	Level 2	3.3	3.2	K-8	419	West Town	5 Years w/ Conditions
Legacy Charter School	Level 1	Level 2+	3.4	3.4	K-8	469	North Lawndale	4 Years w/ Conditions
Moving Everest Charter School	Level 2+	Level 2+	3.2	N/A	K-5	532	Austin	5 Years w/ Conditions
Rowe Elementary Charter School	Level 2+	Level 1+	3.4	3.3	K-8	1046	West Town	5 Years w/Conditions
Providence Englewood Charter School	Level 2+	Level 2	2.9	3.0	K-8	444	Englewood	5 Years w/Conditions
Urban Prep - Bronzeville	Level 1	Level 2	3.2	3.1	9-12	301	Bronzeville	3 Years w/Conditions

Contract Schools

Plato Learning Academy	Level 2+	Level 2	2.9	2.6	K-8	228	Austin	3 Years w/ Conditions
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Replicating Options Charter Schools									
Youth Connection Charter Schools	20 Campuses			3.7	3.7				5 Years w/ Conditions
	Academy of Scholastic Achievement	Level 1+	Level 1+	4.1	3.8	9-12	168	Austin	
	ASPIRA, Antonia Pantoja Alternative	Level 2+	Level 1	3.5	3.5	9-12	186	Avondale	
	Association House	Level 1+	Level 1+	4.0	3.9	9-12	155	Humboldt Park	
	Austin Career Education Center	Level 1+	Level 1	4.0	4.0	9-12	83	Austin	
	CCA Academy	Level 1	Level 1	3.6	3.7	9-12	145	North Lawndale	
	Chatham Academy	Level 1	Level 1	3.7	3.6	9-12	190	Chatham	
	Community Youth Development Institute	Level 1	Level 1	3.5	3.7	9-12	130	Auburn Gresham	
	Dr. Pedro Albizu Campos Puerto Rican HS	Level 1	Level 2+	3.4	3.4	9-12	203	West Town	
	Innovations HS of Arts Integration	Level 2+	Level 2+	3.2	3.2	9-12	428	Loop	
	Jane Addams Alternative	Level 1+	Level 1+	4.8	4.7	9-12	217	Lower West Side	
	Latino Youth Alternative	Level 1	Level 1	3.8	3.3	9-12	201	South Lawndale	
	McKinley Lakeside Leadership	Level 1	Level 2+	3.5	3.6	9-12	170	Douglas	
	Olive Harvey Middle College Progressive Leadership Academy	Level 1+	Level 1	4.0	3.9	9-12	186	South Shore	
Sullivan House Alternative	Level 1+	Level 1+	4.4	4.2	9-12	300	Avalon Park		
Truman Middle College	Level 1	Level 1+	4.0	3.8	9-12	209	Uptown		

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	Virtual HS (voluntarily suspended)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	West Town Academy Alternative	Level 1	Level 2+	3.7	3.6	9-12	159	Humboldt Park	5 Years w/ Conditions
	West Academy	Level 2+	Level 1	3.6	3.4	9-12	168	Austin	
	Youth Connection Leadership Academy	Level 1	Level 2+	3.4	3.3	9-12	169	Douglas	
Single-Site Options Charter School									
Instituto Justice and Leadership Academy		Level 2+	Level 1	3.6	3.6	9-12	97	Lower West Side	3 Years w/ Conditions
Options Contract School									
Chicago Excel Academy		Level 2+	Level 1	3.4	3.3	9-12	302	Roseland	3 Years w/ Conditions

