Charter Schools Annual Report, SY2019-20

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Introduction

Each year, the Tennessee Department of Education produces an annual report on charter schools operating in the State. In compliance with Tennessee Code Annotated,§ 49-13-120, the report provides information on the charter school landscape in Tennessee, charter school numbers, academic performance, enrollment, and student characteristics. All data presented in this report is from the 2019-20 school year unless otherwise noted. Additional information regarding charter schools is available on the Tennessee Department of Education's website, including application materials, available grants, required reports, authorizer matters, and answers to frequently asked questions.

Tennessee Charter School Quick Facts for 2019-20

- A total of 117 charter schools were located within the geographic boundaries of four (4) school districts across the state: Hamilton County Schools, Knox County Schools, Memphis-Shelby County Schools, and Metro Nashville Public Schools.

- Six (6) entities functioned as local education agencies (LEAs) and authorized charter schools to operate: Hamilton County Schools, Knox County Schools, Metro Nashville Public Schools, and Memphis-Shelby County Schools, along with the Achievement School District (ASD) and the Tennessee State Board of Education (SBOE).

- Nine (9) new charter schools opened in the 2019-2020 school year, and six (6) charter schools were closed at the end of the school year.

- Tennessee charter schools enrolled 43,202 students which accounts for approximately 4.4% of the public-school student population statewide.

- Charter schools enrolled a significantly higher percentage of students from racial and ethnic minorities and those identified as economically disadvantaged compared to district-run schools.

- The graduation rate in charter schools was slightly higher (87%) as compared to district-run schools within LEAs that authorize charter schools (82%).

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The Charter School Landscape in Tennessee

Legislative History

A charter school is a public school that is established and governed by a charter agreement between a charter school or charter management organization (CMO) and a local educational agency (LEA). Charter schools in Tennessee are established under the Tennessee Public Charter School Act of 2002 and the Tennessee High-Quality Charter Schools Act, as outlined in Chapter 13 of Title 49 of the Tennessee Code Annotated. A charter school, while part of its LEA, is governed by an independent governing board and has greater autonomy over its budget, personnel, curricula, and operations in exchange for heightened accountability. Tennessee law prohibits for-profit entities from operating or managing charter schools and requires all governing bodies to be not-for-profit organizations with a 501(c)(3) exemption.

The Tennessee Public Charter Schools Act of 2002 allows the creation of charter schools within the structure of a public school system and provides charter schools with flexibility to achieve goals outlined within their charter agreement. Charter schools are publicly funded, and as such, are subject to the same performance standards outlined by the Tennessee State Board of Education (SBE) for traditional public schools. A charter school authorizer may close a charter school if it fails to make sufficient progress toward performance expectations set forth in its charter agreement, materially violates its charter agreement, or fails to meet generally accepted standards of fiscal management. A charter school agreement may be revoked by the authorizer if the school is designated a Priority school under the State's accountability system.

If an authorizer decides not to revoke a charter school agreement once the school has been identified as a Priority school, then the school must develop and implement a comprehensive support and improvement plan. A charter school agreement must be revoked by the authorizer if the school is designated a Priority school for two consecutive accountability cycles. (More about Tennessee's accountability system is available here.)

Enacted in 2017, the Tennessee High-Quality Charter Schools Act was aimed at increasing the number of high-performing charter schools in Tennessee. This Act required charter authorizers to adopt high-quality authorizing practices and established an authorizer fee to be paid by charter schools to the LEA for costs associated with charter authorization. It also clarified funding procedures for charter schools and established a grant that could be used by charter

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schools to purchase school facilities or to pay for renovation and maintenance costs for existing facilities.

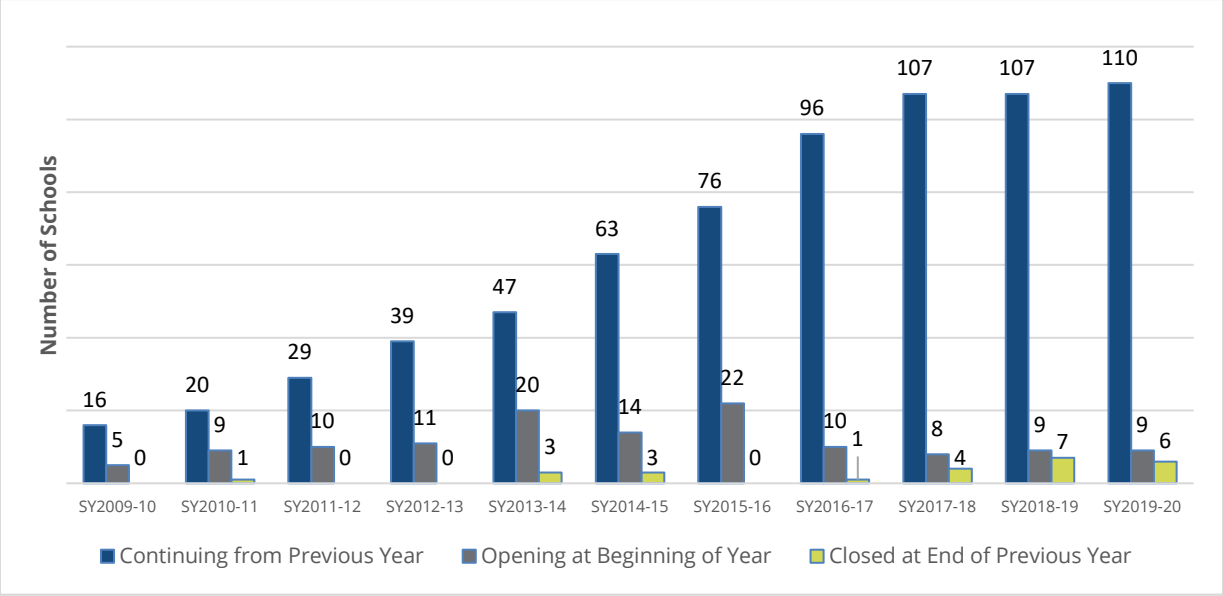
Charter Schools by the Numbers

In the 2019-20 academic year, charter schools in Tennessee were authorized by four local boards of education in addition to the Achievement School District and the Tennessee State Board of Education. The local school boards, comprising Hamilton County Schools, Knox County Schools, Metro Nashville Public Schools, and Memphis-Shelby County Schools, authorized around 77% of charter schools. Overall, 117 charter schools operated during this period, serving 43,202 students.

> *117 charter schools operated during the 2019-20 school year, serving 43,202 students.*

Figure 1 depicts the change in total number of charter schools statewide since the first charter schools opened in 2003-04.

Figure 1. Openings and Closings of Charter Schools Over Time



As shown in Figure 1, the number of charter schools operating in Tennessee has steadily increased over the last decade. Although 26 charter schools have closed since 2010, the number of charter schools increased by 127 of which 117 remained open as of 2020. This continual growth underscores the state's commitment to expanding high-quality educational choices for Tennessee's students. Furthermore, this expansion reflects the evolving educational

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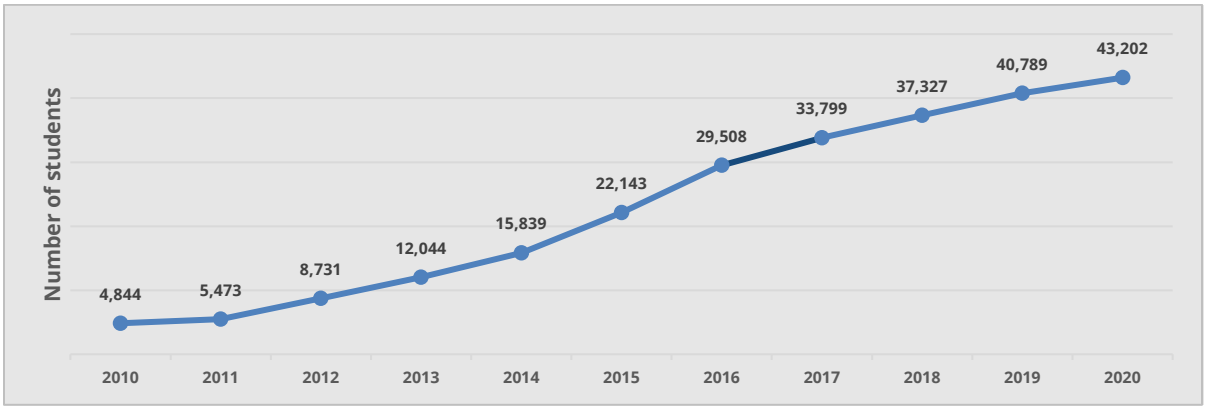
landscape in Tennessee, where charter schools are increasingly recognized as vital instruments for meeting diverse student needs and driving innovation in teaching and learning.

Student Enrollment

The number of students enrolled within a Tennessee charter school has increased by over 700%, from approximately 5,000 students in 2010 to 43,202 students in 2020. Charter school enrollment accounted for approximately 4.3% of the total public school student enrollment in Tennessee. This number is lower than the 7% US national average of students enrolled in public charter schools[1]. Charter school enrollment in Tennessee has increased in part due to strengthened legislation found within the High-Quality Charter School Act of 2017 and the increased fiscal support through Tennessee's Charter Facilities Fund. This enrollment growth, with more than a 46% increase in charter school students between 2016 and 2020, reflects the positive impact of these supportive measures on the state's charter school landscape.

> *Between 2011 and 2020, charter school enrollment increased 760%*

Figure 2. Growth in Charter School Enrollment Over Time



Student Mobility

Student mobility refers to the percentage of students changing schools during a school year, whether voluntary or involuntary. The student mobility rates included in Appendix E are shown as the percentage of students who transferred into or out of a charter school after October 1, 2019. Overall, charter school students have a slightly lower rate of mobility (11%) compared to students who attended district-run schools (17%). These numbers emphasize the stability and

[1] https://nces.ed.gov/fastfacts/display.asp?id=30

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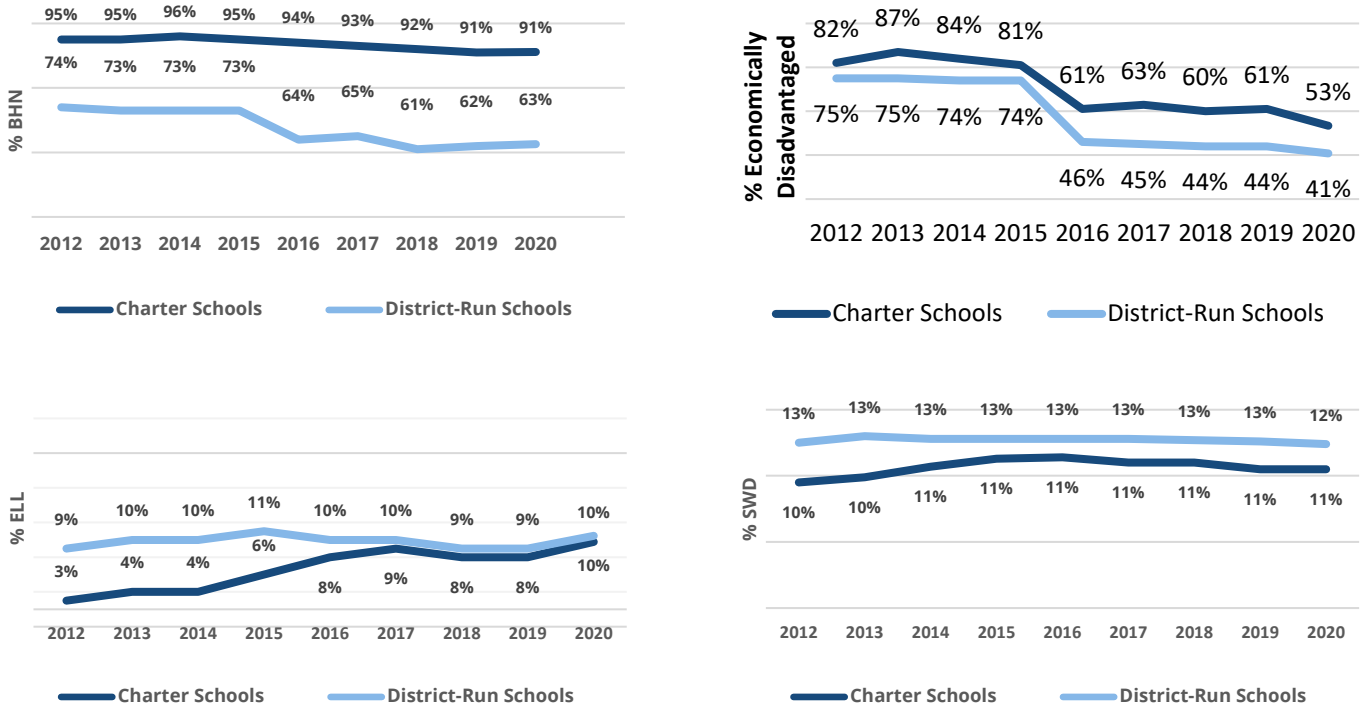
consistency that charter schools can offer to students, especially in urban areas where mobility rates are generally higher. This lower mobility rate can be attributed to factors such as the unique curricular offerings, community engagement, and supportive environments found in many charter schools. Additionally, the continuity in education provided by charter schools can lead to better academic outcomes for students who might otherwise face disruptions in their learning due to frequent school changes.

Student Enrollment Characteristics

Charter schools enroll a significantly higher percentage of students from racial and ethnic minorities and those identified as economically disadvantaged compared to district-run schools. Approximately 53% of students who attend a charter school are economically disadvantaged, and over 90% come from major racial and ethnic groups. Figure 3 depicts the percentages of Black, Hispanic, and Native American (BHN) students, economically disadvantaged students, English language learners (ELL), and students with disabilities (SWD) enrolled in charter schools compared to non-charter schools (district-run schools) within the same LEAs.

Figure 3. Student Demographics Enrolled in Charter Schools Over Time[2]



[2] "BHN" means Black, Hispanic, and Native American.

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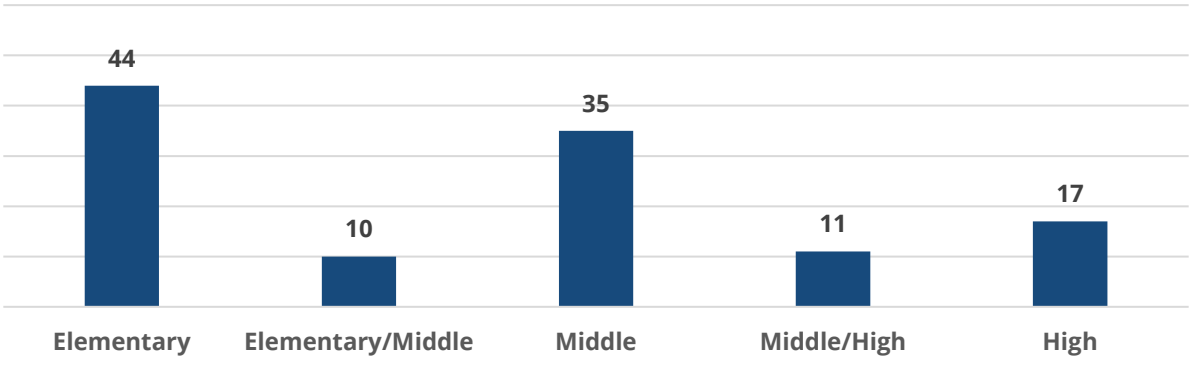
Charter schools have a 28-percentage point higher enrollment of minorities and a 12-percentage point higher enrollment of economically disadvantaged students than district-run schools. English learner (EL) students constituted about 10% of enrollment in both charter and district-run schools, and students with disabilities (SWD) made up 11% of charter school enrollment, slightly lower than the 12% in district-run schools.

> *Tennessee's charter schools have a greater percentage of minority and economically disadvantaged students compared to district-run schools.*

School Size and Structure

The Tennessee Public Charter School Act provides charter schools with the freedom to organize and structure themselves in the manner they determine to be most effective for educating students. Many use the same models as traditional district-run schools, organizing into elementary, middle, and high schools. In the 2019-20 school year, a majority (76%) of Tennessee's charter schools served only elementary to middle school grades, and approximately 24% served middle to high school grades.

Figure 4. Grade Configurations of Charter Schools, 2019-20



Generally, charter schools in Tennessee have a smaller average student enrollment per school than comparable district-run schools (Figure 5). Often new charter schools scale up over time, starting with only a single grade and taking multiple years to reach a planned grade configuration. Only charter schools that have reached their full grade span are included in the average total school enrollment metric found in Figure 5. Characteristics of individual charter schools are listed in Appendix A.

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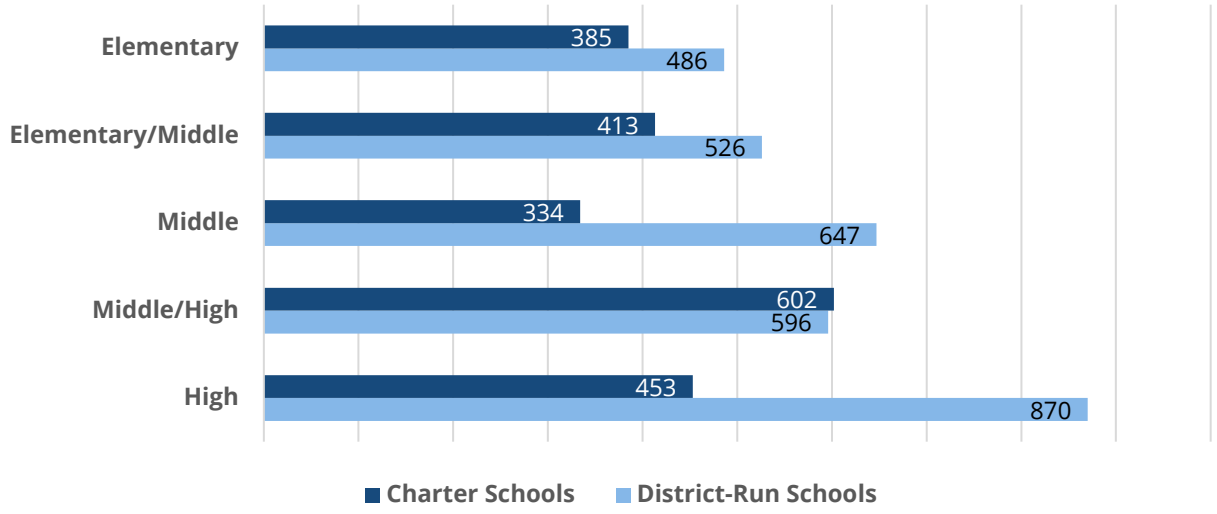
Figure 5. Average Enrollment at Charter Schools and District-Run Schools, 2019-20



State Accountability

Due to catastrophic tornados in middle Tennessee and school closures related to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Tennessee Legislature passed Chapter 652 of the Public Acts of 2020. This piece of legislation suspended the requirement of state assessments for the 2019-2020 academic year. Lawmakers aimed to ensure that school districts, schools, teachers, and students were held harmless from state testing requirements and accountability measures during the unprecedented challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic. Furthermore, due to the suspension of state testing, Tennessee's schools and districts did not generate state letter grades or school designation statuses during the 2019-20 school year[3].

Although many school buildings remained closed and the requirement for LEAs to administer state assessments was suspended during the spring of 2020, educators in Tennessee still provided educational opportunities for students to learn. In June of 2020, the Tennessee State Board of Education (SBE) promulgated the Continuous Learning Plans (CLP) Emergency Rule 0520-01-17. Pursuant to this rule, LEAs established CLPs to outline how students will receive educational services during school closures due to emergency circumstances.

[3] https://www.tn.gov/content/dam/tn/education/health-&-safety/Accountability%20FAQ.pdf

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Graduation Rate

Legislation passed in 2020 ensured that no adverse action may be taken against any student, teacher, school, or LEA based on student assessment data. Furthermore, the legislation required the SBE to revise the high school graduation requirements for the 2019-20 school year to ensure that high school seniors who were affected by school closures during the spring of 2020 did not fail to receive a high school diploma for which the student was on-track to earn. In 2019-20, charter schools had a slightly higher graduation rate (87%) when compared to district-run schools within LEAs that authorized charter schools (82%).

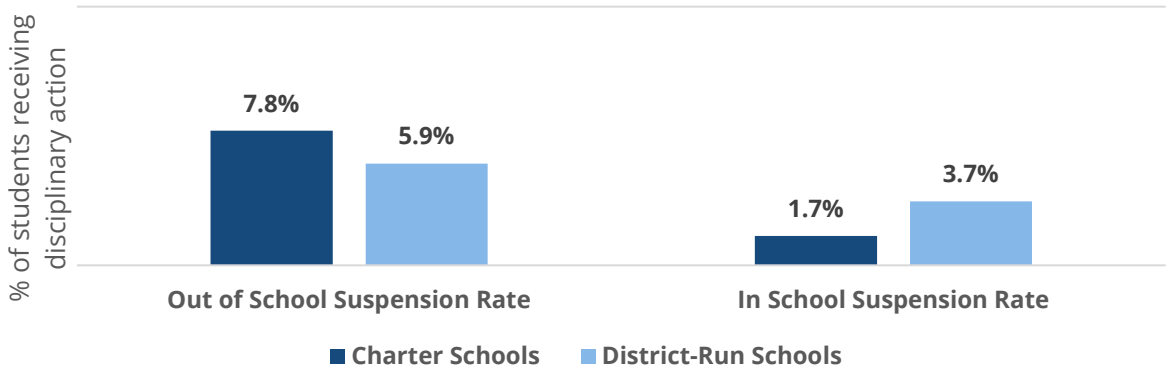
Table 1. Graduation Rates, 2019-20

School Type	Graduation Rate
Charter Schools	87%
District-Run Schools	82%

Discipline

Each year, public schools in Tennessee report disciplinary incidents experienced by students, including the reason for the incident and the type of disciplinary action taken. Discipline rates for in-school suspensions, out-of-school suspensions, and expulsions are calculated as the percentage of students within a student population who receive at least one of the specific types of discipline. During the 2019-20 academic year, charter schools had a slightly higher out-of-school suspension rate (7.8%) compared to district-run schools (5.9%) and a similar expulsion rate (<1%) relative to district-run schools (<1%). Additionally, charter schools had a slightly lower in-school suspension rate (1.7%) when compared with district-run schools (3.7%).

Figure 6. Discipline Rates, 2019-20



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Conclusion

Charter schools continue to play a crucial role in Tennessee's public education system, providing families with valuable educational choices and contributing to the variety and quality of education options in the state. During the 2019-20 school year, charter schools showed adaptability and growth and continued to grow in number and student enrollment. Nine new schools opened during the 2019-20 school year which reflects Tennessee's dynamic response to evolving educational needs and standards. With a student enrollment of approximately 43,000 students, charter schools served approximately 4.4% of Tennessee's public-school students. Although heavily impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic during the 2019-20 school year, charter schools continued to provide various educational opportunities for enrolled students and achieved an 87% graduation rate which highlights the dedication of charter school educators to ensure student success, even throughout challenging circumstances.

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Appendices

Appendix A. *Charter School Enrollment and Grades Served, 2019-20*

Hamilton County Schools				
School	**Enrollment**	**Charter Type**	**Year Opened**	**Grades Served**
Chattanooga Charter School of Excellence	350	Start-up	2011-12	K-5
Chattanooga Charter School of Excellence Middle School	225	Start-up	2015-16	6-8
Chattanooga Girls Leadership Academy	366	Start-up	2009-10	6-12
Chattanooga Preparatory	140	Start-up	2018-19	6-7
Ivy Academy, Inc.	377	Start-up	2009-10	9-12

Knox County Schools				
School	**Enrollment**	**Charter Type**	**Year Opened**	**Grades Served**
Emerald Academy	476	Start-up	2015-16	K-8

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Metro Nashville Public Schools				
School	**Enrollment**	**Charter Type**	**Year Opened**	**Grades Served**
East End Preparatory School	906	Start-up	2011-12	K-8
Explore Community School	434	Start-up	2015-16	K-4
Intrepid College Preparatory Charter School	716	Start-up	2013-14	5-11
KA @ The Crossings	190	Start-up	2016-17	5-8
KIPP Academy Nashville	378	Start-up	2005-06	5-8
KIPP Academy Nashville Elementary School	407	Start-up	2015-16	K-4
KIPP Nashville College Prep	349	Start-up	2013-14	5-8
KIPP Nashville College Prep Elementary	339	Start-up	2017-18	K-3
KIPP Nashville Collegiate High School	429	Start-up	2014-15	9-12
Knowledge Academies High School	165	Start-up	2015-16	9-12
Knowledge Academy	161	Start-up	2012-13	5-8
LEAD Cameron	734	Conversion	2011-12	5-8
LEAD Southeast	805	Start-up	2013-14	5-11
LEAD Academy	456	Start-up	2007-08	9-12
Liberty Collegiate Academy	419	Start-up	2011-12	5-8
Nashville Academy of Computer Science	223	Start-up	2014-15	5-8
Nashville Classical	443	Start-up	2013-14	K-6
Nashville Prep	288	Start-up	2011-12	5-8
Purpose Prep	366	Start-up	2013-14	K-4
RePublic High School	637	Start-up	2015-16	9-12
Rocketship Nashville Northeast Elementary	498	Start-up	2014-15	K-4
Rocketship United	552	Start-up	2015-16	K-4
STEM Prep Academy	528	Start-up	2011-12	5-8

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STEM Prep High School	488	Start-up	2015-16	9-12
Smithson Craighead Academy	208	Start-up	2003-04	K-4
Strive Collegiate Academy	378	Start-up	2015-16	5-8
Valor Flagship Academy	958	Start-up	2014-15	5-10
Valor Voyager Academy	502	Start-up	2015-16	5-8

Memphis-Shelby County Schools				
School	**Enrollment**	**Charter Type**	**Year Opened**	**Grades Served**
Arrow Academy of Excellence	88	Start-up	2013-14	K-4
Aspire East Academy	365	Start-up	2016-17	K-4
Aster College Preparatory	16	Start-up	2019-20	5
Aurora Collegiate Academy	325	Start-up	2012-13	K-5
Believe Memphis Academy Charter School	193	Start-up	2018-19	4-6
Circles Of Success Learning Academy	229	Start-up	2003-04	K-5
City University School Girls Preparatory	128	Start-up	2013-14	6-8
City University School Of Liberal Arts	253	Start-up	2004-05	9-12
City University School of Independence	14	Start-up	2015-16	9
Compass Community School Berclair Campus	178	Start-up	2019-20	K-8
Compass Community School Binghampton Campus	182	Start-up	2019-20	K-8
Compass Community School Frayser Campus	170	Start-up	2019-20	K-8
Compass Community School Hickory Hill Campus	219	Start-up	2019-20	K-7
Compass Community School Midtown Campus	261	Start-up	2019-20	7-12
Compass Community School Orange Mound Campus	167	Start-up	2019-20	K-7
Crosstown High School	278	Start-up	2018-19	9-10
DuBois Elementary School of Entrepreneurship	351	Start-up	2013-14	K-8
Freedom Preparatory Academy	779	Start-up	2009-10	6-12

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Freedom Preparatory Academy Charter Schools	261	Start-up	2018-19	6-8
Freedom Preparatory Academy Elementary School	466	Start-up	2016-17	K-5
Granville T. Woods Academy of Innovation Charter School	414	Start-up	2015-16	K-8
KIPP Memphis Collegiate Elementary	413	Start-up	2012-13	K-4
KIPP Memphis Collegiate High School	479	Start-up	2011-12	9-12
KIPP Memphis Collegiate Middle	348	Start-up	2008-09	5-8
KIPP Memphis Middle Academy	315	Start-up	2012-13	5-8
Kaleidoscope School of Memphis	89	Start-up	2017-18	6-8
Leadership Preparatory Charter School	319	Start-up	2015-16	K-5
Memphis Academy Of Health Sciences	284	Start-up	2003-04	6-8
Memphis Academy Of Science Engineering Middle/High	581	Start-up	2003-04	6-12
Memphis Academy of Health Sciences High School	420	Start-up	2008-09	9-12
Memphis Business Academy Elementary School	332	Start-up	2011-12	K-5
Memphis Business Academy Hickory Hill Elementary School	153	Start-up	2018-19	K-4
Memphis Business Academy Hickory Hill Middle School	62	Start-up	2018-19	6-7
Memphis Business Academy High School	494	Start-up	2008-09	9-12
Memphis Business Academy Middle	507	Start-up	2005-06	6-8
Memphis College Preparatory	269	Start-up	2010-11	K-5
Memphis Delta Preparatory	385	Start-up	2016-17	K-5
Memphis Grizzlies Preparatory Charter School	348	Start-up	2012-13	5-8
Memphis Merit Academy	113	Start-up	2019-20	K-1
Memphis Rise Academy	663	Start-up	2014-15	6-11
Memphis STEM Academy	266	Start-up	2016-17	K-4
Memphis School of Excellence	517	Start-up	2013-14	6-12
Memphis School of Excellence Elementary	285	Start-up	2017-18	K-5
Perea Elementary School	131	Start-up	2018-19	K-1
Power Center Academy Elementary - Southeast	183	Start-up	2017-18	K-2
Power Center Academy Elementary School	799	Start-up	2015-16	K-5
Power Center Academy High School	617	Start-up	2010-11	9-12

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Power Center Academy Middle	457	Start-up	2011-12	6-8
Power Center Academy Middle - Southeast	292	Start-up	2016-17	6-8
Promise Academy	323	Start-up	2008-09	K-5
Soulsville Charter School	663	Start-up	2005-06	6-12
Southern Avenue Charter School Of Academic Excellence Creative Arts	393	Start-up	2005-06	K-5
Southwest Early College High School	154	Start-up	2017-18	9-11
Star Academy	311	Start-up	2010-11	K-6
Veritas College Preparatory	162	Start-up	2004-05	6-8
Vision Preparatory Charter School	385	Start-up	2014-15	K-5

Achievement School District				
School	**Enrollment**	**Charter Type**	**Year Opened**	**Grades Served**
Aspire Coleman	625	Conversion	2014-15	K-7
Aspire Hanley Elementary	530	Conversion	2013-14	K-5
Aspire Hanley Middle School	278	Conversion	2013-14	6-8
Brick Church: A LEAD Public School	337	Conversion	2012-13	5-8
Cornerstone Prep - Lester Campus	357	Conversion	2012-13	K-5
Cornerstone Prep Denver Campus	591	Conversion	2015-16	K-5
Fairley High School	426	Conversion	2014-15	9-12
Freedom Preparatory Academy Charter Elementary School	570	Conversion	2014-15	K-5
Hillcrest High School	460	Conversion	2017-18	9-12
Humes Preparatory Academy Middle School	270	Conversion	2013-14	6-8
KIPP Memphis Academy Elementary	301	Conversion	2013-14	K-4
KIPP Memphis Preparatory Elementary	408	Conversion	2015-16	K-4
KIPP Memphis Preparatory Middle	324	Conversion	2013-14	5-8

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Kirby Middle School	431	Conversion	2016-17	6-8
Lester Prep	296	Conversion	2014-15	6-8
Libertas School	356	Conversion	2015-16	K-5
Martin Luther King Preparatory High School	570	Conversion	2014-15	9-12
Memphis Scholars Caldwell-Guthrie	456	Conversion	2016-17	K-5
Memphis Scholars Florida Kansas	207	Conversion	2015-16	K-5
Memphis Scholars Raleigh-Egypt	105	Conversion	2016-17	6-8
Neely's Bend: A LEAD Public School	515	Conversion	2015-16	5-8
Promise Academy - Spring Hill	397	Conversion	2014-15	K-5
Westside Middle School	316	Conversion	2018-19	6-8
Wooddale Middle School	495	Conversion	2015-16	6-8

Tennessee State Board of Education				
School	**Enrollment**	**Charter Type**	**Year Opened**	**Grades Served**
Bluff City High School	416	Start-up	2017-18	9-11
KIPP Antioch College Prep Elementary	293	Start-up	2018-19	K-1
KIPP Antioch College Prep Middle	132	Start-up	2019-20	5

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Appendix B. Charter School Enrollment by Authorizer, EOY 2019-20

	Number of Charters	Charter Enrollment	Total Enrollment	% Charter Enrollment
Hamilton County	5	1,458	44,256	3.3%
Metro Nashville	28	12,957	82,297	15.7%
Memphis-Shelby County Schools	56	17,849	107,420	16.6%
Achievement School District	24	9,621	10,764	89.4%
Knox County	1	476	59,916	<1%
Tennessee State Board of Education	3	841	841	100%
Tennessee	117	43,202	981,260	4.4%

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Appendix C. *Charter School Applications, Approvals, and Appeals Ratios*

Year	# New Applications: # Approved	# SBOE Appeals: # Successful	# ASD Applications: # Approved
2002	8:4	3:0	--
2003	18:4	8:1	--
2004	14:7	2:1	--
2005	3:0	1:0	--
2006	5:2	1:0	--
2007	10:4	1:0	--
2008	12:6	1:1	--
2009	28:8	9:0	--
2010	23:11	6:2	--
2011	38:6	20:15	9:2
2012	15:5	5:1	10:8
2013	22:4	3:0	18:9
2014	26:17	6:0	7:1
2015	25:11	6:2	8:2
2016	17:8	1:1	--
2017	21:4	2:0	--
2018	20:9	4:0	--
2019	13:1	6:2	--
2020	12:1	6:4	--
Total	**330:112**	**91:30**	**52:22**

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Appendix D. *Demographics of Charter Schools by Authorizer, 2019-20*

	Hamilton County Schools		Knox County Schools		MNPS		Memphis-Shelby County Schools		ASD		State Board[4]
	Charter Schools	District-Run Schools	Charter Schools	District-Run Schools	Charter Schools	District-Run Schools	Charter Schools	District-Run Schools	Charter Schools	District-Run Schools	Charter Schools
% White	21%	49%	14%	65%	16%	28%	2%	7%	2%	1%	16%
% Black	47%	33%	77%	20%	49%	44%	81%	78%	92%	95%	55%
% Hispanic	33%	14%	9%	12%	33%	24%	17%	14%	6%	5%	25%
% Asian	<1%	3%	<1%	2%	2%	4%	<1%	1%	<1%	<1%	4%
% Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%	<1%
% ED	9%	36%	62%	33%	45%	44%	59%	60%	65%	67%	38%
% ELL	14%	7%	2%	6%	16%	20%	8%	8%	4%	1%	13%
% SWD	10%	13%	13%	16%	13%	15%	8%	13%	13%	8%	13%

[4] The State Board only authorizes charter schools and does not directly operate any school.

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Appendix E. *Student Mobility, 2019-20*

Hamilton County Schools	
School	**Mobility Rate**
Chattanooga Charter School of Excellence	5%
Chattanooga Charter School of Excellence Middle	3%
Chattanooga Girls Leadership Academy	2%
Chattanooga Preparatory School	5%
Ivy Academy, Inc.	4%

Knox County Schools	
School	**Mobility Rate**
Emerald Academy	12%

Metro Nashville Public Schools	
School	**Mobility Rate**
East End Preparatory School	5%
Explore Community School	8%
Intrepid College Preparatory Charter School	8%
KA @ The Crossings	22%
KIPP Academy Nashville	4%
KIPP Academy Nashville Elementary School	11%
KIPP Nashville College Prep	9%
KIPP Nashville College Prep Elementary	11%
KIPP Nashville Collegiate High School	7%
Knowledge Academies High School	26%
Knowledge Academy	31%
LEAD Academy	10%
LEAD Cameron	12%
LEAD Southeast	5%
Liberty Collegiate Academy	9%

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Nashville Academy of Computer Science	11%
Nashville Classical	4%
Nashville Prep	10%
Purpose Prep	5%
RePublic High School	13%
Rocketship Nashville Northeast Elementary	14%
Rocketship United	6%
Smithson Craighead Academy	7%
STEM Prep Academy	6%
STEM Prep High School	5%
Strive Collegiate Academy	10%
Valor Flagship Academy	4%
Valor Voyager Academy	2%

Memphis-Shelby County Schools	
School	**Mobility Rate**
Arrow Academy of Excellence	6%
Aster College Preparatory	100%
Aurora Collegiate Academy	2%
Believe Memphis Academy Charter School	15%
Circles Of Success Learning Academy	6%
City University School Girls Preparatory	12%
City University School of Independence	21%
City University School Of Liberal Arts	8%
Compass Community School, Berclair Campus	4%
Compass Community School, Binghampton Campus	4%
Compass Community School, Frayser Campus	6%
Compass Community School, Hickory Hill Campus	<1%
Compass Community School, Midtown Campus	8%
Compass Community School, Orange Mound Campus	6%
Crosstown High School	5%
DuBois Elementary School of Entrepreneurship	12%
Freedom Prep Elementary - Millbranch	7%
Freedom Prep Middle - Brownlee	6%
Freedom Preparatory Academy Flagship	6%
Granville T. Woods Academy of Innovation Charter School	8%
Journey East Academy	3%

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Kaleidoscope School of Memphis	18%
KIPP Memphis Academy Middle	11%
KIPP Memphis Collegiate Elementary	10%
KIPP Memphis Collegiate High School	9%
KIPP Memphis Collegiate Middle	10%
Leadership Preparatory Charter School	10%
Memphis Academy Of Health Sciences	6%
Memphis Academy of Health Sciences High School	7%
Memphis Academy Of Science Engineering Middle/High	6%
Memphis Business Academy Elementary School	8%
Memphis Business Academy Hickory Hill Elementary School	6%
Memphis Business Academy Hickory Hill Middle School	12%
Memphis Business Academy High School	8%
Memphis Business Academy Middle	8%
Memphis College Preparatory	10%
Memphis Delta Preparatory	11%
Memphis Grizzlies Preparatory Charter School	14%
Memphis Merit Academy	8%
Memphis Rise Academy	4%
Memphis School of Excellence	3%
Memphis School of Excellence Elementary	10%
Memphis STEM Academy	10%
Perea Elementary School	4%
Power Center Academy Elementary - Southeast	5%
Power Center Academy Elementary School	4%
Power Center Academy High School	4%
Power Center Academy Middle	4%
Power Center Academy Middle - Southeast	7%
Promise Academy	8%
Soulsville Charter School	6%
Southern Avenue Charter School Of Academic Excellence Creative Arts	11%
Southwest Early College High School	48%
Star Academy	5%
Veritas College Preparatory	8%
Vision Preparatory Charter School	6%

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Brick Church: A LEAD Public School	10%
Cornerstone Prep - Lester Campus	9%
Cornerstone Prep Denver Campus	12%
Fairley High School	21%
Freedom Preparatory Academy Charter Elementary School	6%
Hillcrest High School	21%
Humes Preparatory Academy Middle School	11%
Journey Coleman School	9%
Journey Hanley Middle School	24%
Journey Hanley School	11%
KIPP Memphis Academy Elementary	18%
KIPP Memphis Preparatory Elementary	10%
KIPP Memphis Preparatory Middle	13%
Kirby Middle School	9%
Lester Prep	9%
Libertas School	8%
Martin Luther King Preparatory High School	17%
Memphis Scholars Caldwell-Guthrie	15%
Memphis Scholars Florida Kansas	8%
Memphis Scholars Raleigh-Egypt	14%
Neely's Bend: A LEAD Public School	11%
Promise Academy - Spring Hill	7%
Westside Middle School	12%
Wooddale Middle School	11%

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School	**Mobility Rate**
Bluff City High School	12%
KIPP Antioch College Prep Elementary	4%
KIPP Antioch College Prep Middle	4%

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