

# Connections Charter School

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To: Whom it May Concern

Connections Charter School, a non-profit organization awaiting 501 (c) (3) designation from the IRS, intends to apply for an open enrollment charter during the 2016 application cycle. I plans to open Connections Charter School during the 2017-2018 school year. The operation of the school will come from non-profit contributions and state funds.

Connections Charter School will be located in Marion, Arkansas. It will serve students grades K-6 which will be about 350 students. The school will be in the Marion School District which is annex with two surrounding towns.

The contact for this letter of intent is:

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The mission of Connections Charter School is to prepare scholars for success by providing the highest level of academic excellence through a rigorous standard base curriculum that develops critical thinking and problem solving in literacy and math while creating a discovery and research base learning through science and social studies. While we will differentiate to the individual needs of scholars, we commit to maintaining a safe and healthy learning environment that will cultivate, encourage, and promote scholars attain the highest level of education while in the community become a rich valuable asset to the community. The schools will accept enrollment from students of all kind regardless of background.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Aretha Coleman

