

FAQs about SC's Public Charter Schools



How many students are served by SC's Public Charter Schools?

Over 34,000 students across the state are currently served by 69 public charter schools. There are 5 new schools in the final stages of approval to open in August of 2018 and over 45 planning groups actively developing charters to meet the future educational needs of South Carolina's students.

What does the Alliance do?

Our work focuses on transforming public education by advancing the missions of SC's public charter schools through:

- High quality new school development
- Governance and leadership training
- Technical assistance and support services
- Policy development and advocacy for all public school students, including those enrolled in public charter schools
- Cultivating partnerships and developing resources that support high student achievement

What is a charter school?

Charter schools are public schools that are allowed the freedom to be more innovative while being held accountable for improving student achievement.

How can my business or nonprofit get involved?

The students of South Carolina need your support and active involvement in creating real change. Your business can join the Public Charter School Alliance, sponsor and exhibit at the annual conference, volunteer at schools, create group purchasing programs and discounts, advocate for all public schools students, and serve on new school planning teams.

Join us today in creating positive change in public education through the development and support of high quality public charter schools.

To become a partner with the Alliance or for more information please contact:

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PCSASC Corporate Leader or PCSASC Nonprofit Leader	\$1,500	PCSASC Business Partner or PCSASC Nonprofit Partner	\$500
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