

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

CHARTER SCHOOL APPLICATION TIMELINE

June 17, 2008	Applicant's Informational Meeting <b>8:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.</b> School Board Administration Building (SBAB) 1450 NE Second Avenue, Auditorium Miami, Florida 33132
July 2, 2008	Letter of Intent due by 4:30 p.m.
July 2 - 27 2008	Technical Assistance Sessions for potential charter school applicants, upon request
August 1, 2008	<b>Application due by 4:30 p.m.</b> One (1) signed original, one (1) paper copy, and one (1) copy on CD of the application must be <b>hand delivered</b> to:  Ellen O. Wright, Administrative Director Specialized Programs-Charter School Operations 1450 Northeast Second Avenue, Suite 271 Miami, Florida 33132 <i>(See page 3 for specific instructions)</i>
August 7 — September 8, 2008	Application review and evaluation; interviews with founding/ governing boards, and other pertinent individuals, as per the application; and discussion of results of District review of applications
October 2008	Submission of Applications for School Board consideration
November 2008 - February 2009	Charter School contract negotiations; application must be approved by the School Board prior to negotiations (75 days per Statute)
February-May 2009*	School Board approval of contracts and Public Hearing
August 2009*	Charter school commences operation consistent with Miami-Dade County Public Schools calendar

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*Submission to School Board for Consideration may be later if mutually agreed by both parties.*

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