

## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

### School Improvement Plans for Charter Schools

<b>School Name</b>	Kidz Choice Charter School (5409)
<b>Implementation Year</b>	2007-2008
<b>Grades Approved to Serve</b>	K-5
<b>Grades Currently Serving</b>	K-5
<b>Current Enrollment</b>	189
<b>Target Population</b>	Neighborhoods surrounding the school
<b>Curriculum Focus</b>	Traditional
<b>School Grade 2016-2017</b>	F
<b>School Grade 2015-2016</b>	No Grade
<b>School Grade 2014-2015</b>	B
<b>District</b>	2
<b>Residence of Governing Board Members</b>	Governing board members Kidz Choice Charter School, Inc. reside in Broward County, Florida

<b>School Name</b>	Panacea Prep Charter School (5801)
<b>Implementation Year</b>	2014-2015
<b>Grades Approved to Serve</b>	K-5
<b>Grades Currently Serving</b>	K-5
<b>Current Enrollment</b>	141
<b>Target Population</b>	Neighborhoods surrounding the school
<b>Curriculum Focus</b>	Traditional
<b>School Grade 2016-2017</b>	D
<b>School Grade 2015-2016</b>	B
<b>School Grade 2014-2015</b>	B
<b>District</b>	4
<b>Residence of Governing Board Members</b>	Governing board members of Panacea Prep. Charter School, Inc. reside in Broward County, Florida

<b>School Name</b>	Somerset Academy Key High School (5224)
<b>Implementation Year</b>	2016-2017
<b>Grades Approved to Serve</b>	9-12
<b>Grades Currently Serving</b>	9-12
<b>Current Enrollment</b>	383
<b>Target Population</b>	Neighborhoods surrounding the school
<b>Curriculum Focus</b>	Traditional
<b>School Grade 2016-2017</b>	D
<b>School Grade 2015-2016</b>	N/A
<b>School Grade 2014-2015</b>	N/A
<b>District</b>	7
<b>Residence of Governing Board Members</b>	Governing board members of Somerset Academy, Inc. reside in Miami-Dade and Palm Beach Counties, Florida

<b>School Name</b>	Renaissance Charter School at Plantation (5023)
<b>Implementation Year</b>	2011-2012
<b>Grades Approved to Serve</b>	K-8
<b>Grades Currently Serving</b>	K-8
<b>Current Enrollment</b>	820
<b>Target Population</b>	Neighborhoods surrounding the school
<b>Curriculum Focus</b>	Traditional
<b>School Grade 2016-2017</b>	D
<b>School Grade 2015-2016</b>	D
<b>School Grade 2014-2015</b>	C
<b>District</b>	5
<b>Residence of Governing Board Members</b>	Governing board members of Renaissance Charter School, Inc reside in Broward, Miami-Dade and Lee Counties, Florida

<b>School Name</b>	West Broward Charter School (5052)
<b>Implementation Year</b>	2013-2014
<b>Grades Approved to Serve</b>	K-8
<b>Grades Currently Serving</b>	K-8
<b>Current Enrollment</b>	529
<b>Target Population</b>	Neighborhoods surrounding the school
<b>Curriculum Focus</b>	Traditional
<b>School Grade 2015-2016</b>	D
<b>School Grade 2015-2014</b>	No grade
<b>School Grade 2014-2013</b>	No grade
<b>District</b>	7
<b>Residence of Governing Board Members</b>	Governing board members Advantage Academy of Broward, Inc. reside in Broward County, Florida

Section 6A-1.099827(1)(a), Florida Administrative Code, states as follows, “[a] charter school that receives a school grade of “D” or “F” pursuant to Section 1008.34(2), Florida Statutes, must develop and submit a school improvement plan to its sponsor.” The five charter schools identified above are required to submit a School Improvement Plan (“SIP”) to The School Board of Broward County, Florida (“the Sponsor”) as they received a grade of “D” or “F” for the 2016 – 2017 School Year.

Section 1002.33(9)(n)1, Florida Statutes, states that “[t]he director and a representative of the governing board shall submit to the sponsor for approval a school improvement plan to raise student performance... The department shall offer technical assistance and training to the charter school and its governing board and establish guidelines for developing, submitting, and approving such plans.”

The District’s Charter SIP Review Committee (“the Committee”) is comprised of representatives from the following departments: Bilingual/ESOL, Charter Schools Management/Support, Exceptional Student Education and Support Services, Head Start/Early Intervention/Elementary Learning, Literacy, Secondary Learning, Service Quality, Student Assessment and Research, and Title I. The Committee established guidelines for developing, submitting, and approving the SIPs.

Due to the impact of Hurricane Irma the original timeline for the SIP process had to be revised. The Committee offered a charter school SIP Training on September 26, 2017 to these charter schools and provided technical assistance and support throughout the process of developing the SIPs.

On October 13, 2017 the Committee conducted a SIP Technical Assistance meeting with the charter schools to discuss the initial drafts of the schools' SIPs and to provide feedback. Charter schools were represented by appropriate administration and governing board members at these review meetings. Each charter school team received individual recommendations to strengthen their school's SIP and were asked to submit a final SIP by October 23, 2017. To further assist charter schools, additional technical assistance opportunities were offered on November 7, 2017 and December 14, 2017.

Subsequent to the SIP review meetings, committee members continued to provide support and assistance to the schools while developing their revised SIPs. The Committee has reviewed the revised SIPs submitted by these charter schools and has determined that these five SIPs satisfy all requirements specified in State Board Rule 6A-1.099827, Florida Administrative Code.

Pursuant to Section 6A-1.099827(5), Florida Administrative Code, the Sponsor shall approve or deny the charter school SIP and notify the charter school in writing within ten (10) calendar days of its decision. The sponsor shall deny a SIP if it does not comply with the nine (9) components outlined in Section 6A-1.099827(4), Florida Administrative Code.

Each of these charter schools and their governing boards have received an official notification to appear before the Sponsor at this Regular School Board Meeting to present its School Improvement Plan. The District's Charter SIP Review Committee has reviewed the attached SIPs and has determined that the plans satisfy all requirements specified in State Board Rule 6A-1.099827, Florida Administrative Code. As such, the Superintendent of Schools recommends that The School Board of Broward County, Florida approve the SIPs submitted by these charter schools.