

Findlay City Schools
Change of Sponsor Application
Scoring Rubric/Protocols

Name of Applicant: _____ Reviewer Name: _____

Scoring Rubric

Each item in the application in the Education, Business, Organization/Governance and Academic areas are worth a maximum of 3 points; therefore, the Education section is worth a total of 63 points, the Business section is worth a total of 39 points, Organization/Governance section is worth a total of 27 points, and the Academic area is worth 27 points. An applicant must score Meets Standards in all four areas and/or have a composite score of 117 points (75% of the points) to be considered for approved for sponsorship by Findlay City Schools. The interview with the current sponsor and the applicant will be factored into the approval process.

Rating Characteristics

Meets Standards

The response reflects a thorough understanding of key issues. It addresses the topic with specific and accurate information that shows thorough preparation, presents a clear, realistic picture of how the school expects to operate; and inspires confidence in the applicant's capacity to carry out the plan effectively.

Approaching Standards

The response meets the criteria in many respects, but lack detail and/or requires additional information in one or more areas.

Partially Meets the Standards

The response meets the criteria in some respects but has substantial gaps in a number of areas.

Does Not Meet the Standard

The response is wholly undeveloped or significantly incomplete; demonstrates lack of preparation; or otherwise raises substantial concerns about the viability of the plan or the applicant's ability to carry it out.

Item Number	Meets Standards – 3 points	Approaching Standards – 2 points	Partially Meets Standards – 1 point	Does Not Meet Standards – 0 points
Education Component – 63 Possible Points				
Background & Community Need				
1				
2				
3				
Student Population				
1				
2				
3				

4				
5				
Education Plan				
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				
7				
8				
Assessment & Accountability				
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
Total Points for this section				
Business Component – 39 Possible Points				
Financial Information				
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				
7				
8				
Facilities				
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
Total Points for this section				
Organizational/Governance Component – 27 Possible Points				
School Development Team & Governance				
1				
2				
3				

4				
5				
6				
7				
8				
9				
Total Points for this section				

ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE
21 POSSIBLE POINTS

Circle the areas that match the data provided:

Note: Exceeds the Standard = 3 points; Meets the Standard = 2 points; Does Not Meet Standard = 1 point; Falls Far Below the Standard = 0 points

Primary Academic Indicators	Exceeds the Standard	Meets the Standard	Does Not Meet the Standard	Falls Far Below the Standard
Performance Index (PI) ¹	90% or higher	80%–89%	70%–79%	69% and below
Value Added ²	+4.00 and above	0 to 3.9	–0.99 to –3.9	–4.0 and below
Graduation Rate (4 years)	93%–100%	84%–92%	79%–83%	Below 79%
Graduation Rate (5 years)	95%–100%	85%–94%	80%–84%	80% and below
K–3 Literacy Improvement	B or better	C	D	F
Performance versus Local Market: ³ PI	Ranked in top 20th percentile in PI score	Ranked in 70th–79th percentile in PI score	Ranked in 50th–69th percentile in PI score	Ranked in bottom 49th percentile in PI score
Performance versus Local Market: VA	Ranked in top 20th percentile in VAM score	Ranked in 70th–79th percentile in VAM score	Ranked in 50th–69th percentile in VAM score	Ranked in bottom 49th percentile in VAM score
Performance versus Statewide Charters: PI	Ranked in top 20th percentile in PI score	Ranked in 70th–79th percentile in PI score	Ranked in 50th–69th percentile in PI score	Ranked in bottom 49th percentile in PI score
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Rating	Education Points	Business Points	Organization/Governance Points	Academic
Meets Standards	63-43	39-29	27-17	27-15
Approaching Standards	42-21	28-18	16-8	16-8
Partially Meets Standards	20-15	17-8	7-4	7-4
Does Not Meet Standards	14 or less	8 or less	3 or less	3 or less

Composite Score/Rating for each Section:

Education:

Business:

Governance:

Academic:

Composite points:

Additional Comments:

Notes from Interview of Applicant:

Notes from Interview of Prior Sponsor:

Final Decision: _____ **Will Sponsor** _____ **Will Not Sponsor**