

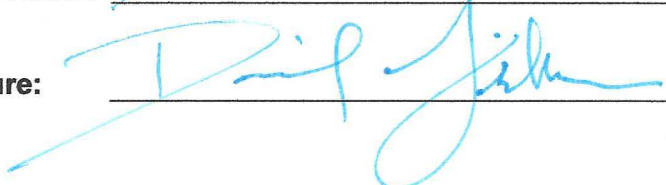
Notice of Intent to Apply for an Arkansas Public Charter School License

Type of Charter:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Open-Enrollment <input type="checkbox"/> District Conversion
Proposed Charter School Name:	IDEA Public Schools Arkansas
Proposed Location:	Two sites in Pulaski County (locations TBD), each housing a K-5 and 6-12 school once fully enrolled
School District Where Charter Will be Located:	Exact district not yet determined
Grade Levels Served:	K-12 (at full enrollment)
Enrollment Cap:	3400
Name of Contact for Application:	Daniel Fishman, Sr. Vice President of Growth
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Focus Area:	<input type="checkbox"/> Traditional <input type="checkbox"/> Alternative Learning Environment <input type="checkbox"/> Virtual <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> College Prep <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Recovery <input type="checkbox"/> Other:

Provide a brief description of the purpose or emphasis of the school:

At IDEA, each and every child can go to, and graduate from, college. IDEA's academic program is built around this mission, ensuring that every IDEA high school student will complete at least 11 Advanced Placement (AP) courses before they graduate from IDEA and head off to college. For 15 consecutive years, 100% of IDEA's seniors have been accepted to a college or university.

IDEA was founded in Donna, Texas as an afterschool program focused on academic success and college readiness. At the request of local parents, IDEA launched in Texas as a full-time public charter school in 2000, initially serving some 150 students. In the 21 years since, IDEA has grown into a network of tuition-free, Pre-K-12 public charter schools educating over 60,000 college-bound students across 120 schools. IDEA has been recognized as a "Great Place to Work", and has earned numerous national rankings on The Washington Post and U.S. News & World Report's Top High Schools lists.

Printed Name: Daniel Fishman **Title:** Sr. Vice President of Growth
Signature:  **Date:** March 12, 2021