

**MISSISSIPPI CHARTER SCHOOL AUTHORIZING BOARD
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This letter of intent (LOI) serves to provide a formal notice to the Mississippi Charter School Authorizer Board (MCSAB) regarding our intention to submit a proposal for opening a charter school.

Name of applicant organization: Kingdom Charter School
Primary contact person: Byron L. Garner
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We plan to apply as a:

New operator Existing operator Conversion operator

Do any of the following describe your organization, or the school/campuses you will propose? No

- Seeks approval for multiple campuses under a single charter.
- Already operates schools elsewhere in the US.
- Will contract or partner with an education service provider.

If so, identify the provider:

This provider already operates schools in this state or elsewhere in the US.

Provide the names of all members of the applicant team (add lines as needed):

Full Name	Current Job Title and Employer	Position with Proposed School
Noel Worthington	Veteran Military/Teacher Tangipahoa Parish School System	Director of Transportation and J.R.O.T.C. director
Bernice Garner	Retired Teacher and Daycare Owner of South Pike School District and Little Mittens Daycare	Volunteer for facilitator and office secretary.

Provide the names of all members of the proposed governing board of the school (add lines as needed):

Full Name	Current Job Title and Employer	Position with Proposed School
Elise Parker	Private tutor/Self	School Board Member
Ralph Garner	Retired Teacher/Salesman Howell Motors	School Board Member
Michael Stabile	Teacher East Baton rouge Parish Coach Director and member of KC Schools Inc.	Advisement Council as KC Schools Inc./Teach For America/The New Teacher Project

Provide the names of all members of the proposed leadership team of the school (add lines as needed):

Full Name	Current Job Title and Employer	Position with Proposed School
Ronnie Knox	Principal East Baton Rouge Parish	Principal/Disciplinarian
Byron Garner	Teacher Tangipahoa Parish	Lead Teacher/Curriculum supporter
Demetris Garner	Teacher ACJFC (Liberty Headstart)	Pre-K Director

COMPLETE THIS PART FOR EACH SCHOOL/CAMPUS YOU INTEND TO PROPOSE. Duplicate as needed.

Proposed School/Campus Name	Opening year	Grades served year one	Grades served at capacity
Kingdom Charter School	2017-2018	5-9	Pre-K-12
Proposed Location			
School District: <i>Identify the school district where the charter school will be located.</i>	South Pike School District		

Model/Specialty (check all that apply)	
<input type="checkbox"/> x Alternative <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> x Arts <input type="checkbox"/> Blended Learning	<input type="checkbox"/> Career and Technical Education <input type="checkbox"/> College Prep <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (list):
<input type="checkbox"/> Disability (list): <input type="checkbox"/> Language Immersion <input type="checkbox"/> Military	<input type="checkbox"/> Montessori <input type="checkbox"/> STEM
Proposed School Description	
Provide the mission statement of the proposed school.	Kingdom Charter School's mission is to create a high-performing educational alternative for the students in the South Pike School District via rigorous curriculum, strict discipline, quality classroom management, and training proven to improve ELA scores via reading comprehension strategies. We will provide elite education for students who learn best from dynamic teaching by limiting class size, assessing small goals every grading period, providing technological reinforcement and accountability resources at home, and substantiating how important it is to be a good citizen with partnerships from community leaders and major collaboration of institutions of the "Arts". We expect every child to move, learn, and grow in a place where everyone is treated like royalty!
In 100 words or less, briefly describe the instructional focus of the proposed school.	Kingdom Charter School seeks to improve Reading and Comprehension scores in ELA. The instructional focus of Kingdom Charter School is diversified instruction via non-traditional online curriculum. We provide dynamic teaching and data-driven benchmarking via virtual classrooms, electronic games and rewards, and graphic organizers of analytics for each child's strengths and weaknesses in mastery level of state objectives. This is done for every individual child based on common core and State Standardized assessments and charted throughout the year. We use PBIS for classroom management and "Move To Learn" for delivery to kinesthetic learners who are often engaged in a standard classroom.

Certification

We understand that upon receipt of this letter and accompanying documentation, the MCSAB will evaluate our organization and applicant team against the legal eligibility requirements to determine whether we are eligible to hold a charter in the state of Mississippi.

We further understand that in order to be considered in this RFP cycle, we must submit a complete proposal by 3pm CST on March 7, 2017.

I certify that I have the authority to submit this LOI and that all information contained herein is complete and accurate, realizing that any misrepresentation could result in disqualification from the application process. The person named as the contact person for the application is so authorized to serve as the primary contact for this application on behalf of the organization.

Byron Garner / Campus Lead Teacher and Curriculum Supporter

Name, Role with Applicant Organization

Byron L. Garner

3-4-17

Signature

Date

Proof of Legal U.S. Residence of Board Members and Stakeholders

