

Academic Programmatic Review: New Remote Process for School Renewals

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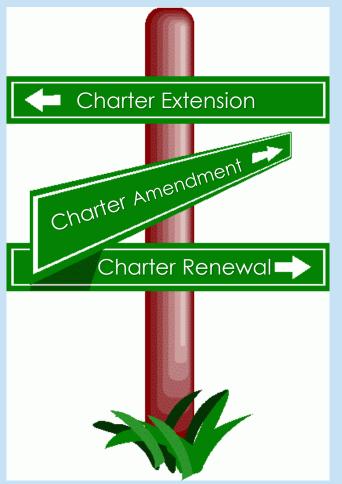
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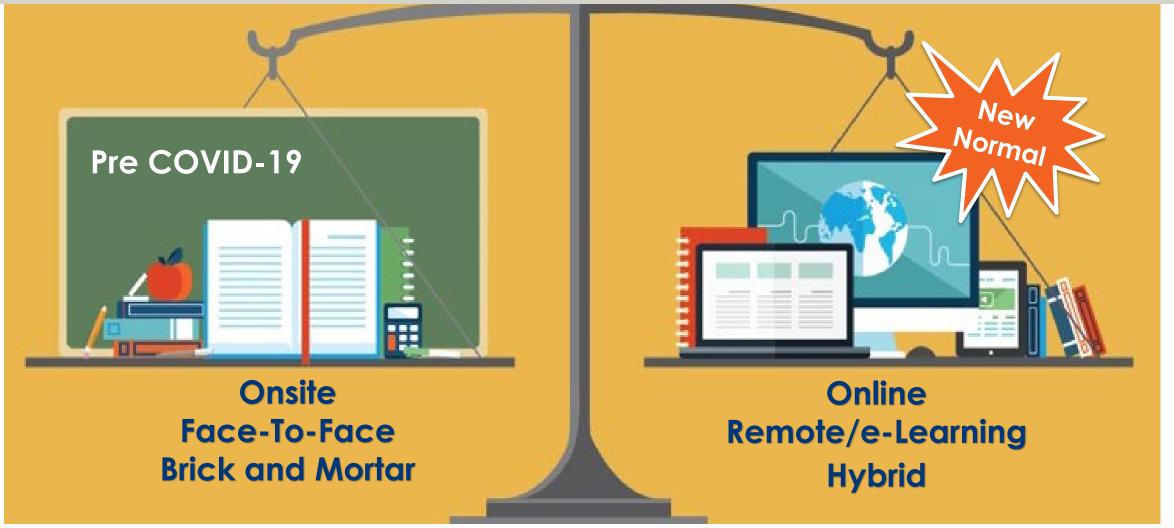
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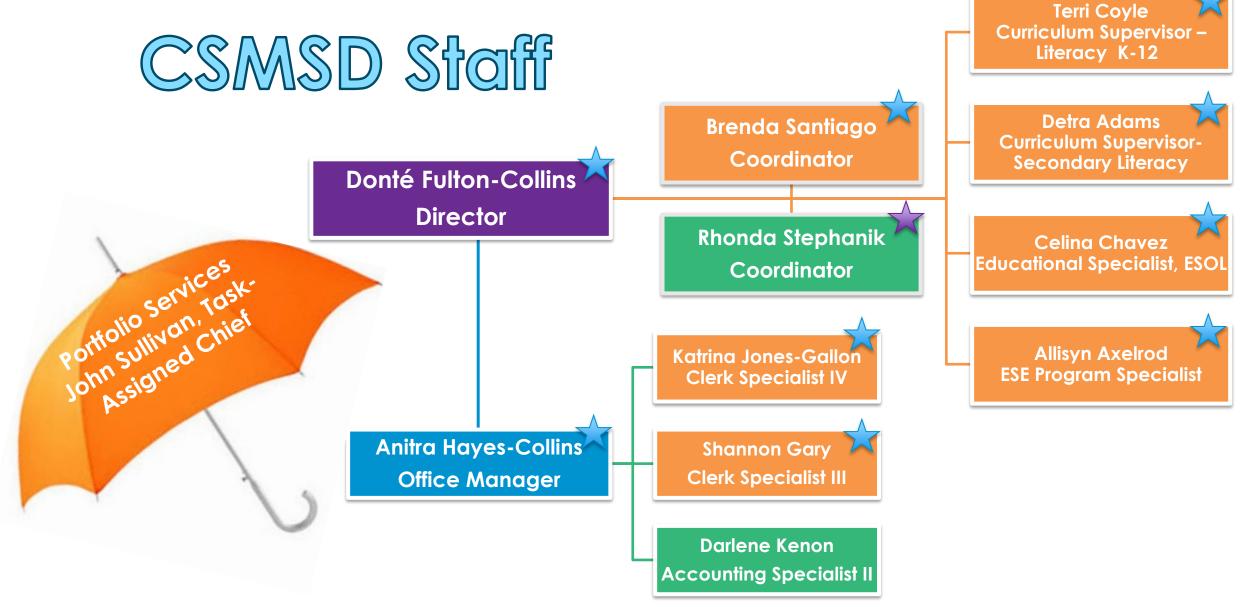
- Sponsor's Duties & Obligations
 - Section 1002.33(7), Florida Statutes, states that "the terms and conditions for the operation of a charter school shall be set forth by the sponsor and the applicant in a written contractual agreement, called a charter."
 - Section 1002.33(7)(c)1, Florida Statutes, states that "a charter may be renewed provided that a program review demonstrates that the criteria in paragraph (a) have been successfully accomplished and that none of the grounds for nonrenewal... has been documented."
- 10 charter school agreements expiring on June 30, 2021
- COVID-19 Pandemic
- Florida's Optional Innovative Reopening Plan New Process
 - New Response An Academic Programmatic Review Remote Visit will be conducted through an online process inclusive of videoconference meetings, online/web-based review of compliance documents and artifacts, and access to remote/e-classrooms.



Academic Programmatic Review

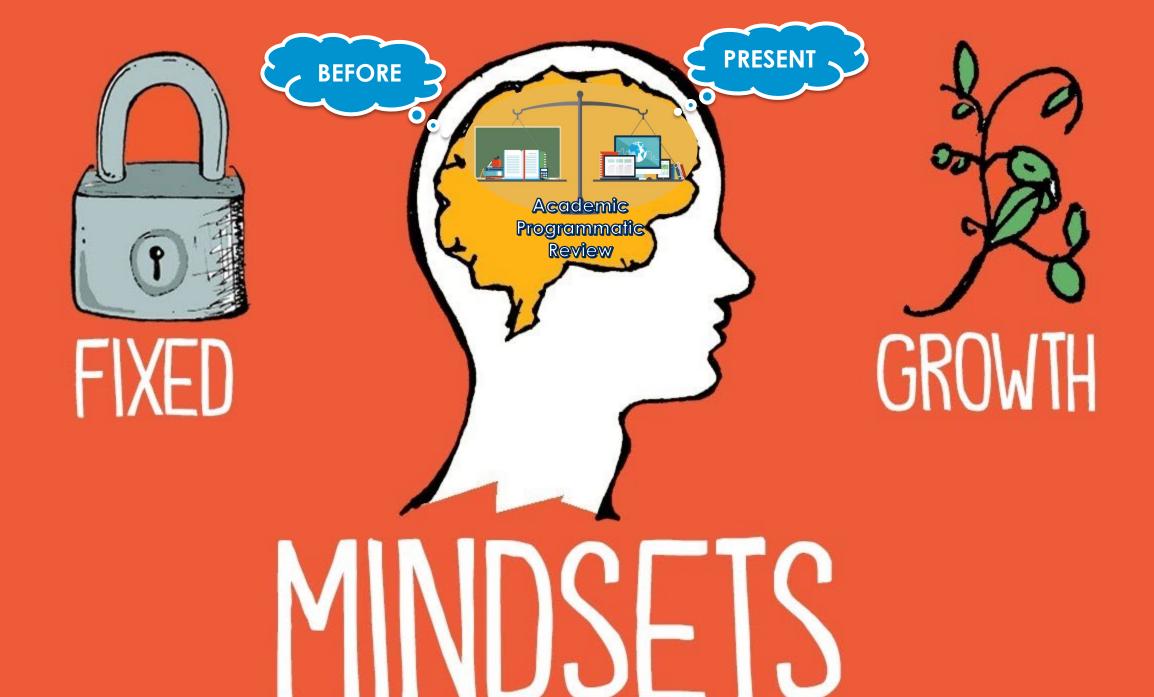












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Shifts needed with the established process

Before the Remote Visit

During the Remote Visit

After the Remote Visit



We use Microsoft Teams as our Main Online Communication Platform



What We Had

The School Board of Broward County, Florida

Charter School Academic Programmatic Review 2020-21 - Remote/e-Learning Version

Charter Schools Management/Support Department

Location #:

Charter School Leadership Team		
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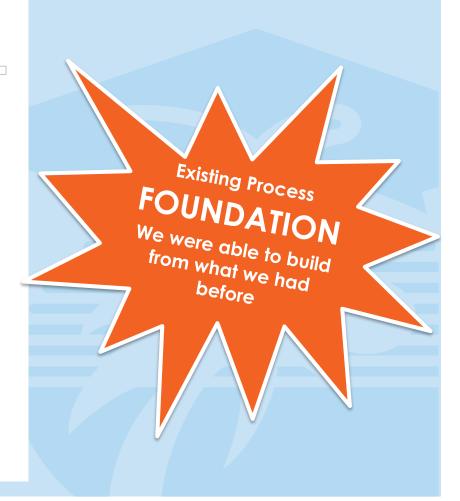
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Site Visit Date:





Redefine: School Visit Facilitator's Role





Academic Programmatic Review (APR) - Remote Process 2020-2021

School Visit Facilitator Action Steps

Before APR Visit

- ☐ Download school specific reports from Data Warehouse and TERMS (if applicable)
- ☐ Update Readiness Checklist and Pre-Meeting Agenda with school specific information
- ☐ Update Visit Timeline with appropriate dates for all meetings/processes
- Send Pre-Meeting Agenda and Readiness Checklist via email, include links to Pre-Visit Survey, OneDrive Folder, and Microsoft Teams Meeting
- Conduct a review of One-Drive folders to ensure alignment to Readiness Checklist
- ☐ Update OneDrive contact/communication document for Academic Team
- ☐ Facilitate Microsoft Teams Pre-Meeting with Academic Team and charter school Leadership Team
- Review Pre-Visit Survey in preparation for Teams Kick-Off Meeting and Remote Academic Programmatic Review
- ☐ Update Kick-Off Meeting agenda with school specific information
- Send email reminder for Microsoft Teams Kick-Off Meeting and attach PDF copy of agenda. Include Microsoft Teams meeting link.
- □ Facilitate Teams Kick-Off Meeting with Academics Team and school Leadership Team (designate School Visit Liaison as presenter)
- ☐ Timely respond to all emails/calls pertaining to the APR Remote Visit.

During APR Visit

- Maintain communication with School Visit Liaison
- ☐ Review OneDrive to ensure all school folders are being updated with artifacts
- ☐ Participate in Teams calls with Academic Team members and school representatives (if needed)
- Support charter school with uploading and organizing files for easy access of information (for our team)
- ☐ Support Academic Team members with access to remote classrooms and digital platforms (troubleshoot with school liaison, as needed)
- ☐ Timely respond to all emails/calls pertaining to the APR Remote visit
- ☐ Update APR Remote tool as needed throughout the visit (on SharePoint)
- Complete Exit Checklist and PDF document to share with charter school at the conclusion of the visit (Upload to SharePoint at the conclusion of the visit)

Closing of APR Visit

- ☐ Touch-base with Academic Team members to ensure they have completed their portion of the visit
- ☐ Check Remote APR tool to ensure all appropriate sections have been completed and/or greyed out
- Send closure email to charter school with PDF attachments of Exit Checklist, Folder-List, Retained Student List, and Meeting Attendance Reports



Informational Session





Academic Programmatic Review Remote Process Informational Session via Teams Meeting

Wednesday, September 23, 2020

10:30 AM to 12:00 NOON

- A Teams meeting invitation will be sent to the school's District-issued email address (cs-5123@browardschools.com). Please use this email to join the meeting, as well.
- Principal/School Leader, please share the Teams meeting link in the invite with appropriate members of your school leadership team.

Fore more information, please contact Brenda Santiago, Coordinator, via email at brenda.santiago@browardschools.com



Academic Programmatic Review Remote Process

Informational Session via Teams September 23, 2020





Before the Remote Visit: Notification Letter



Notification Letter

- Letter includes:
- Readiness Checklist
- Name & Contact Information of School Visit Facilitator
- Process Timeline
- Links to:
- Online Platforms Survey
- OneDrive folder
- Administrative Assistant calls school to confirm receipt



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Name, Governing Board Chair Street Address City, State, Zip Code

Dear Governing Board Member Name

CHARTER SCHOOLS MANAGEMENT/SUPPORT DONTÉ FULTON-COLLINS, DIRECTOR

RE: Academic Programmatic Review Remote/Online Visit Process

Section 1002.33(5)(b)1a, Florida Statutes, states, "the sponsor shall monitor and review the charter school in its progress toward the goals established in the charter."

Pursuant to Section 1002.33(7)(a), Florida Statutes, the charter shall ensure that Reading is the primary focus of the curriculum, and that resources are provided to identify and provide specialized instruction for students who are reading below grade level. The curriculum and instructional strategies for reading must be consistent with current Florida Standards and grounded in scientifically based reading research.

The implementation of Exceptional Student Education (ESE) program requirements is defined in the school's charter agreement, as well as in Section 1002.33, Florida Statutes; The Florida Department of Education's mandatory implementation of the Individuals with Disabilities Act (IDEA); Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1993; Sections 1000.5 and 1003.57, Florida Statutes: Chapter 98-186, Laws of Florida: and Chapter 6A-8 of the Florida Administrative Code and The School Board of Broward County, Florida's Special Programs and Procedures for ceptional Students. The afgrementioned laws and procedures outline specific requirements for the implementation of programs for students with disabilities.

The implementation of the English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) program requirements is defined in the charter agreement and is required by the Florida Department of Education's (FLDOE) mandatory implementation of the Multicultural Education and Training Advocacy (META) Consent Decree found in Section 1003.56. Florida Statutes, English Language instruction for English Language Learners; and Rules 6A-6.0900 to 6A-6.0909, Florida Administrative Code, Programs for English Language Learners. In addition, Broward's English Language Learner's Plan, approved by the FLDOE, outlines specific district requirements for the implementation of ESOL programs in Broward County.

The Charter Schools Management/Support Department will be conducting an Academic Programmatic Review (APR) of your school pursuant to Section 1002.33(5)(b)1a. Florida Statutes. Furthermore, due to the implementation of the Florida's Optional Innovative Reopening Plan, the APR process for the 2020-2021 school year will be completed remotely through an online process starting on Monday, October 12, 2020 and concluding on Friday, October 16,

To prepare for this new innovative remote process, the following resources are available:

- APR Remote Process Informational Session Presentation (attached)
- 2. APR Remote Readiness Checklist (attached)
- Copy of the APR Remote Report Opt-in Template (attached)
- Link to OneDrive Folder to upload review compliance documents not accessible via an online platform a school-specific OneDrive link was sent to the District-issued email for the Principal to share with appropriate staff
 5. Pre-Visit Meeting via Teams on Friday, October 9, 2020 at 11:00 AM to go over the Readiness Checklist and to answer any questions the staff may have
- 6. Kick-Off Meeting via Teams on Monday, October 12, 2020 at 2:00 PM to initiate the remote review process
- 7. APR Remote Exit Email Using the District-issued email, we will notify the School when the remote visit, as part of the APR process, has concluded

School Visit Facilitator for your school. She will be the main contact person and will work closely with the school to facilitate the logistics of the remote process. She may be contacted via email s@browardschools.com. Subsequent to the visit, the School will receive a Programmatic Review Report Letter with a copy of the finalized report and next steps.

If you have any questions regarding the Academic Programmatic Review Remote/Online Visit Process, please contact Brenda Santiago, Coordinator, via email or Teams at browardschools.com. You may also call at 754-321-2135.

Professionally,

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John J. Sullivan, Task Assigned, Chief Portfolio Services Officer Ms. Brenda Santiago, Coordinator, Charter Schools Management/Support Ms. Rhonda Stephanik, Coordinator, Charter Schools Management/Support Governing Board Members

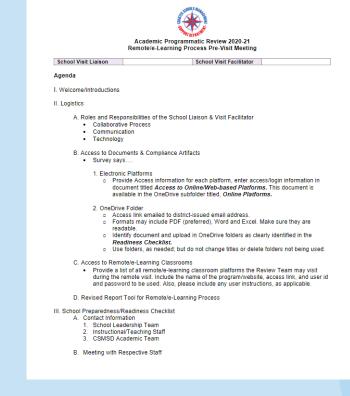


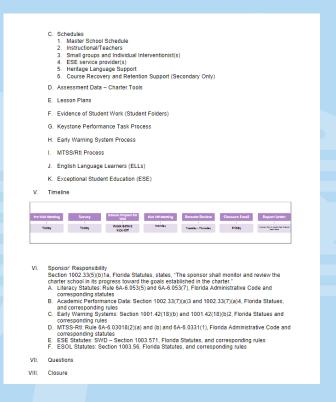
Before the Remote Visit: Pre-Visit Meeting



Pre-Visit Meeting via Microsoft Teams (1 Hour)

- Review Remote Visit/Online Platforms Survey results before, if available
- Confirm School Visit Liaison
- Discuss logistics and timeline
- Access to online platforms & eclassrooms
- Explain the OneDrive folder
- Answer Questions

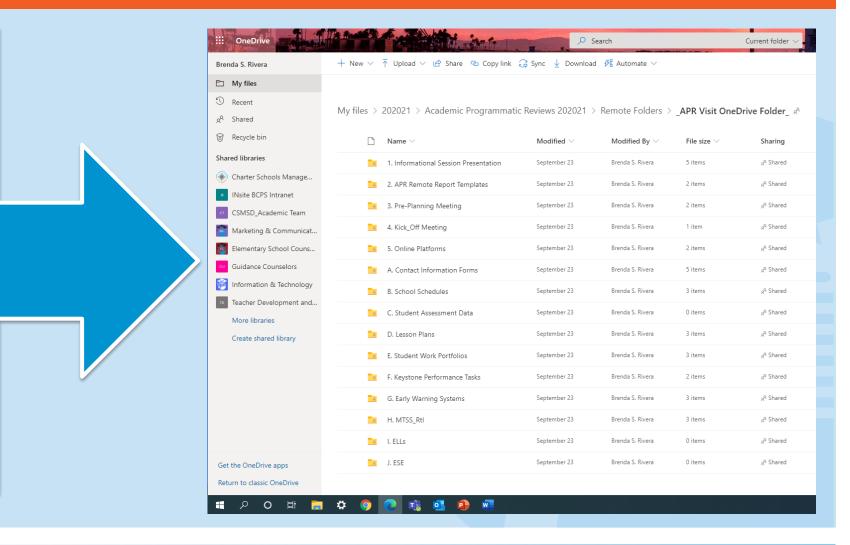






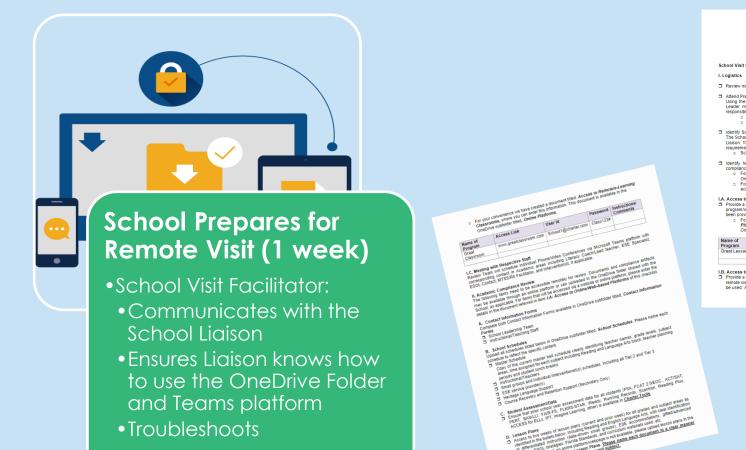
School-Specific OneDrive Folder

- Link to school-specific
 OneDrive folder is sent to
 Principal
- Principal is required to share link with pertinent staff, including School Visit Liaison
- School Visit Liaison uploads documents





Before the Remote Visit: School Prepares





Nation Pre-visit Finalizing and NoR-Oil Meetings.

Using the District-issued email, a Teams invite will be sent to the School. The Principal/School

Leader must use the School's Outlook email address to access these meetings. She/He is sponsible for sharing meeting information and link with appropriate staff.

laison. Together with our Visit Facilitator (CSMSD), they will work to address logistic and access

- Identify how members of the Review Team will have remote access to required documents, compliance artifacts, evidence of student work and other items identified in the Readiness Checklist. or For documents that are not accessible via online platforms, the School will use the provided
- For obcuments use active and the confidence of the School will give the Review Team temporary access to the corresponding platforms/websites, as applicable.

- I.A. Access to Online/Web-based Platforms

 Provide a list of all online platforms to be used by the Review Team including the name of the program/website, purpose, access link, and user id and password to be used. An example has
- Platforms where you can enter this information one Drive subfolder titled, Online Platforms.

Name of Program	Purpose	Access Link	User Id	Password
Great Lessons	Lesson Plans	www.greatlessons.com	School1@charter.com	LessonsABC123

I.B. Access to Remote/e-Learning Classrooms

☐ Provide a list of all remote/e-learning classroom platforms the Review Team may visit during the remote visit. Include the name of the program/website, access link, and user id and password to be used. Also, please include any user instructions, as applicable.

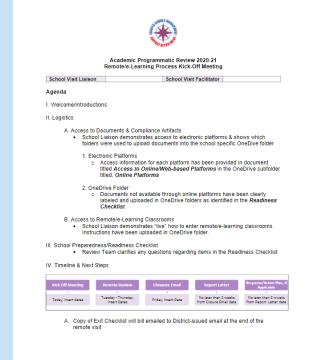


APR Remote Visit – Day 1: Kick Off Meeting





- School Visit Liaison demonstrates how to access any online platforms and remote/e-classrooms
- School Visit Liaison reports on OneDrive folder
- Q&A between the School and Review Team
- Follow-up with School Visit Liaison, as needed



VI. Sponsor' Responsibility

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A. Literacy Statutes: Rule 6A-6.053(5) and 6A-6.053(7), Florida Administrative Code

Academic Performance Data: Section 1002.33(7)(a)3 and 1002.33(7)(a)4, Florida Statues, and corresponding rules

C. Early Warning Systems: Section 1001.42(18)(b) and 1001.42(18)(b)2, Florida Statues and corresponding rules

D. MTSS-Rtl: Rule 6A-6.03018(2)(a) and (b) and 6A-6.0331(1), Florida Administrative

Code and corresponding statutes

E. ESE Statutes: SWD – Section 1003.571, Florida Statutes, and corresponding rules

F. ESOL Statutes: Section 1003.56, Florida Statutes, and corresponding rules

VII Questions

VIII. Closure



Remote Visit – Days 2-4



Remote Visit Review

- Team reviews compliance documents and artifacts in OneDrive folder and online platforms
- Team visits remote/e-classrooms
- Site facilitator troubleshoots access issues, if needed
- Team meets with respective academic counterpart

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Remote Visit – Day 5



Remote Visit Concludes

- CSMSD team members meet to complete Exit Checklist
- Site facilitator emails Exit Checklist to the School



Academic Programmatic Review Remote Process 2020-21 Exit Checklist

School MSID# Dates

Part 1: Logistics and Access

As discussed during the School's APR Remote Process Pre-Visit and Kick-Off meetings, and as described in the APR 2020-2021 School Readiness Checklist Remote/e-Learning Process, the Team had access/was able to:

Check (Yes/No/NA)	Description
	APR Team was able to access online platforms and websites as provided by the
	School
	APR Team visited remote/e-classrooms
	APR Team was able to speak/communicate with selected School's Leadership Staff
	(Literacy Coach, ESE Specialist, ESOL Contact, School Counselor, MTSS/Rtl
	Facilitator, other) via Teams, phone or email

Part 2: Academic Compliance Review

As discussed during the School's APR Remote Process Pre-Visit and Kick-Off meetings, and as described in the APR 2020-2021 School Readiness Checklist Remote/e-Learning Process, the School provided the following items for review during the APR Remote Visit:

Check (Yes/No/NA)	Description
	Contact Information Forms
	School Schedules
	Student Assessment Data
	Lesson Plans (previous and current week)
	Evidence of Student Work (student work folders/portfolios)
	Evidence of a current Student Portfolio Process: Keystones Performance Tasks
	Folders
	Evidence of a current Early Warning Systems process
	Evidence of a current Multi-Tiered System of Support/Response to Intervention
	(MTSS/Rtl) Process
	Evidence of MTSS/Rtl Folders/Individual Student Documentation
	ELL files were accessed through Ellevation
	ESE files (SWD and Gifted) were accessed through Ed Plan
	ESE Service Log (SLP, OT, PT, Counseling, etc.) were accessed () through Ed
	Plan and/or () through the OneDrive folder

[&]quot;To protect student's privacy, student names will not be disclosed in the APR Report or debriefing letter.

This form has been completed by the APR Remote Visit Facilitator, (insert name of Visit Facilitator and Title) on (insert date).

The Charter Schools Management/Support Department is committed to monitoring educational, financial, and organizational accountability of charter schools to support public educational choice and successful outcomes for all stakeholders

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After the Review Visit





- •Team members complete APR Report
- Team meets with Director to share concerns
- APR Report Letter is sent to the School with a copy of the report





- Response/Action Plan
- Follow up in specific academic area(s) of concern
- Debriefing
 Videoconference with
 Director





- Renewals
- SIP Schools
- Lowest 300 Elementary
- New schools
- High Performing
- •Other, as needed



Update - Renewal APR Remote Process

- School Renewals 2020-2021
 - Visits Completed 9 out of 10
 - Debriefings 2
 - In Process -1 out of 10
- School Renewals 2021-2022
 - APR Remote Process Informational Session
 - January 2021
 - Spring Visits 12 schools





Keys to Success



- Organization
- Communication
- Time Management
- Flexibility & Patience







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