

FINAL LEGAL REVIEW

Charter School Name: KIPP Delta Public Schools

THE CHARTER IS REQUESTING THAT THE FOLLOWING WAIVERS CONTINUE:

WAIVER TOPIC	STATUTES, STANDARDS, RULES	NOTES
1. School Calendar – School Start Date	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-10-106(a)	No concerns.
2. Teacher Licensure	Ark. Code Ann. §§ 6-15-1004 et seq. 6-17-309 6-17-401 6-17-418 6-17-902 6-17-908 6-17-919 Standard 4-D.1 DESE Rules Governing Educator Licensure, Section 7	No concerns.
3. Principal –	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-17-302(a) Standard 4-C.2	No concerns.
4. Personnel Policies – Committee on Personnel Policies	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-17-203	No concerns.
5. Personnel Policies – Leave	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-17-1304	No concerns.
6. Personnel Policies – Employment of Licensed Personnel	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-17-301(a)-(b)	No concerns.
7. Personnel Policies – Teacher Fair Dismissal Act	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-17-1501 et seq.	No concerns.
8. Personnel Policies – Public School Employee Fair Hearing Act	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-17-1701 et seq.	No concerns.

<p>9. Personnel Policies – Classified Employees Paid Breaks</p>	<p>Ark. Code Ann. § 6-17-2205</p>	<p>No concerns.</p>
<p>10. Gifted and Talented</p>	<p>Ark. Code Ann. §§ 6-20-2208(c)(6) 6-42-101 et seq.</p> <p>Standard 2-G.1</p> <p>DESE Rules Governing Gifted and Talented Program Approval Standards.</p>	<p>No concerns.</p>
<p>11. Class Size and Teaching Load</p>	<p>Ark. Code Ann. § 6-17-812</p> <p>Standards 1-A.5 1-A.6</p> <p>DESE Rules Governing Class Size and Teaching Load, Section 3 and 4</p>	<p>No concerns.</p>
<p>12. Board of Directors</p>	<p>Ark. Code Ann. §§ 6-13-608 6-13-611 6-13-615 6-13-616 6-13-617 6-13-618 6-13-619(a)(1) & (c)(1)(A) 6-13-620 6-13-621 6-13-622 6-13-630 6-13-631 6-13-632 6-13-634 6-13-635 6-14-101 et seq.</p>	<p>Please narrow 6-13-616 down to subsection (a).</p>
<p>13. Superintendent</p>	<p>Ark. Code Ann. § 6-13-109</p> <p>Standard 4-B.2</p>	<p>No concerns.</p>

14. Alternative Learning Environment	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-15-1005(b)(5) 6-18-503(a)(1)(c)(i) 6-48-102 6-48-103 Standard 2-I.1 DESE Rules Governing Student Special Needs Funding, Section 4	No concerns.
15. School Counselor	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-18-2003(a)(2)(A) Standard 4-E.1	No concerns.
16. Library Media Specialist	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-25-104 Standard 4-F.1 4-F.2	No concerns.
17. Library Media Services	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-25-103 Standard 2-D.1	No concerns.
18. Achievement Gap Task Force	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-15-1603	No concern.
19. Grading Scale	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-15-902(a) DESE Rules Governing Grading and Course Credit - Section 2-2.01.	No concerns.
20. 9-12 Curriculum	Standard 1-A.1.3	Do you need this wavier? It was on your initial application, but not your final application.

THE CHARTER WISHES TO RESCIND THE FOLLOWING WAIVERS:

5-8 Curriculum – AR History Curriculum	Standard 1-A.1.2.8	No concerns.
Comprehensive School Counseling Services Plan	Standard 1-A.3	No concerns.
Superintendent	Standards 2-C.1 & 2-C.2	No concerns.
	Ark. Code Ann. §	No concerns.

	6-13-427 Standard 4-B.1 DESE Rules Governing Superintendent Mentoring Program	
Health & Safety Services	Standards 2-E.1 2-E.2	No concerns.
Principal	Standard 4-C.1	No concerns.
School Counselor	Standard 4-E.2	No concerns.
Professional Development	Standard 4-G.1	No concerns.
School Safety	Standard 6-A.2	No concerns.
Mimimum Teacher Compensation Schedule	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-17-2403	No concerns.
Duty-Free Lunch Period	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-17-111	No concerns.
Daily Planning Period	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-17-114	No concerns.
Personnel Policies – Requirements	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-17-201(c)(2)	No concerns.
Personnel Policies – Classified Employes Minimum Salary Act	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-17-2203(a)	Did you intend to seek a waiver of subsections (b)-(c) or are you rescinding the entire thing?
Grading Scale – Teacher Training Documentation	Ark. Code Ann. § 6-15-902(c)(2)	No concerns.
Special Education Services	Standard 4-F.2	Kipp does not currently have a waiver of anything related to special education services. The cited standard is for employing a library media specialist, which you have asked to countinue receiving a waiver for. Please clarify this.