



## THE NORTH CAROLINA CHARTER SCHOOLS SELF-STUDY

*Submit this signed document via fax or email. All other sections of the Self-Study should only be submitted electronically.*

### I. COVER PAGE

School Name:

Mailing Address:

Primary Contact Person:

Title:

Phone #:

Fax #:

E-mail Address:

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Information for the Board Chairperson:

Name:

Term of Office:

Mailing Address:

Phone #:

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E-mail Address:

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## **II. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

*This summary should begin with the school's mission as stated in the initial charter application (or a revised mission statement that has been formally approved by the State Board of Education). The remainder of the summary should be specific and succinct in describing how the school is successfully fulfilling the mission. (Limit 2 pages).*

## **III. GOALS AND OBJECTIVES**

*Provide a copy of your school's goals for the next five years. This should include at least one academic, one financial and one operational goal. These should be written as SMART goals. If your school has a strategic plan you may attach it.*

## **IV. THE EDUCATION PROGRAM**

### **A. Curriculum**

- a. Name or describe the curriculum design your school presently uses.
- b. Is this the design submitted in the original charter application?  Yes  No

### **B. Instructional Methodology and Techniques**

- a. Summarize the instructional methodology or techniques (i.e. Direct Instruction, Hands-on, Experiential, Expeditionary Learning, etc.)
- b. Is this the design submitted in the original application?  Yes  No

### **C. Accountability**

- a. Does the school use other evaluation instruments, other than State tests, to assess student performance (i.e. Iowa testing)?  Yes  No If yes, describe those assessments.
- b. How is students' data used to improve student learning and to raise the academic performance of all students?