EXHIBIT A FIRST AMENDMENT TO CHARTER SCHOOL AGREEMENT

Learning Gains:

Academic Improvement Expected:

The percentage of enrolled students for both the October and February FTE will show reading or Math gains on the FCAT (or approved substitute test) annually until the goal is obtained.

Evaluation of Success:

Individual student learning gains will be determined by comparing each student's prior year test score to the current year test score using the three different methods in the School Improvement Rating Technical Assistance Paper.

Goal/Results to be Attained:

The School will receive a rating of "Maintaining" or "Improving" for learning gains as determined by the School Improvement Rating method.

FCAT/Testing Participation:

Academic Improvement Expected:

The percentage of enrolled students for both the October and February FTE counts taking the FCAT (or approved substitute test) will increase annually until the goal is obtained.

Evaluation of Success:

The students enrolled for both the October and February FTE counts will be identified. The percentage of these students taking the FCAT will be measured.

Goal/Results to be Attained:

The School will meet state expectations on testing for School Improvement Rating accountability requirements.

Individual Success Plan (ISP) Progress:

Academic Improvement Expected:

The percentage of goals achieved on each student's ISP will increase each year until the goal is obtained.

Evaluation of Success:

The percentage of goals listed on graduating students' Individual Success Plans (ISP) will be calculated.

Goal/Results to be Attained:

Eighty percent (80%) of the students enrolled in the School will achieve eighty percent (80%) of the goals on their Individual Success Plan (ISP) prior to graduation.

Success Rate:

Academic Improvement Expected:

The graduation rate will increase a minimum of two percent (2%) annually until the goal is obtained.

Evaluation of Success:

Twenty percent (20%) of the Average Daily Enrollment (ADE) will be calculated and compared to the number of students graduating in the current school year.

Goal/Results to be Attained:

The School will annually graduate 20% of its Average Daily Enrollment (ADE). The graduation rate will increase a minimum of 2% annually until the goal is obtained.

Post-Secondary Transition:

Academic Improvement Expected:

The percentage of graduating seniors transitioning into a positive postsecondary option will increase each year until the goal is obtained.

Evaluation of Success:

Graduating seniors will be monitored to determine their post-secondary educational and employment status.

Goal/Results to be Attained:

Ninety five percent (95%) of the School's graduating seniors will: (a) enter a four (4) or two (2) year college; (b) enter a trade or technical school; (c) enter the military; or (d) enter the workforce.